Coast Silviculture Committee 2012 Summer Workshop Program Day one

Thursday June 21 st 2012					
Time	Location	Activity	Presenter		
8:30 to 10:15 –	Workshop Regis	stration at the Mission Best Western	City Lodge		
10:15	Mission	Depart from the Mission Best Western City Lodge for the Mission Municipal Forest.			
10:45- 12:30	Stop# 1 Mission Municipal Forest Blk DA100	Western Red cedar plantation - spaced and pruned (2 lifts). Research and direction	Introductions by Kim Allan RPF Director of Forest Management, Mission Municipal Forest Louise de Montigny PhD, RPF Research Scientist, MFLNRO Mel Scott RPF		
12:30 - 2:00	Stop #2 Mission Municipal Forest Blk HL7	"To space or not space" Is that the question?	Jeff McWilliams RPF B.A. Blackwell and Assoc. Alec Orr-Ewing ATE RFT A. Orr-Ewing and Assoc.		
2:15 - 3:15	Stop #3 Mission Municipal Forest Blk HLT 2	Planning for Fertilization & Commercial Thinning Problems & issues of getting FERT projects completed	Bob O'Neal RPF, Forestry Manager, Mission Municipal Forest Mike Crane Assistant Engineer, Teal Jones Debra Soutar, RPF, Westpark Industrial Enterprises Ltd.		
3:30 - 4:30	Stop #4 Mission Municipal Forest BLK HL 2A	Introduction of the "Post Incremental Treatment Assessment - PITA" concept, objectives and procedures; As well as Spacing & Pruning (1 lift); a case of lost in the woods.	Dave Weaver RPF, Silviculture Performance Assessment Specialist MFLNRO Ann Peter RPF, Stewardship Forester, MFLNRO - Chilliwack		
5:00		Return to the Mission Best Western City Lodge			
5:30	Best Western City Lodge	No-host bar at 5:30 Dinner at 6:30 Presentation at 7:30 Presentation on Central European forestry practices	Michel Vallee RPF, VIU Forestry Department		

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Friday June 22 nd 2012					
8:30	Depart from the Mission Best Western City Lodge for the Malcolm Knapp Research Forest				
9:45 - 11:00	Stop #1 UBC's Malcolm Knapp Forest	Harry Smith's 1957 spacing trials. Does spacing and density really make a difference andshould we care about growing our forests for wood quality?	Cheryl Power RPF, Resident Forester Malcolm Knapp Research Forest		
			Cosmin Filipescu PhD, Research Scientist, CFS Victoria		
11:15 - 11:45	Stop #2	Commercial Thinning – why when and where?	Cheryl Power RPF		
			Paul Lawson RPF,		
			Director, UBC Research Forests		
12:00 - 1:00		BBQ Lunch at Loon Lake			
1:15 - 2:45	Stop #3	A preliminary evaluation of incremental silvicultural prescriptions – 25 years after treatment.	Cheryl Power RPF Gordon Weetman PhD		
		Can we have quality & quantity or must we choose?	Professor Emeritus, UBC Faculty of Forestry		
		We will also discuss stand density diagrams, TASS and the value of the Industrial Challenge plots at the Malcolm Knapp Forest.	Jerry Kennah RPF, Manager BCTS (retired) Jim Goudie, Team Lead, Stand Development Modeling, MFLNRO		
3:00		Closing remarks			