Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) Forester Paul Gregory will be leading a tour of the planned 211 acre “Year 1” portion of the Myles Standish State Forest 10 Pine Barrens Restoration. He will discuss forest management techniques to be used in the predominately pitch pine forest to rehabilitate and restore a functioning pitch pine – scrub oak barrens ecosystem. A detailed silviculture prescription for the harvesting operation will be provided to attendees. This tour culminates a public process that included a public meeting and a written comment period for the project.

Meet at the South Regional Headquarters at 194 Cranberry Rd in South Carver. The tour will be conducted rain or shine. Attendees are encouraged to dress for the weather and to wear sturdy shoes.

For additional information about the tours and DCR forest management on state forests, parks, and reservations, please contact William Hill, Management Forestry Program Supervisor, at 413-545-3891.

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