

You're invited to attend:

Carbon Markets for Small Woodland Owners **An Introduction to NW Neutral®**



Dates:

March 12th: Oakville, WA

June 2nd: Carnation, WA

More info & to register: <http://www.nnrg.org/news-events/events>

Time: 9:00 – 5:00

Cost: \$25

Workshop description

Forests in the Pacific Northwest can play an important role in sequestering and storing atmospheric carbon dioxide. Through careful management and monitoring, forest owners and managers can position themselves to participate in emerging carbon offset markets and develop an additional income stream by selling the “ecosystem services” their forests provide.

The Northwest Natural Resource Group’s new carbon offset program, NW Neutral®, assists small woodland owners with inventorying and monitoring carbon pools in their forests and connecting them with high value markets. This full-day training seminar, exclusively for members of Northwest Certified Forestry, will introduce landowners to the carbon marketplace, how NW Neutral® accounts for forest-based carbon offsets, and the higher values offered by selling carbon offsets through NW Neutral®.

Topics will include:

- * Carbon markets 101
- * Understanding baseline, additionality, permanence and other carbon offset criteria
- * Forest biomass inventory data collection requirements
- * Carbon contracts and other legal issues
- * Carbon offset case studies under NW Neutral®
- * And more...

For more details on this workshop, contact Kirk Hanson, kirk@nnrg.org, 360-316-9317.

To register for the workshop, mail in the attached registration form, along with your registration fee.

For more information on NW Neutral[®], please visit: www.nwneutral.org.