

ENVISIONING THE FUTURE OF THE CUMBERLAND PLATEAU



CUMBERLAND MOUNTAIN STATE PARK
OCTOBER 28TH, 2005

9:30 – 10:00

Arrivals, Registration, and Refreshments

10:00 – 10:10

Welcome and Workshop Introduction

- Charles Brockett, Project Coordinator
- Brock Hill, Mayor of Cumberland County

10:10 – 11:10

1st Panel Session: *Land Use: Agriculture, Forestry, and Conservation*

State Officials:

- Bruce Anderson, Assistant Regional Manager, TWRA
- Patricia Clark, Assistant Commissioner, Department of Agriculture
- Tami Coleman, CENTS Coordinator, Department of Education
- Ron Blaylock, Field Supervisor, Department of Education
- Jeanne Stevens, Director of Planning Division, Department of Transportation

County Mayors:

- Monty Adams, Franklin County
- John Mullinix, Fentress County
- Brock Hill, Cumberland County

Moderator: Charles Brockett, Professor of Political Science, Sewanee: The University of the South

11:10 – 12:10

1st Break Out Session

12:15 – 1:15

Lunch

- Cumberland Plateau Natural Heritage Corridor Slide Show, Alliance for the Cumberlands
- Music Provided by *Glory in the Meeting House*

Keynote Address: Commissioner Jim Fyke, Department of Environment and Conservation

1:15 – 1:30

Short Break

1:30 – 2:30

2nd Panel Session: *Economic Development and Environmental Protection*

State Officials:

- Dan Hawk, Director of Local Planning Assistance, ECD
- Dan Eagar, Manager, TDEC Water Pollution Control
- Tom Lightsey, Assistant Commissioner, Department of Tourism Development
- Alan Jones, Environmental Policy Advisor, Department of Transportation

County Mayors:

- Carolyn Houston, Van Buren County
- Howell Moss, Marion County
- Herd Sullivan, White County

Moderator: David Feldman, Professor of Political Science, University of Tennessee - Knoxville

2:30 – 3:30

2nd Break Out Session

3:30 – 3:35

Closing