Details about the Alabama Forestry Commission Alabama Certified Prescribed Burn Manager Program.

For <u>certification</u> and for <u>re-certification</u>.

Instructors: Kent Hanby, RF, CF, CPBM and John Stivers, RF, CF, CPBM

- Who should take the CPBM Certification <u>COURSE</u>? Any forest land owner, forester, wildlife biologist, consultant, contractor, or agency
 personnel who is interested in the use of prescribed wildland fire as a management tool and who is seeking certification should attend.
 Out of state participants are welcome.
- Who should take the CPBM recertification <u>WORKSHOP</u>? Any current Alabama Certified Prescribed Burn Manager who needs the required 6 CEU every 5 years for re-certification should take the workshop.
- These courses/workshops are sponsored and partially funded by the Alabama Forestry Commission. Due to a reduction in government grant funding there is a registration fee to partially cover the cost of the courses and workshops.

Registration:

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. Registration is limited to 40 for courses and 50 for workshops. Please visit http://www.forestry.state.al.us/BurnCourses.aspx to register online. Registration fees can be paid in advance by mailing a check or money order to:

Alabama Forestry Commission, Forest Operations Division

Attn: Bethany Elliott

Post Office Box 302550, Montgomery, AL 36130-2550

The registration fee for courses is \$125. The registration fee for workshops is \$75. For those who do not pay in advance, payment by cash or check will be accepted on the first day of each course and at the beginning of each workshop prior to the start time. Only paid attendees will be allowed to participate in the training sessions. For more information on registration, contact the AFC at 334-240-9334. (DO NOT CONTACT THE COURSE/WORKSHOP LOCATION REGARDING REGISTRATION OR COURSE DETAILS.)

Certification Courses:

Auburn University, School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences August 5 – 8, Tuesday through Friday, 7:30AM 602 Duncan Drive South, Auburn, AL 36849, http://wp.auburn.edu/sfws/about/

Solon Dixon Forestry Education Center

July 14-17, Monday through Thursday, 7:30 AM

12130 Dixon Center Road, Andalusia, AL 36420, 334-222-7779, http://sdfec.auburn.edu/. Arrangements for lodging and meals should be made with Teresa Cannon at the Solon Dixon Center

Guntersville State Park Lodge

September 8 – 11, Monday through Thursday, 7:30 AM

1155 Lodge Drive, Guntersville, AL 35976, 256-505-6634 (direct line), www.alapark.com

Re-certification Workshops:

Alabama 4-H Center

August 27, Wednesday, 8:30 AM

892 4-H Road, Columbiana, AL 35051, 205-669-4241, http://www.aces.edu/4-H-youth/4H-Center/

Reid State Technical College

September 19, Friday, 8:30 AM

Edith A Gray Library and Technology Center, Reid State Technical College, Evergreen, AL 36401

Auburn University, School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences September 25, Thursday, 8:30 AM 602 Duncan Drive South, Auburn, AL 36849, http://wp.auburn.edu/sfws/about/