NOTES:
- All participants must bring a sack lunch.
- DNR has reserved 3 vans for carpool from Olympia.

6:30AM: Leave Olympia.
Meet at P1 Parking lot of NRB in Olympia for carpool.

8:30AM: Arrive at Chimacum Café
9253 Rhody Drive; Highway 19, Beaver Valley Road off Highway 104
Meet Bill Hermann and Norm Schaaf for short drive to current harvest site. Watch Hermann Bros. biomass harvest in action.

Guest Speakers:
Jason Cross, ONRC. He will provide an update on findings of ONRC study. He will discuss: How much is typically left on site after harvest of course/fine woody debris; where the majority of soil nutrients come from.
DNR Forester, DNR. Details to follow.

9:30: Leave harvest site for Evergreen Fibre.
Drive via Anderson Lake Road to Highway 20, then to Highway 101 at Discovery Bay, then to Evergreen Fibre (404 Eclipse Industrial Parkway, Port Angeles).

10:30: Arrive at Evergreen Fibre
Bill Hermann will take group on a tour of hog fuel manufacturing and marketing from all sources.
Park any private vehicles there for carpooling and later return, if necessary.

11:00: Leave Port Angeles for Merrill & Ring Pysht block
Highway 112 milepost 29, Pysht River Road.
Group will meet at lodge for brown bag lunch and restroom break. Arrive 12:00, lunch to 12:30.

12:30: Arrive at Merrill & Ring.
See pre- and post-biomass harvest sites, including cable and ground-based units, forest health salvage harvest.

Guest Speaker
Ted Alison, DNR Forest Practices Forester. He will describe how forest practice rules are applied/enforced on biomass harvest sites.

2:30 Leave site and drive back to Olympia.
**General directions to get to Chimacum:**

From Olympia:

*Option 1*: Take I-5 to Tacoma, exit onto Highway 16. Cross Tacoma Narrows bridge and continue to Highway 3 at Bremerton, on to Hood Canal Bridge Highway 104. Turn onto Chimacum Beaver Valley Road (Highway 19) and proceed to Chimacum. Approximately 2 hours from Olympia.

*Option 2*: Take highway 101 up Hood Canal to Quilcene. Veer right onto Chimacum Center Road, cross High 104 and continue on to intersection with Highway 19 in Chimacum. Approx 2 hours from Olympia, less traffic and rural roads.

From Seattle:

*Option 1*: Take Edmonds ferry to Kingston and head onto Highway 104, then follow directions as in Route 1 above across Hood Canal bridge, approx 30 minutes from Kingston Ferry landing.

*Option 2*: Take Bainbridge ferry, onto Highway 305 through Poulsbo to Highway 3, then follow directions as in Route 1 to Chimacum, approx 45 minutes from Bainbridge Ferry landing.