

Society for Range Management

59th Annual Meeting
& Trade Show

SRM Rangelands to Rainforests
Vancouver, British Columbia
February 12-17, 2006

Welcome To Beautiful Vancouver, B.C.

Join us in beautiful Vancouver, B.C. to exhibit your company, and your goods and services in this important conference focused on managing, conserving, and sustaining productivity of the world's rangelands.

In addition to presenting your products and services at your booth, there are abundant opportunities for meeting and informal networking with conference attendees.

- ◆ The Exhibit Hall for the Trade Show is central to the meeting events and seminars, so it will be effortless for conference attendees to visit your booth.
- ◆ Set up the day before and enjoy two and a half days of showcasing your company while you meet old friends and greet new clients.
- ◆ The Trade Show Mixer, a social held the first night of the Trade Show, provides an ideal opportunity for casual introductions and informal networking.
- ◆ A Food Court with refreshments served inside the Exhibit Hall is designed to draw participants in and keep them circulating. With wholesome and economical food choices, participants will congregate in the Exhibit Hall during breaks.
- ◆ Sponsorship opportunities are also available and can provide you with added exposure, in print and in person, pre-event and throughout the conference. See the detailed descriptions on our conference website (<http://www.rangelands.org/Vancouver2006>) to determine what level of sponsorship would best suit your company or organization.

Exceptional Participants

The SRM Annual Meeting & Trade Show brings you to **the largest group of professionals** involved in every aspect of managing rangeland resources.

At the SRM 2006 Trade Show you will have the opportunity to **discuss your products and services with the people who count.**

SRM membership includes land managers, ecologists, ranchers, erosion control specialists, educators and scientists, and decision makers in state and federal government agencies responsible for public land management.

Established in 1948, SRM has over 4,000 professional and scientific members in 48 countries, dedicated to managing the world's rangeland resources.

The 2006 SRM Annual Meeting provides a true International experience in Vancouver, B.C. The opportunity to reach out to an untouched audience is at hand at this meeting. Don't miss it!!

Rangelands To Rainforests

The theme of the Annual Meeting is "Rangelands to Rainforests" covering topics such as:

- ◆ Riparian Areas and Wetlands
- ◆ Non-traditional Rangeland Organisms: Birds, Insects, and Pathogens
- ◆ Fire Ecology
- ◆ Ecological Management: Past, Present, and Future
- ◆ Wildlife Habitat Management
- ◆ Animal Population Management in Rangeland Ecosystems
- ◆ Changing Livestock Production Environment
- ◆ Enterprise Diversification: Wildlife, Recreation, etc.
- ◆ Land Subdivision and New Land Users
- ◆ Open Space Conservation

The Commercial and Non-Commercial Exhibitor booth fee includes one free registration to attend the conference meetings and seminars.

The conference will host more than 50 symposia, technical sessions, and workshops with more than 400 posters and presentations aimed at attracting the most diverse group of natural resource professionals ever attending a meeting focused on rangeland resources!

Membership In The Society For Range Management

If you are a leader in the rangeland management industry, or seek to rise in this industry, what better way to increase your involvement and show your support than by becoming a member of SRM. For "SRM Commercial Members" exhibitor booth fees are discounted \$150.

For information on how to become a member, click the "Join SRM" link at: www.rangelands.org

SRM is committed to finding science-based solutions to the issues that impact the world's rangelands. The Society's goal is to ensure that rangeland resources are sustained in perpetuity.

Customs and Shipping Logistics for Exhibitors

Think that shipping to an International destination will be difficult? It doesn't have to be! SRM has contracted with "Events On The Move" to facilitate the movement of materials across the border with ease.

Events on the Move has been selected as the Official Supplier for Customs Brokerage, Shipping, Warehousing and on-site Material Handling for this year's conference. There are two options for exhibitors to get their materials to Vancouver. The second option, shipping your materials through Events on the Move, is strongly recommended as it provides the simplest and most convenient method for exhibitors to get their materials to Vancouver hassle free.



1. Bringing your material with you across the border will be easy providing you follow a few simple procedures. If you are Exhibiting at this year's conference and will be bringing your display material with you on the plane or driving across the border, here are some useful tips to help streamline your shipment into Canada:

- It is important to understand that you are importing goods into another country and that care must be taken to ensure you spend a little time planning for your trip into Vancouver.
- Ensure that you have the Letter of Recognition with you (will be provided upon receipt of booth payment). This will help Customs Officials in Canada understand why you are bringing these materials with you.
- Know the value of the goods you are bringing and where they were manufactured.
- You should not have to pay any duties or taxes as this event has been recognized under 9830 or D8 -1-1.
- If you are bringing food, plant, seeds, soil or other items of this nature, give Events on the Move a call to ensure there will be no problems in bringing this material with you.
- If you have any questions about crossing the border with your materials, please call Theresa Smith at Events on the Move toll free at 877-355-1116 or at 604-647-0130, email: tsmith@eventsonthemove.com.



2. Shipping your materials

We **STRONGLY** recommend you utilize the shipping services of Events on the Move in order to avoid delays.

- Plan to ship a little earlier than usual to allow extra time for Customs Processing.
- Events on the Move will complete most of your Customs Paperwork for you.
- Events on the Move will pick up your materials from your office with their carrier and deliver them directly to the Hotel during the scheduled move-in time.
- Events on the Move will complete the shipping labels for you and send them to you prior to your shipment being picked up.
- Events on the Move will be on-site during the show and will ensure your shipments are picked up after the event closes.
- If you have any questions about shipping your materials to the event, please call Theresa Smith at Events on the Move toll free at 877-355-1116 or at 604-647-0130, email: tsmith@eventsonthemove.com.

Events on the Move will be sending an Exhibitor Service Kit to all registered exhibitors. The kit will include shipping instructions, labels and a service order form.

Sponsorship Opportunities

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Sponsorship is also available for refreshment breaks in the Trade Show area, technical symposiums, student activities, and other events throughout the meeting. All sponsors and levels will be acknowledged in the conference program and have their name listed on exhibitor hall entrance panels.

Sign up to be a sponsor on the enclosed registration form or for further information contact Ann Harris (303) 986-3309, email amharris@rangelands.org or Bob Drinkwater (250) 961-9152, email Bob.Drinkwater@gems6.gov.bc.ca.

Exhibit Hours

The Trade Show Exhibit Hall will be open for patrons/attendees from noon to 7:00 p.m. on Monday, February 13th, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, and 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday. The Trade Show Mixer will be held on Monday evening between 5:30—7:00 p.m., which provides an ideal opportunity for casual introductions and informal networking.

Exhibit Booth Fees

SRM Commercial Members	\$550
Commercial non-members	\$700
Non-commercial (non-profit/affiliate)	\$450
Additional Booths	\$375
University Range Clubs	\$60
Add'l Range Club Booths	\$50

Booth Information

Booths will be 8 x 10 ft. and will include one 6 ft. skirted table, two chairs, a sign and a wastebasket. Please select your preferred location from the floor plan (on the registration form insert). Space will be assigned in order of receipt of payment. A registration form is attached. Additional equipment is the responsibility of the exhibitor and is available from Goodkey Show Services: 877-726-2211.

Electrical, Phone and Internet Services

Electricity, phone and Internet services are available to exhibitors by making separate arrangements in advance. These services are **not** included in the booth space price and are available at extra cost. To order electrical services please contact Goodkey Show Services: 877-726-2211. A limited number of telephone and Internet access lines are also available. To order phone or Internet services please contact Sam Lee at the Hyatt Regency at 604-639-4742, email: slee@hyatt.com.

Complimentary Registration

The Commercial & Non-Commercial Exhibitor fee includes one free registration to the Annual Meeting, excluding tickets to special events. Additional exhibitor representatives wishing to attend the SRM meeting and functions will need to register individually.

Cutoff Date

Booth reservations are due by December 10, 2005. After that date, a \$50 fee will be assessed for late registrations or cancellations.

Installation and Removal

Exhibitors can set up between noon and 6 p.m. on Sunday, February 12th or 8 a.m. to noon on Monday, February 13th. Exhibits must be removed on Wednesday, February 15th, between 1 and 6 p.m. Exhibitors are responsible for packing and removing or consigning shipment of all items in their exhibit (see Events on the Move information for International shipping).

Exhibit Hall Features

- Central location
- 57 booths — 8 x 10 ft
- Two lounge areas
- Food court with breakfast and lunch items
- All sponsored breaks (beverages) in Trade Show Food Court
- Complimentary refreshments during Trade Show Mixer
- Live Music at the Exhibitor's Reception and Trade Show Mixer

Food Court Hours

The Food Court will be open at 6:30 a.m. each day. Security will be provided for Trade Show Exhibits until the Trade Show opens (please note Exhibit Hours section).

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Conference website: <http://www.rangelands.org>

For lodging contact:
Hyatt Regency Vancouver: (888) 421-1442
Fairmont Hotel Vancouver: (800) 441-1414



Photos from the 2005 SRM Trade Show in Fort Worth, TX