



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

“Model Forest” Tour at Joe English Reservation, February 28, 2009

The Forest Guild, a national organization of professional foresters, headquartered in Santa Fe, NM has designated over 1,200 acres of the Amherst, NH Conservation Commission’s forested lands as a “Model Forest”.

Amherst’s forests have joined a select group of exemplary model forests nationwide. Join the Amherst Conservation Commission and the Forest Guild for a celebration of this designation with a walk through of a timber harvest area in the Joe English Reservation (dress appropriately; snowshoes may be necessary),

Peabody Mill Environmental Center
Joe English Reservation, Brook Road
Amherst, NH

Saturday, February 28, 2009; 10:00am – 1:00 pm

INFO: 603-532-6118; 603-673-5467

AGENDA

10:00 – 10:15

Introduction & Brief History of ACC’s Management Plan and Actions – Charlie Koch

10:15-10:30

Introduction & Award of Model Forest Designation –
Bob Perschel (Forest Guild); John Harvey (ACC); Charlie Koch

10:30-1:00

Timber Harvest Tour – Joe English Reservation
Bicentennial and Hemlock Trails