



46th Annual
Forest Vegetation Management Conference

Where to Go from Here:
Taking the first step for the future



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January 14-16, 2025
Holiday Inn, 1900 Hilltop, Redding, CA

Conference Program

Tuesday, January 14

Moderator: Chris Hale

- 7:00 Registration Opens- *Hosted Breakfast*
- 8:00 – 8:15 Welcome & Opening Remarks: Ethan Fagan, FVMC Chair
Program Chair Remarks: Chris Hale, FVMC Vice-Chair & Program Committee, Chair
- 8:15 - 9:00 **Where to Go From Here** - Matt Dias, President, California Forestry Association
- 9:00 - 9:45 **Stock Types & Seed Zones**—Lydia Tymon
- 9:45 - 10:30 **Nursery Methods & Pesticide Use** – Sonny Berger
- 10:30 - 11:00 *Break*
- 11:00 - 11:30 **Vegetation Management & Fuel Breaks on Non Industrial Ownership**— Danielle Lindler, Jefferson Resource Company
- 11:30 - 12:00 **Laws & Regulations Update**— Karen Ennenga, Shasta County Agriculture/Weights & Measures Investigator
- 12:00 - 1:00 *Hosted Lunch*

Moderator: Jake Birge

- 1:00 - 1:45 **Best Application Practices for Herbicide Use**— Jerry Ellis, Envu
- 1:45 - 2:30 **Review of the Forest Stewardship Council's Pesticide Policy**—Elicia Goldsworthy, Green Diamond Resource Company
- 2:30 - 2:45 *Break*
- 2:45 - 3:30 **How Adjuvants in Forestry Effect Conifer Tolerance**— Ed Fredrickson, Thunder Road Resources
- 3:30 - 4:15 **Update on Sustainable Pest Management**— Joe Moreo
- 4:15 - 4:45 **Herbicide Label Review**— Beau Miller, Corteva
- 4:45 - 5:15 **Suppliers Update**— Beau Miller, Corteva
- 5:15 - 7:00 Hosted *Reception: Wine, Beer & Appetizers*

Wednesday, January 15

Moderator: Len Lindstrand

- 7:00 - 8:00 *Hosted BREAKFAST*
- 8:00 - 10:00 **Facilitated Discussion:**
Joe Palmer, Sierra Pacific Industries
Natalie Schollosser, Cascade Timber
Stacey Clark, USFS
Zach Rocha, Sierra Pacific Industries
- 10:00 - 10:15 *BREAK*

Moderator: Danielle Lindler

- 10:15 - 11:00 **Long-Term Soil Productivity Study**— Jianwei Zhang, Pacific Southwest Research Station, USFS
- 11:00 - 11:30 **Components of an Agricultural Pesticide**— Shaney Emerson, Helena Agri-Enterprises
- 11:30 - 12:30 *Hosted Lunch - Business Meeting & Award Ceremony*
- 12:30 - 1:15 **Invasive Beetles Threatening Californias Natural & Urban Forest Trees**— Curtis Ewing, CALFIRE
- 1:15 - 2:00 **Mechanical Site Prep: What to do and what not to do** - Mark Gray
- 2:00 - 2:45 **Type of Competition, Effects on Ponderosa Pine & Douglas-fir Survival and Growth**— Ed Fredrickson, Thunder Road Resources
- 2:45 - 3:00 *BREAK*
- 3:00 - 3:30 **Re-Integration of Small Ruminants into Today's Forest Systems**— Lee Hazeltine, Integrazers
- 3:30 - 4:15 **Reforestation of the Fountain Fire: Lessons Learned** – Jeff Webster, RPF
- 4:30 - 5:00 **Getting Good Fire on the Ground**— Scot Steinbring, Torchbearr

7:00 - 8:00	<i>Hosted Breakfast</i>
8:00 - 8:45	Browse Repellent Methods – Russell Garrison, Sierra Pacific Industries
8:45 - 9:15	CO Used for Gopher Control – Jodi & Robert Acevez
9:15 - 10:00	Watershed Improvement through Use of Herbicides on Federal Lands – Joanna Clines
10:00 - 10:15	<i>BREAK</i>
10:15 - 10:45	Trial Review – Beau Miller, Corteva
10:45 - 11:15	Forest Insects – Tom Smith, CALFIRE
11:15 - 11:45	USV Perspective After Fire – Jerome Otto
11:45 - 12:15	DPR Top Ten Violations of 2024 – Adam Davies
12:45	Raffle Prize Winners Drawn– <u>Must be Present to Win</u>
1:00	Adjourn

Please note, you must be in attendance for each session to get CE's for that session.

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Registration Form

One registrant per form, please.

Name _____ Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

PCA# _____

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*Your license # is required in order
to issue CE's.

A catered lunch will be provided during the conference on January 14 & 15, 2025

If you have special dietary needs, please let us know by 12/31/2024 and we'll try to accommodate your needs.

FEES:

Registration \$300 _____
(Includes \$5 Scholarship Fee)

Late Registration— \$350 _____
after 01/03/25
(Must be postmarked by this date)

Dr. Robert F Powers Scholarship Donation \$ _____

TOTAL REGISTRATION FEE \$ _____

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Conference attendees are responsible for arranging their own accommodations. Space is limited, so reservations should be made as far in advance as possible.

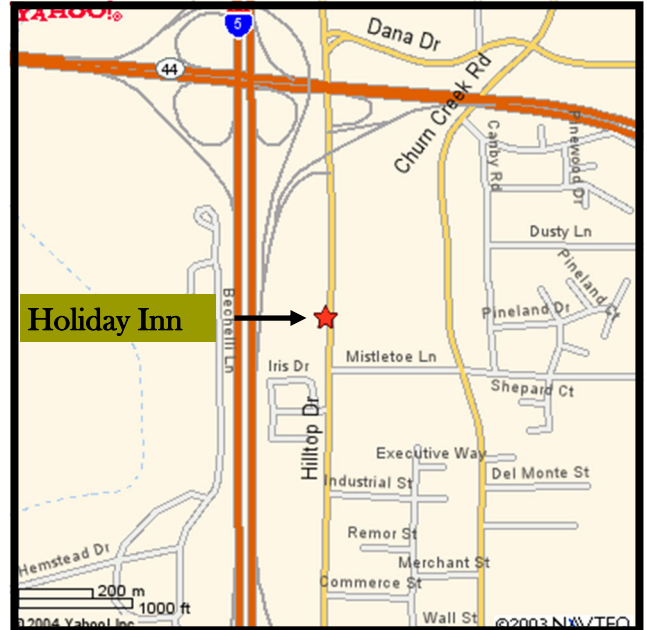
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- ... Outdoor swimming pool and spa
- ... Courtesy airport van
- ... Two restaurant facilities
- ... 24-hour exercise room
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