





## Call for Abstracts Now Available

The Maine Chapter of The Wildlife Society along with the Maine Division of Society of American Foresters, New England Society of American Foresters (NESAF), and the Northeastern Forest Pest Council (NEFPC) are hosting "Adapt. Adopt. Advance: Resiliency in Natural Resource Management". This interdisciplinary conference will bring together foresters, wildlife biologists, and natural resource professionals at the Cross Insurance Center on March 8-10, 2017 in Bangor, Maine. This conference will focus on a series of concurrent panel presentations, field trips, and indoor workshops that highlight current research and give resource professionals the tools necessary to successfully manage all our forest resources. A complete agenda with registration will be posted at <a href="https://www.nesaf.org">www.nesaf.org</a>.

The Maine Chapter of The Wildlife Society is now accepting abstracts for oral presentations and posters. A series of 6 panel themes will target current wildlife-related research of interest to conference participants. Panel topics are oriented towards issues related to the influence of our changing environment on wildlife and habitats and are comprised of the following themes:

- Birds
- Herptiles
- Mammals
- Invertebrates
- Rare species and rare natural communities
- Impacts of forestry practices on wildlife

Individual panels will consist of a moderator and up to 4 speakers. Each session will span a 90-minute period and coincide with other ongoing NESAF and NEFPC presentations to allow conference attendees to choose personal topics of interest.

Deadline for submission is Friday, December 23. Please submit abstracts to Kara Moody at <a href="mailto:kmoody@trcsolutions.com">kmoody@trcsolutions.com</a>, and contact either Steve Pelletier at <a href="mailto:steve.pelletier@stantec.com">steve.pelletier@stantec.com</a> or Kara Moody at <a href="mailto:kmoody@trcsolutions.com">kmoody@trcsolutions.com</a> with any questions.