

BIOCHAR FOR RECLAMATION & RANGE LAND IMPROVEMENT

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BIOCHAR NOW, BERTHOUD CO – www.biocharnow.com



WHEN: October 19, 2013. Pick a two hour period that works for your busy schedule. Sessions will start at 10:00am, 12:30pm, and 2:30pm. All sessions cover the same material.

WHERE: The gravel pit south of 15021 South Perry Park Road, Larkspur, CO 80118 About 1.3 miles north of Palmer Lake. Watch for signs near the jog in the road.

TOPIC: This free workshop is intended to be the first of three annual workshops that will follow the results of applying combinations of biochar, grass seed, and fertilizer to test plots located in an abandoned gravel pit. The initial application of biochar will be purchased from BiocharNow in Berthoud CO to get the test plots installed. As the owners of this property implement their forest management plan, the slash produced will be the feedstock for experiments in producing biochar on-site.

FORMAT: Due to limited parking at this gravel pit, the workshop will be conducted as three sequential, duplicate two hour workshops. A web-based signup sheet is available where you can select a time slot that works for you. Visit this site [RSVP Here](#).

Each group of visitors will proceed through three stations where they will be introduced to:

- Biochar – what is it? How is it made? What is it good for?
- Reclamation – History of the pit. Why biochar? Configuration of the test plots.
- Forest Management – What will implementation of the plan accomplish?

After visiting all three stations, visitors are free to leave. This will help the next set of visitors by freeing up limited parking space.

PLEASE COME PREPARED: Weather in mid-October is typically very comfortable, however, it could also be cold and wet. Please bring clothes to match whatever that day brings to us. The ground is rocky and uneven. Sturdy footwear is recommended for all. The forestry portion requires hiking through the forest off trail. This portion is optional.

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