



Collaborative Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, Nov 18, 2020

1:30-4:00

Online Meeting Only – No In-Person Options

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The South Fork American River (SOFAR) Cohesive Strategy is an All-Lands Wildland Fire Management Strategy with three goals:
Resilient Landscapes ♦ Fire Adapted Communities ♦ Safe & Effective Wildfire Response

How to Prepare: Review and be ready to consider approving the Red Fir Strategy

1:30	Welcome and Zoom Orientation
1:35	Agenda Review and Working Agreements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gina Bartlett and Stephanie Horii, CBI Facilitator
1:40	<p>SOFAR Science Talk: Using prescribed fire to improve resilience of plantations to wildfire with Dr. Eric Knapp</p> <p>Many foresters have in the past been reluctant to use prescribed fire in young stands due to concerns about killing or injuring trees and reducing growth. However, plantations are frequently lost in wildfires because the fuels support fire intensities are too high for small trees. In this talk, Eric will describe the results of several studies investigating treatments designed to reduce fuel loading in young stands and discuss initial outcomes from burning in plantations on the Shasta Trinity National Forest.</p> <p>Eric Knapp is a Research Ecologist with the US Forest Service Pacific Southwest Research Station, based in Redding, CA. He has been conducting research on fire and forest management topics for the past 20 years.</p>
2:45	EDCWA Proposal to collaborate more closely with SOFAR (Ken Payne)
3:15	<p>Consider Approving the Red Fir Strategy [Link]</p> <p>At the last SOFAR Collaborative, the Landscape Vision Work Group presented its Red Fir Strategy. At this meeting, the Collaborative will consider approving.</p>

	About decision making – the SOFAR Collaborative is a consensus-seeking body with the definition of consensus spanning the range from strong support to abstention on a recommendation. This is outlined in the Collaborative's Charter [Link] .
3:45	Meeting Outcomes and Next Steps

SOFAR Collaborative Calendar

Time: 1:30-4:00 ♦ Location Varies ♦ Future: **Jan 13 ♦ Feb XX**