

You are invited to attend:



LOCAL LUMBER

Connecting woodworkers with locally produced material

The Local Food movement has driven the growth of small farms and farmer's markets across the country. Local markets are thronged with buyers looking for the best and freshest produce. Locally sourced and sustainably harvested lumber products provide the same level of benefits to the producer and to the consumer. Local wood products have much less environmental impact than imported materials, and the economic benefits of supporting local businesses are significant. Creating a local lumber movement requires a similar level of commitment and coordination between suppliers, craftsmen and consumers.

The goal of this conference is to explore the opportunities and identify the ways in which suppliers, craftsmen and advocates can work together to create a local lumber movement. What is it that craftsmen need from suppliers? Where do builders find locally produced millwork and interior finishes? How do we support a consistent supply of materials from local well managed forests?

The seminar brings together local wood suppliers, craftsmen and wood product manufacturers to explore the benefits and opportunities for using locally sourced wood. Vendors will showcase lumber products from local small woodland owners, small mills and small manufacturers.

Schedule:

12:30 Tim Lawson – Creating the local lumber connection
1:00 Kirk Hanson – FSC lumber from local small woodland owners
1:45 Break
2:00 Chad Davis – FSC certification for wood manufacturers
2:45 Jake Jacob – Salvaged lumber
3:30 Break
3:45 David Kotz – Sourcing & manufacturing local wood products
4:30 Tim Lawson – Closing comments & group discussion
5:00 End

COST: \$25.

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required as space is limited. Please submit registration form on back side of this flier, along with payment, to register.

Contact Kirk Hanson for more information at 360-316-9317 or kirk@nnerg.org.

**October 1st, 2011
Fort Worden**

Bldg 204
200 Battery Way
Port Townsend, WA 98368

Sponsored by:



Speakers

Tim Lawson

[Port Townsend School of Woodworking](#)

Kirk Hanson

[Northwest Certified Forestry](#)

Jake Jacob

[Pacific Northwest Timbers](#)

Chad Davis

[Healthy Forests, Healthy Communities Partnership](#)

David Kotz

[Coyote Woodshop](#)

Vendors:

1. Heritage Millworks: www.heritagemillworksllc.com/
2. Coyote Woodshop: <http://www.coyotewoodshop.com/>
3. Pacific Northwest Timbers: www.pacificnorthwesttimbers.com/
4. Smyth Lumber Mill: www.smythlumbermill.com/
5. Healthy Forests, Healthy Communities Partnership: <http://www.sustainablenorthwest.org/programs/forests/hfhc>
6. Waltz Lumber
7. Northwest Sustainable Wood Products

**Registration Form for Local Lumber Seminar
October 1st, 2011
Fort Worden, Port Townsend, WA**

Name: _____

Business: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Registration: # attending _____ x \$25 = \$_____

**To register, mail payment to:
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