Bureau of Forestry Pre-Harvest Forest Tour
September 4, 2013

September 4, 2013 (3:00 – 5:30 P.M.)
Freetown-Fall River State Forest, Freetown

DCR Forester Paul Gregory will be leading a tour of the 48 acre Co-Peace Timber Sale in Freetown State Forest to discuss forest management techniques in a white pine forest type, provide a view of the trees designated for harvest, and explain how harvest operations will take place. A detailed silviculture prescription for the harvesting operation will be provided to attendees. The tour is a follow up to public process that occurred this past winter and included a public meeting and a written comment period.

Meet at the gated entrance to Haskal Path (forest road), which is approximately 0.4 miles east of South Main Street along Copicut Road. After visiting stand 1, the tour will proceed to the State Forest headquarters on Slab Bridge Road to visit stand 2. 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.