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CERTIFIED GHG CREDIT CERTIFICATE

THIS CERTIFIES THAT CERC, ON BEHALF OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION (NC)

is the owner of Twenty-seven Thousand (27,000) verified Greenhouse Gas Tradable Credits (VGCs) for meeting emissions reductions, which VGCs are qualified as of the date below under the rules and regulations of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under the National Air Pollution Control Administration (NAPCA), and have been duly verified by SRI W Forest, Inc. The VGCs evidenced by this Certificate have been duly transferred from the CRI Registry to CERC, on behalf of the NC, for its sole use in offsetting GHG emissions attributable to the NC.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, Secretary of the National Convention, has hereunto set his hand and the seal of the National Convention, this 18th day of July, 2007.

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8:30 *What are Ecosystem Services? Who are the Major Regional and International Markets and What is Their Volume, Price, Location, and Institutions?* — **Adam Davis**, Forest Trends, San Rafael, CA

9:15 *What do we Know About Ecosystem Markets? Ownership, Public and Private Goods, Market Institutions, Prices, Allocation, and Regulatory Agencies* — **Jeremy Sokulsky**, President, Environmental Incentives, LLC, Lake Tahoe, CA

10:00 Break

Ecosystem Services Business Opportunities in the PNW

10:30 *Linking Buyers and Sellers of Ecosystem Goods and Services in the Willamette River Basin, Oregon* — **David Primozych**, Director, Willamette Partnership, Salem, OR

11:15 **Laurie Wayburn**, President, Pacific Forest Trust, San Francisco, CA

Noon Lunch (Included with your registration.)

1:00 Concurrent Breakout Sessions

Each session will explore a specific area of potential ecosystem services and describe the market mechanics, role of government agencies, potential revenue sources, case histories and agreements/contracts between buyer and seller.

Session A: Species Conservation and Wetland Mitigation Banking

• *Wetland Mitigation Banks in Washington* — **Sky Miller**, Project Manager, Wildlands of Washington, Inc, Marysville, WA

• *The Benefits of Mitigation Banks and the US Fish and Wildlife Perspective on Mitigation Banking* — **Wayne White**, W2 Consulting, retired U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Citrus Heights, CA

• *Conservation Banking for Red-cockaded Woodpeckers on Industrial Forestland* — **Craig Hedman**, Manager-Forest Ecology and Water Resources, International Paper, Bainbridge, GA

Session B: Water Quality Trading

• *Water Quality Trading in the US* — **Claire Schary**, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Water Quality Trading Coordinator, Seattle, WA

• *Involving Landowners in Water Quality Trading: Lessons From Around the Country* — **Bobby Cochran**, Environmental Marketplace Analyst, Clean Water Services, Hillsboro, OR

• *Involving Landowners in Water Quality Trading: The Tualatin Basin Experience* — **Autumn Bryant**, Landowner Incentive Program Specialist, and **Kevin Fenn**, Tualatin Soil and Water Conservation District, Hillsboro, OR

Session C: Forest Carbon Markets

• *Voluntary Carbon Markets and Forestry* **Kate Thomsen**, Trexler Climate + Energy Services, Portland, OR

• *Forest Management of Offset Greenhouse Gas Emissions: On-the-ground Projects, Business Strategies, Financial Analysis and Project Evaluation* — **Gordon Smith**, EcoFor, Seattle, WA

• *Carbon Strategies for Increasing Landowner Values* — **Bettina von Hagen**, Ecotrust, Portland, OR

3:15 *Ecological Services Transactions: Legal Issues and Negotiation Points* — **Greg Corbin**, Stoel Rives LLP, Portland, OR

3:45 *Opportunities and Risks: Workshop Wrap-up* — **Speaker TBA**

4:15 Adjourn

WORKSHOP INFORMATION

Location: The workshop will be held at the Hilton Vancouver in Vancouver, WA located at 301 W 6th St. Parking is available at the Park 'N' Go parking ramp on 6th between Washington and Columbia for \$4 per day. The ramp is just NE of the Hilton. Hilton parking is for overnight guests only at \$8 per day.

Directions to the Hotel: If traveling south on I-5: take the City Center (Vancouver) exit #1C. Turn right onto Mill Plain Boulevard (becomes 15th Street). Turn left onto Columbia Street. The hotel is on the corner of 6th and Columbia. If traveling north on I-5, take I-5 through Portland and over the Interstate Bridge into Washington state. Take the second exit #1B after the bridge, following the City Center signs. Turn left, following the signs to 6th Street. The hotel is on the corner of 6th and Columbia.

Lodging: Reduced rate lodging is available at the Hilton Vancouver for \$98.00 plus tax, single or double. Call 360-993-4500 and mention Western Forestry and Conservation to receive the reduced rate. After December 15, the reduced rate will be subject to availability.

Registration: The registration fee is \$125 if received by January 12, 2007 or \$150 if received after January 12, 2007. The registration fee includes a book of speaker materials, lunch and refreshments. Checks should be made payable to Western Forestry and Conservation Association. Purchase orders, VISA/MasterCard, and American Express are accepted. Tax id # 930-331-712. No refunds for cancellations after January 12, 2007, but substitutions are always welcome. Registration is available on line at www.westernforestry.org

Society of American Foresters CFE credits: By attending this conference, participants will be eligible for 6 CFE hours in Category 1 and a form will be available on-site.

Registration questions?

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