

Interagency Forest Working Group Workshop to Address Task 2 and Task 3 Objectives

Date: Tuesday, June 22, 2010
Time: 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM
Place: Wildland Fire Training and Conference Center, Banning Room
3237 Peacekeeper Way, McClellan, CA

Directions: <http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/fire/mcclellan/index.php>

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8:30 Welcome

Workshop Purpose and Objectives

Crawford Tuttle, Executive Deputy Director, CAL FIRE

8:35 Overview of Federal and State Authorities and Responsibilities

State Framework for Forestry Protection and Improvement

George Gentry, Executive Officer, Board of Forestry and Fire Protection

USFS Framework for Sustainability

Jim Pena, USFS Region 5 Deputy Regional Forester

9:00 US Forest Service Planning and Project Implementation Processes

- *How activities address GHG reduction and ecosystem sustainability*
- *Possible gaps in rules, policies and practice and potential recommendations for fixing them*

Framework for Sustainable Management of Forest Service Lands

Bruce Goines, Region 5 Ecosystem Services Group Leader

Forest Service Land Management Planning:

Ron Pugh, Deputy Director, Region 5 Ecosystem Planning

10:00 Break

10:15 USFS cont'd

Sustainability from Plan to Project

Craig Snider, Region 5 Environmental Coordinator

El Dorado National Forest Case Study

Laura Hierholzer, El Dorado National Forest NEPA Coordinator

11:15 Q&A and Discussion

11:45 Lunch One hour

12:45 California State Regulations and Programs

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Rules and Processes Related to AB 32 Target and Ecosystem Sustainability (25 min)
Bill Snyder, CAL FIRE Deputy for Resource Management

CEQA and Interagency Review Processes (15 min)
Doug Wickizer, CAL FIRE Chief of Environmental Protection

Rule Making Process (15 min)
George Gentry, Executive Officer, Board of Forestry and Fire Protection

Roles and Concerns of Other State Agencies Regarding Forest Management for Sustainable Biomass Production

CA Dept of Fish and Game (15 min)

State Water Resources Control Board (15 min)

Rick Kreutzer, Chief, Division of Environmental and Occupational Disease Control,
CA Dept of Public Health (15 min)

Voluntary Forest Improvement Programs (20 min)
Russ Henly, CAL FIRE Assistant Deputy Director for Resource Protection and Improvement

2:45 break

3:00 Q&A and Discussion ½ hour

3:30-4:30: Landowner planning process

- *How do regulations and programs address sustainability (social, economic and environmental)?*
- *How do they affect planning, analysis and costs?*

Jim Able, Jim Able Consulting Forestry (30 min)

Bob Rynearson, Beaty and Associates (30 min)

4:30-5:00 Q&A and Discussion ½ hour