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KWOA Wood Post



Wishing You a Joyful Holiday Season

KWOA and KWOA are deeply grateful for the valuable contributions you make in caring for woodlands and fostering growth of Kentucky's woodland community. As you gather with friends and family at this festive time, we hope you will share your pride and joy of contributing to sustainability of Kentucky's forests.

Holiday Stocking Stuffers

Still trying to find a *meaningful gift* for the holidays? [KWOA membership](#) is the perfect solution, providing year-round value and support!



Tax Wise Year-end Giving

A donation to KWOA or KWOA helps us continue to serve the interests of woodland owners and provide scholarship support to *ensure that forestry values are passed down to the next generation*. Please consider making a donation to KWOA or KWOA at <https://www.kwoa.net/donate>



News Items of Interest

Mass Timber Buildings: NWOA recently shared this article that reflects the potential value of mass timber construction: [4.5 Acre CLT Production Facility in Oregon](#) As reported in the November Wood Post the KWOA passed a resolution in support of mass timber buildings.

New [Regenerative Pilot Program](#) to help American farmers adopt practices that improve soil health, enhance water quality, and boost long-term productivity, all while strengthening America's food and fiber supply. Announced December 10 and administered by USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), this new pilot delivers a streamlined, outcome-based conservation model—empowering producers to plan and implement whole-farm regenerative

practices through a single application. Farmers and ranchers interested in regenerative agriculture are encouraged to apply through their local NRCS Service Center by their state's ranking dates for consideration in FY2026 funding. Applications for both EQIP and CSP can now be submitted under the new single regenerative application process. We look forward to learning more specifics in the new year.

KCARD Launches [Kentucky AgriLegacy Solutions Program](#) designed to help landowners look at where they are now, where they want to be in the next generation and build a road map for getting there. This program compliments the efforts of the Kentucky Farmland Transition Network, that KWOA is a member of.



***"From the Woods Today": Wednesdays at 11 a.m. ET.** You can watch via Zoom or Facebook Live Links to live shows are posted just before the show. Join live or watch recorded shows later at the website at www.fromthewoodstoday.com

Yale Forestry Forum online series returns Tuesdays, 12:00-1:00 p.m. U.S. EST, January 13 – April 26 with From Timber to Tomorrow: Old Challenges, New Pressures, Changing Paradigms [Register](#). More information is available on the [YFF website](#).

Need Help in the Woods?

Bookmark the [Quick Reference Links](#) on KWOA website[[home page at kwoa.net](http://www.kwoa.net)]

- Kentucky Division of Forestry (KDF) Vendors List: [HERE](#) and [https://eec.ky.gov/Natural-Resources/Forestry/Documents/Statewide Vendor List 2-8-17.pdf](https://eec.ky.gov/Natural-Resources/Forestry/Documents/Statewide%20Vendor%20List%202-8-17.pdf)
- Kentucky Association of Consulting Foresters lists at <https://kacf.org/find-a-forester/>
- Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and Farm Service Agency (FSA) are the primary source of information on programs to help you carry out management practices on your land. Use this link to find your local office [Local USDA Service Centerr](#)
- UK Forestry and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension offers a wealth of helpful publications and programming; learn more <https://forestry.ca.uky.edu/extension>. Also find [your county office](#) and then know you are interested in forestry related programs.

Planning a Harvest?

A Kentucky Master Logger must be on-site and in charge of every commercial logging operation (excluding horse loggers). Kentucky's best management practices must be used in every commercial logging operation (including horse loggers). Best to Check Out These Resources:

- Kentucky Master Logger Program: masterlogger.ca.uky.edu
- Kentucky Division of Forestry: forestry.ky.gov
- Bad Actor Information & List: masterlogger.ca.uky.edu/bad-actor-information
- Kentucky Association of Consulting Foresters: kacf.org/find-a-forester/

Just so you know...

- If you haven't already joined the KWOA network, [click here to join.](#)
- KWOA members receive a 10% discount at **Forestry Suppliers**. Get the *code* when you join! Note the code is on your emailed receipt when you join or renew online.
- You can share our news! See the links at the bottom of this message.
- You can always contact us; send a message to info@kwoa.net with questions, suggestions, news, or to volunteer.

Growing Forests for Our Future! KWOA volunteers work year-round providing opportunities that benefit Kentucky's woodland owners and contribute to sustainable forestry.

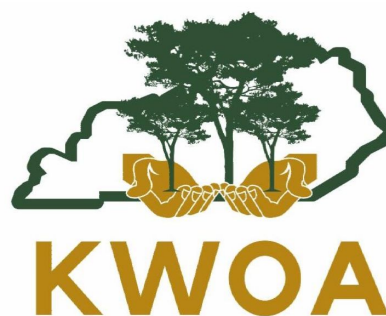
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“Bringing people and woodland sustainability together”

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