



# WILDLIFE HABITAT VOLUNTEER WORK PROJECT



## SLATE LAKES GRASSLAND RESTORATION



**-WHEN-**  
**JULY 15-16, 2017**

**-WHERE-**  
**UNIT 7W OFF OF HWY 180 NORTHWEST  
OF FLAGSTAFF**

(APPROXIMATELY 30 MILES NORTHWEST ON HWY 180 FROM FLAGSTAFF)

**-DESCRIPTION-**  
The Arizona Elk Society will be hand cutting small jack pine trees and junipers to open grassland meadows to benefit wildlife by resetting the ecological clock for the grasslands. Over time the conifers from the surrounding forest invaded the grassland winter range and blocked vital connectivity for wildlife. The elk and antelope need our help to remove the invading trees to restore the grasslands.

**-TOOLS-**  
You can bring BRANCH LOPPERS & HANDSAWS and gloves if you have them. We have tools for everyone. (DO NOT BRING CHAINSAWS) Please make sure to bring appropriate hats, long sleeve shirts, safety glasses, sunblock etc. Be prepared for cool mornings and possibly rain. Old clothes are recommended for those working with the trees and sharp tools.

**-CAMPING-**  
Take HWY 180 NW out of Flagstaff about 30 miles to FR191 near Mile Marker 242.5. Head SW about 1/2 mi to CAMP, look for signs. Space will be available for vehicles, tents and RV camping. Porta-Johns and wash stations will be available in camp.

**-MEALS-**  
We will be providing meals Friday night, Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner, and Sunday breakfast and some lunch on Sunday. Water and refreshments will be available in camp.

We are a family oriented organization; however projects are potentially dangerous working with sharp saws, barbed wire, power tools and vehicles. Kids under 18 need to be supervised by an adult.

**- PLEASE RSVP -**

**Please register  
on the Website!**

**[www.arizonaelksociety.org](http://www.arizonaelksociety.org)**

*Please preregister to get a count for food needs.*

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Don't forget to sign up for the Arizona Elk Society email newsletter.  
For more information or to volunteer for one or all of the work projects please contact  
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