

# #ItTakesAForest

Forests Ontario's Annual Conference

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FEBRUARY, 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017



NOTTAWASAGA INN, ALLISTON

8:00 AM–9:00 AM	Registration and Networking	
9:00 AM–9:20 AM	Welcome - #ItTakesAForest – Rob Keen, CEO	
9:20 AM–10:00 AM	Opening Keynote - Our Forests Matter – David Nanang, Director General, Great Lakes Forestry Centre	
10:00 AM–10:15 AM	Visit Auction and Exhibits	
	<b>It Takes A Forest...</b>	
	<b>STREAM 1</b>	
	<b>STREAM 2</b>	
10:15 AM–11:15 AM Concurrent Sessions	<b>... to keep us healthy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Forest herbs and plants –Ethan Huner, Algonquins of Ontario</li><li>• Healthy Forests, Healthy Communities –Kevin Haley and Barb Davies, York Region</li></ul>	<b>... to support our communities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Northern Ontario – David Canfield, Mayor of Kenora</li><li>• Southern Ontario – OMAFRA</li><li>• First Nations - TBD</li></ul>
11:30 AM–12:30 PM Concurrent Sessions	<b>... to build and create</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Building with Wood –TBD</li><li>• Alternative wood products and the bioeconomy –Scott Wiebe, MNRF</li></ul>	<b>... to help wildlife thrive</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wildlife habitat in your woodlot– Fleming College</li><li>• Deer habitat–Mark Ryckman, OFAH</li></ul>
12:30 PM–2:00 PM	Auction— Lunch— Networking	
	Awards Ceremony –Special Announcement	
2:15 PM–3:30 PM	<b>... to fight Climate Change</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Managing your forest for climate change –Steve D'Eon, Forest Stewardship</li><li>• Opportunities for landowners in carbon markets –Kerry McLaven, Forests Ontario</li><li>• Cap and Trade - what it means for our forests – Patrick Wylie, MNRF</li><li>• Carbon business opportunities – TBD</li></ul>	
3:30 PM–4:00 PM	Concluding Plenary –Lessons Learned: How to talk trees – Office Bureau	