# 2013 Intertribal Nursery Council Annual Meeting JOINT HOSTED MEETING OF: White Mountain Apache Tribe & Western Forestry & Conservation Association

### Annual meeting and Workshop:

2013 marks the 13<sup>th</sup> annual Intertribal Nursery Council (INC) meeting and 11<sup>th</sup> annual INC nursery training workshop. We are pleased to announce this year's gathering will be hosted jointly by the Western Forestry & Conservation Nursery Association and the White Mountain Apache Tribe. The event will be held **September 10-11**, in **Pinetop, Arizona**.

### Tour and Dinner

Tours will be Tuesday afternoon (September 10) and will include a visit to the White Mountain Apache Tribal Forestry Nursery and a visit to the Apache Cultural Center and Museum. A traditional-style dinner from the host tribe will follow later in the evening.

### **Nursery Training Workshop**

Since the publication of the USDA Agricultural Handbook 730, *Nursery Manual for Native Plants: A Guide for Tribal Nurseries*, the INC has initiated the teaching of Nursery Training Modules taken directly from the manual. These modules cover content from the publication's individual chapters, in addition to the latest information available since publication. This year's modules will cover **Water Quality and Irrigation** and possibly another topic TBD; the modules will be taught Wednesday morning.

### A Call for Presentations

The INC hosts are seeking a few more speakers for this year's annual meeting. In the past, presentation topics included overviews or updates from tribal nurseries, restoration efforts using native plants, native plant research projects, and conservation education efforts. If you or someone you know would like to present a topic, please contact Jeremy as soon as possible. Presentations will be held Tuesday and Wednesday morning (September 10 and 11). Presenters will have the opportunity to publish their presentations as papers in the National Nursery Proceedings, a USDA Forest Service publication.

### **Travel Grants**

The USDA Forest Service has secured grant money to help pay travel and registration costs for individuals attending the INC nursery meeting. A **limited number** of grants are available and will be awarded to students and tribes with limited or no travel funds. Priority will be given to those tribes that have nurseries, or are in the planning stages of nursery development. Contact Jeremy to have a grant application sent to you.

### Location and Lodging

Activities and lodging will take place Tuesday and Wednesday at the Hon-Dah Resort Casino in Pinetop, Arizona (located at 777 Arizona 260). A limited number of reduced rate rooms are available by mentioning the "Tribal Nursery Meeting." Discounted rates start at \$89/night (tax included); call 800-929-8744 for reservations. Discounted rates expire **August 28**.



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#### **CONFERENCE LOCATION**

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### REGISTRATION

The registration fee is \$200 if received by 30 August 2013, or \$250 if received after 30 August 2013. The registration fee includes lunches (Tuesday and Wednesday), refreshments (all days), and a Traditional dinner (please let us know if you have any special dietary requirements). Checks should be made payable to Western Forestry and Conservation Association. Purchase orders, VISA/MasterCard, Discover, and American Express are accepted. Tax id # 930-331-712. No refunds for cancellations after 30 August, but substitutions are always welcome. Registration is available online at www.westernforestry.org

### **REGISTRATION FORM**



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### PAYMENT METHOD

	AMOUNT					
BEFORE August 30	\$200	1.	Please make check payable to:			
AFTER August 30	\$250	WFCA 4033 SW Canyon Rd.		Rd.		
Traditional Dinner	<b>\$0</b> Yes / No		Portland, OR 97221, USA			
(Please indicate your attendance)		2.	Purchase order #			
QUESTIONS?	10-	3.	Charge to:	мс	VISA	AmEx
Call 888-722-9416 or 503-226-4562		5.	(please circle)	ine	VISA	
Or email Michele@westernforestry.org				25		
Western Forestry and Conservation Association			Account #			
4033 SW Canyon Rd. • Portland, OR 97221			Expiration Date		Security Code (on back of card)	
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