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Anadromous Salmonid Protection Rule Section V Pilot Projects Technical Advisory Committee (vTAC)

**Meeting Notice and Agenda
Scheduled for: March 29, 2011**

**CAL FIRE Mendocino Unit Headquarters
Howard Forest Review Team Conference Room
17501 N. Highway 101, Willits, California**

10:00 a.m.

1. Introductions and review/additions to the agenda.
2. Dr. Matt O'Connor will provide an information review on the 28 focus watersheds studied in the CCC Coho Recovery Plan (NMFS 2010) for possible use in identifying watershed-scale constraining factors as part of watershed-scale assessment work.
3. Mark Lancaster and Pete Cafferata will provide tests of the Pilot Projects Interim Guidelines Preliminary Process for Garden Gulch and the East Branch of Soquel Creek, respectively.
4. The vTAC Pre-Consultation Task Group will provide preliminary information on pre-consultation needs and benefits related to Section V approval.
5. Mike Liquori will provide a summary of preliminary vTAC survey data resulting from a electronic survey sent to landowners, RPFs, agency personnel, and the public regarding their issues and concerns about using Section V of the ASP rules.
6. Continued review of the revised vTAC guidance document outline discussed at the last meeting.
7. Continued discussion regarding the possible identification and assignment of additional vTAC subcommittees.
8. New/Old business and public comment.
9. Schedule for upcoming vTAC meetings.

THIS AGENDA CONSITUTES AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE MEETING. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND. The meeting room is accessible to disabled persons. Persons wishing to bring matters to the attention of the Committee may do so under new and unfinished business. Committee staff should be advised of such matters as early as possible.

Note: Those requiring further information regarding this meeting notice may contact Pete Cafferata, Staff Person, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460, (916) 653-9455. Pursuant to GC §11125, this meeting notice is also available in electronic format at: <http://www.bof.fire.ca.gov/>.

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