**COFE 2017**

**“Forest Engineering, from Where We’ve Been, to Where We’re Going”**

**July 30 – August 2, 2017**

**Agenda Outline**

Sunday 7/30 Travel Day

 4:30pm-7:30pm Registration

 5:00pm-6:30pm Executive Committee Meeting

 6:30pm-8:00pm Evening Social/Reception at the hotel

 Dinner on your own

Monday 7/31 7:30am Registration

7:30am-8:30am Breakfast

 8:30am-10:00am General (Plenary) Session

 10:00am-10:30am Break

 10:30am-12:00pm General (Plenary) Session

 12:00pm-1:00pm Lunch

 1:00pm-2:30pm Concurrent Sessions A & B

 4 presentations, 20 minutes ea., for each room

 2:30pm-3:00pm Break

 3:00pm-4:30pm Concurrent Sessions C & D

 Same format as above

 6:30-8:30 Dinner – Bus leaves hotel @6:00pm

 Travel to The Sea Dog Restaurant in Bangor for dinner and awards

 presentation. If time permits and can be arranged, perhaps an

 historic tour of Bangor prior to dinner.

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**Agenda Outline (cont.)**

Tuesday 8/1 7:00am-7:45am Breakfast

 8:00am Bus leaves for travel to active Logging Operation, Location TBD

 Tour the operation, interview the contractor/operators

 Travel to Leonard’s Mills

12:00pm Bean hole bean Lunch; tour of the facility with discussions and presentations about the different mills and equipment

 Travel to U of Maine

 3:00 pm Tour the Advanced Structures and Composites Lab

 Travel to Steam Plant Lot along the Stillwater River

 5:30pm Van for companions departs the hotel for dinner

 6:00pm-8:00pm Dinner along the river: Lobster feed

 8:30pm Arrive back at the hotel.

Wednesday 8/2

 7:00am-7:45am Breakfast

 7:45am-8:30am COFE Business Meeting & Announcements; 2018 & 2019 COFE

 8:30am-10:00am Concurrent Sessions E & F

 10:00am-10:30am Break

 10:30am-12:00pm Concurrent Sessions G & H

 12:00pm-1:00pm Lunch

 1:00pm-2:30pm Concurrent Sessions I & J

 2:30pm-3:00pm Break

 3:00pm-4:30pm Concurrent Sessions K & L

 Dinner on your own