## NYFOA

New York Forest Owners Association

Central New York Chapter

## A SPECIAL WOODSWALK

### **SEPTEMBER 11, 2021**

Hosts Eve Ann Shwartz and Harmon Hoff members of this Central New York Chapter of NYFOA welcome you for a tour of their 20 acre <u>SLASH WALL PROJECT</u>. We want to <u>emphasize the uniqueness of this project</u>. This is the first of this type of project on Private Land and only the second in New York State. Cornell's own ARNOT FOREST has the only other SLASH WALL PROJECT.

The woods walk encompasses a 20 acre Plantation that has been harvested by clear cut. Then a wall of slash averaging 10' high and 20' wide was built around the entire 20 acres. The purpose of this project is to regenerate hardwoods by excluding deer.

This event will be held *rain or shine* and in case of rain the **POOLVILLE COMMUNITY CENTER** will be available for our use. It will be open as well to any members who would prefer staying indoors instead of taking the walk.

LOCATION EARLVILLE take RT 12B for approximately 10 miles south of RT 20 till you come to the one traffic light in Earlville. Turn East at the signal and continue straight for 1 mile [the road changes names 4 times in that distance] till you reach a T in the road. Turn left on Borden Rd. At this point it is 200 yards to the Woods Walk. Google map 42° 44′ 35.8N, 75° 31′ 20.6W

**REGISTRATION** Please contact Ralph Meyer 315-264-1087 or by email <a href="mailto:RalphMeyer330@gmail.com">RalphMeyer330@gmail.com</a>.

Morning coffee, a snack and a light lunch will be provided. If you have particular dietary needs kindly provide your own food. A Porta Potty will be available.

### **PROGRAM**

- **A. INTRODUCTION** by Harmon Hoff
- **B. WOODSWALK** lead by Kellen Murphy, Harmon's Professional Forester for this project.
- C. <u>BRETT CHEDZOY</u> Forester Cornell presenting Arnot Forest Results

- D. PAUL ROMANENKO NY DEC Service Forester for our area. Paul will explain the Regenerate NY Forest Program, E.Q.U.I.P., 480-A and other programs that we are eligible for and may be of assistance to you for your forest land.
- E. PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATION LOOKING TO
  ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS
  NYS TREE FARM PROGRAM, Chair Dan Neuman
  SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FORESTERS
  NY FOREST LOGGING ASSOCIATION
  SOCIETY OF ARBORISTS
  AUDUBON SOCIETY
  FORESTRY PROGRAM SPECIALIST/ CORNELL
  COOPERATIVE EXTENSION KRISTINA FERRARE
  CENTRAL NY NYFOA CHAIR DANIEL ZIMMERMAN
  SOUTHERN TIER CHAPTER NYFOA

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