

MISSISSIPPI PRESCRIBED FIRE COUNCIL

BIENNIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 09-17-26

Forrest County Extension Center

AGENDA

08:30 REGISTRATION

09:15 WELCOME AND COUNCIL UPDATE

Lance Middleton, Coordinator, Mississippi Prescribed Fire Council

09:30 MISSISSIPPI PRESCRIBED FIRE COUNCIL: PAST AND FUTURE

Adam Butler, Wildlife Bureau Deputy Director, MDWFP

09:45 EAST MISSISSIPPI SENTINEL LANDSCAPE

Wade Hinton, Assistant Secretary of State, Mississippi Secretary of State's Office

10:00 BREAK

10:20 IMPROVING PRESCRIBED FIRE ADOPTION AMONG PRIVATE LANDOWNERS

John McGuire, Director – Prescribed Fire Applications, Tall Timbers Research Station

11:00 INCREASING TURKEYS AND DECREASING TICKS WITH RX FIRE STRATEGY

Dr. Marcus Lashley, Professor, University of Florida

11:45 LUNCH SERVED

12:45 WHAT CAN THE FIRE COUNCIL DO FOR YOU?

Lance Middleton, Coordinator, Mississippi Prescribed Fire Council

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Concurrent sessions with opportunities to visit with exhibitors to discussion

COST-SHARE · FIRE SCIENCE · PERMITTING · DRONE USE · TICK DISEASES

TIME	SESSION A	SESSION B
01:00 - 01:45	A1: Certified Rx Burn Manager Refresher <i>Speaker: Mississippi Forestry Commission</i>	B1: Prescribed Burning Insurance <i>Moderator: Tall Timbers Research Station</i>
01:45 - 02:00	BREAK	BREAK
2:00 - 2:45	A2: Certified Rx Burn Manager Refresher <i>Speaker: Mississippi Forestry Commission</i>	B1: Prescribed Fire Research Needs <i>Moderator: Mississippi State University</i>

2:50 – 3:00

CHARGE TO THE MEMBERSHIP AND ADJOURN

<https://www.msfirecouncil.com/events/>

