

**Board of Forestry and Fire Protection
Range Management Advisory Committee (RMAC)**

**Minutes
Conference Call
April 25, 2007**

Attending:

RMAC:

Representing

Ken Zimmerman	California Cattlemen's Association
Mike Connor	Public Member
Henry Giacomini	California Farm Bureau Federation
Clancy Dutra	California Farm Bureau Federation
Chuck Pritchard	California Assoc. of Resource Conservation Districts
Scott Carnegie	California Forestry Association
Leonard Hale	Watershed Fire Council of Southern California
Mel Thompson	California Wool Growers Association

Items 1, Call to order and roll call

See attending above.

Item 2, Discussion of the Proposed Paper: Integrating Natural Resource Management in California with Resource Conservation Investments

Motion to approve the proposed paper with amendments made by Leonard Hale and seconded by Scott Carnegie. Motion carried unanimously.

Mike Connor will compile amendments and forward to Ken Zimmerman and Neil McDougald so that Mr. McDougald can write the letter of introduction.

Item 3, Update on issues expected for discussion at the May, 2007 RMAC meeting regarding the Certified Range Manager (CRM) Program

Mike Connor reporting. Mr. Connor facilitated a brief discussion on CRM. He stated that a Range Focus Group meeting will be scheduled in May to address CRM in more detail.

Item 4, New and Unfinished Business:

Chuck Pritchard opened discussion on the Carrizo Plains National Monument Management Plan. This item will be placed on the agenda for the full committee in May.

Item 5, Public Comment:

NONE

Adjourn