

BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION

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**BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION****RANGE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE****MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND AGENDA**

Announcement Date: October 29, 2008

Location: Resources Building
1416 9th Street
Room 1506-12
Sacramento, CA

FULL RMAC:

November 12, 2008
8:00 a.m.

VEGETATION MANAGEMENT/FIRE FOCUS GROUP:

November 11, 2008
1:00 p.m.

RANGELAND FOCUS GROUP:

November 11, 2008
3:00 p.m.

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RANGE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA

FULL COMMITTEE:
November 12, 2008
8:00 a.m.

Location: Resources Building
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1. Call to Order.
2. Introductions.
3. Review of the September 2008 Minutes
4. Comment submitted by Agency and Association Reports, Invited:
 - a. California Cattlemen's Association
 - b. California Association of Resource Conservation Districts
 - c. California Farm Bureau Federation
 - d. California Wool Growers Association
 - e. Natural Resources Conservation Service
 - f. Department of Food Agriculture
 - g. Department of Fish and Game
 - h. Bureau of Land Management
 - i. Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
 - j. Resources Agency
 - k. United States Forest Service
5. Climate Change and Carbon Sequestration: A report by the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection activities and potential relationships to rangelands.
6. Report on the November Resource Protection Committee (RPC) meeting and RPC comment on the Draft White Paper, *State Owned Lands: A Discussion of their Acquisition and Recommendations for Sustaining Natural Resource Values*.
7. Rangeland issues pertaining to *The 2007 Policy Statement and Strategic Program of the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection*.
8. Focus Group reports
9. Pending Issues before RMAC:
 - a. Discussion: Alternative methods for selecting RMAC officers
 - b. RMAC interfacing with represented organizations
 - c. Alternative meeting locations
 - d. Meeting dates for 2009
10. New and Unfinished Business.
11. Public Comment.

Adjourn

VEGETATION MANAGEMENT/FIRE FOCUS

GROUP:

November 11, 2008

1:00 P.M.

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1. Call to Order
2. Introductions
3. Review of the 1996 State Fire Plan.
4. New and Unfinished Business
5. Public Comment

Any recommended actions on the agenda will be carried forward to the full RMAC for consideration.

Adjourn

RANGELAND FOCUS GROUP:

November 11, 2008

3:00 p.m.

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1. Call to Order
2. Introductions
3. Review of the September 2008 Minutes.
4. Finalize the Work Plan for Calendar Year 2009.
5. Review of draft letter to the California/Pacific Section of Society for Range Management Certification Panel regarding minimum qualifications for Certified Rangeland managers.
6. Draft Board Policy 12 Update.
7. New and Unfinished Business
8. Public Comment

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Adjourn