

# Governor's Council on Forestry: November 17 & 18, 2021

*Virtual Meeting via Zoom: Registration link for each day is below*

Council Members		
<input type="checkbox"/> Tom Hittle, <i>Chair</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Henry Schienebeck	<input type="checkbox"/> William Van Lopik
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Next Meeting: January 12-13, 2021		

## Agenda

<b>November 17</b> <a href="#">Register for the Zoom meeting here</a>	<b>Notes: Decisions, Action Items, Assignments</b>
<b>2:00 PM</b> Welcome (Chair Hittle)	
<b>2:05 PM</b> <b>Project ideas, industry initiatives, grant proposals</b> Purpose: Better understand the recent project ideas, how they fit together, who's involved, and what the Council's role can be <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1) Build Back Better Regional Challenge Grant</b> (Stacey Johnson, Vice President for Forestry, Transportation &amp; Workforce Relations, WI Paper Council)</li> <li><b>2) Maple Wood Markets Transformation</b> (Paul Fowler, Executive Director WI Institute for Sustainable Technology, UWSP)</li> <li><b>3) Advanced Manufacturing Engineering Technology and Apprenticeship Center, Mid-State Technical College</b> (Bobbi Damrow, Vice President of Workforce &amp; Economic Development, Mid-State Technical College)</li> </ol>	
<b>3:00 PM Break</b>	
<b>3:10 PM</b> <b>Wood Innovation Grants and New Markets for WI Wood</b> (Patrick Rappold, Regional Wood Utilization Specialist, US Forest Service)	

3:40 PM Updates on Mass Timber Building Codes in WI (Jennifer Garrett, Communications Director, Department of Safety and Professional Services)	
4:00 PM End of Meeting	
<b>November 18</b> <a href="#">Register for the Zoom meeting here</a>	<b>Notes: Decisions, Action Items, Assignments</b>
8:00 AM Welcome (Chair Hittle) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member Introductions</li> </ul>	
8:20 AM Chair Update	
8:30 AM Open Forum for Council Members	
9:00 AM Council Profile Committee Update (Kerkman, Van Lopik)	
9:30 AM Support, Develop, and Diversify Wisconsin's Forest Products Industry: (Hittle, Samuel Pratch - UW Extension) Purpose: review and discuss outcomes from the Listening Sessions; discuss how the Council moves the outcomes toward the variety of initiatives (e.g., REDS, Road Map) and Council actions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Listening Session Outcomes Update - Review and Discussion</li> <li>Next Steps</li> </ul>	
<b>10:15 AM BREAK</b>	
10:30 AM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(continue previous topic)</li> </ul>	
11:30 AM Legislative Updates	
11:45 PM State Forester Updates (Berklund)	
12:00 PM End of meeting	