

**Prescribed Fire Techniques for Wildlife:
A Training for Private Landowners
February 28-29, 2012**

**UF/IFAS Leon County Extension Office
615 Paul Russell Road, Tallahassee, FL 32301**

Training Schedule

Day 1

- 8:00-9:00 Check in and Orientation
- 9:00-9:30 Basic Wildlife Habitat Management Principles as they Relate to Fire
- 9:30-10:00 Planning: Providing Optimal Wildlife Benefits
- 10:00-10:30 Prescribed Fire Recommendations for Northern Bobwhites and other Grassland Birds
- 10:30-11:00 Prescribed Fire Recommendations for Turkey
- 11:00-11:30 Prescribed Fire Recommendations for White-tailed Deer
- 11:30-12:00 Prescribed Fire in Wetlands
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch (Provided)
- 13:00-13:30 Prescribed Fire Recommendations for Panther and Bear
- 13:30-14:00 Prescribed Fire Recommendations for Bald Eagle and Red Cockaded Woodpecker
- 14:00-15:00 Panel Discussion- Prescribed Fire Ignition Techniques and Rx Parameters for Wildlife
- 15:00-17:30 Field Exercise: Fire and Wildlife
- 17:30 19:30 Dinner and Socializing (Provided)

Day 2

- 8:30-9:00: Documentation and Evaluation of Wildlife Response to Prescribed Fire
- 9:00-9:30: Prescribed Fire Challenges and Opportunities
- 9:30-10:00: Sources of Assistance for Prescribed Burning
- 10:00-10:30 Prescribed Fire Safety
- 10:30-11:00 Prescribed Fire Management on Public Lands
- 11:00-12:00 Presentations on Field Exercises
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch (Provided)
- 1:00-2:00 Final Exam
- 2:00-2:30 Wrap-up, Evaluations and adjourn

Training participants qualify for Certified Prescribed Burn Manager CEUs.
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