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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: FEBRUARY 26, 2010**

### **PRESCRIBED FIRE ALERT FOR CHATTAHOOCHEE, MUSCOGEE, AND MARION COUNTIES**

A prescribed fire will be conducted Friday, February 26, 2010, at Fort Benning. The fire, which may present smoke to Chattahoochee, Muscogee, and Marion counties, will be carried out by Fort Benning's Forestry Branch.

The prescribed burn is being conducted by trained practitioners to reduce hazardous forest fire fuels. It is a safe way to apply a natural process and reduce the risk of wildfires. The burn should be complete by 6:00 p.m.

Note: For more information on this prescribed burn, contact James Parker at 706-544-7081.

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