

## VMC 2006 Annual Meeting Monday, October 30, 2006



sts, Parks & Recreation – The University of Vermont – USDA Green Mountain National Forest LOCATION: Billings North Lounge, University of Vermont Campus

## **AGENDA**

8:30-9:00 am	Registration – Refreshments – Poster Set-Up
9:00 am	Welcome and Introductory Remarks Sean Lawson, Vermont Monitoring Cooperative
9:20 am	Assessing Indicators of Healthy Forests: a web-based application to provide statewide information to natural resource professionals  Sandy Wilmot, Vermont Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation  Phil Girton, Consultant
10:05 am	Long-Term Ecosystem Monitoring Project on Green Mountain National Forest Brian Keel, USDA Green Mountain National Forest Diane Burbank, USDA Green Mountain National Forest
10:40 am	Break - Refreshments and Snacks - Poster Viewing
11:00 am	Climate Change Effects on New England Spruce-Fir Forests: evidence from the past, implications for the future.  Matthew Landis, Middlebury College
11:35 am	Putting Forest Health Monitoring in its Place - The Vermont Long-term Forest Soil Monitoring Project.  Thomas Villars, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service
12:05 pm	Amphibian and Reptile Monitoring at Mt. Mansfield and throughout Vermont <i>Jim Andrews, Middlebury College</i>
12:35 pm	Lunch and poster session
1:30 pm	Benefits of Adding Physiological Measurements to Long-Term Monitoring Efforts: red spruce and sugar maple as examples.  Paul Schaberg, USDA Northeast Forest Experiment Station & University of Vermont Gary Hawley, University of Vermont, RSENR
2:05 pm	Influence of Nutrition and Stress on Sugar Maple at a Regional Scale Scott Bailey, USDA Forest Service, Northern Research Station
2:30 pm	Break
2:45 pm	Inventory and Monitoring Forest Invasive Species with Airborne Remote Sensing: Honeysuckle in the Taconics.  Robert Turner, Consulting Forester, R.J. Turner Company
3:20 pm	Preliminary Results of the 2005 Vermont Acid Lake Biomonitoring Program Heather Pembrook, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation
3:55 pm 4:00 pm	Closing Remarks - Sean Lawson, Vermont Monitoring Cooperative END