

# Save the Date!

## Help Plan the Forest's Future



### Date and Location

- February 26, 2013
- Holiday Inn Charleston Airport & Convention Center -  
5264 International Blvd.,  
North Charleston, SC  
29418
- 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

### Who should attend?

- County & Local Governments
- Non-Government Organizations
- Recreation Groups
- Recreation Users
- Local Communities
- Private Landowners
- Public Lands Managers
- State & Federal Agencies
- Anyone Interested in Recreation

*This workshop is open to the public.*

*All are welcome.*

*Announcement to follow*

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**WHEN:** Tuesday, February 26, 2013  
3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

**WHAT:** Workshop with the U.S. Forest Service to:

- Talk about outdoor recreation and tourism on the Francis Marion National Forest
- Receive invaluable one-on-one training and interaction with a new, online collaboration tool

**WHERE:** Holiday Inn Charleston Airport & Convention Center

### *Announcement to Follow*

Please join us on Feb. 26 to share what you value most about the Francis Marion National Forest, where you like to play on the forest and your vision for the forest's future in providing recreation and eco-tourism. This interactive, dynamic workshop is the next Community Conversation that will benefit all users as we journey together to develop strategies for sustainable forest management into the next decade.

Together, we will explore:

- How the Forest Plan Revision Process works
- What "Sustainable Recreation Management" really means
- How the Francis Marion National Forest plays a unique role in recreation
- Specific recreation opportunities visitors value, desire and need
- Opportunities for eco-tourism
- How to stay engaged in the Forest Plan Revision Recreation Assessment
- Ways to interact with online collaboration tools
- How to generate robust public input
- Future collaboration efforts in the Forest Plan Revision Process

*We look forward to your participation as the Forest Service works to sustain the health, diversity and productivity of the forests and grasslands to meet the needs of present and future generations on the Francis Marion National Forest.*