

**Cooperative Extension** 



# Winch Town Forest Timber Harvest Tour



## DATE:

Sunday, September 23, 2012

#### TIME:

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

#### **LOCATION:**

Sullivan, New Hampshire Meet at the Sullivan Town Library on Centre Street

## COST:

FREE

## **TO REGISTER:**

Or for more information call Steve Roberge at (603) 352-4550 or steven.roberge@unh.edu Join Consulting Forester Swift Corwin, Cheshire County Cooperative Extension Forester Steve Roberge and the Sullivan Conservation Commission members for a tour of an active timber harvest. Learn how trees are selected, marked and cut during timber harvesting operations. How do markets and timber stumpage prices vary with species, log quality, products, access to viable markets, site operability and overall logging costs? What are basic considerations in laying out access roads, skid trails and landings while protecting both water quality and wildlife habitat?

Winch Town Forest is nestled in the center of Sullivan and comprises approximately 100 acres surrounding the summit of Winch Hill. The mixed hardwood/softwood forest is home to most of the animals and birds commonly found throughout the Monadnock area. Several historical features are found on the property including the site of Sullivan's first Meeting House. Preserving the multiple use features for future generations is a priority within this working forest.

The tour is open to the general public. Please wear appropriate footwear and be prepared to walk in the forest.

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