

Westfield Highlands Forest Partnership

Fall Meeting:

Local ~~Global Warming~~

What impacts will climate change have *here*?
What can we do about it?

**Stanton Hall
Route 20, Huntington MA**

**Thursday, October 25th, 2007
6:30 – 8:30 pm**

FREE and open to the public

- What effects of climate change are we seeing on the ground in western MA?
- How will our woods and rivers change?
- How will local industries and businesses be affected?
- **What can we do to help?**

Please join Frank Lowenstein and Steve Long from The Nature Conservancy, Paul Barten from UMass, and representatives of local organizations to answer these questions and more

You'll leave the meeting with ideas, tools, and connections to local organizations that you can use to make a real impact, starting now. For more information, please contact Laura Marx at 413-354-7780, lmrx@tnc.org, or 19 Main Street, Chester MA 01011.

The Westfield Highland Forest Partnership includes, among others, these local groups: Western MA Fly Fishing Association, Snowmobile Association of Western Massachusetts, UMass Extension, Westfield State College Environmental Center, Highland Communities Initiative (The Trustees of Reservations), Hilltown CDC, representatives from MA Dept. of Conservation and Recreation and MA Dept. of Fish and Game, Berkshire Environmental Action Team, Berkshire Natural Resources Council, The Nature Conservancy, and many individual landowners. Join or find out more at: WestfieldHighlandsPartnership.org