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**MONITORING STUDY GROUP**  
Meeting Notice and Agenda**Scheduled for: September 10, 2015**

Mendocino National Forest  
825 N. Humboldt Ave., Willows, CA

10:00 a.m.

1. Monitoring-related announcements.
2. Presentations and discussion on monitoring work conducted in the Battle Creek watershed:
  - Dr. Lee Benda, Earth Systems Institute, on Battle Creek GRAIP-Lite (Geomorphic Roads Analysis and Inventory Package) data, and an overview of the North and South Forks of the Battle Creek watershed.
  - Dr. Cajun James, SPI, on continuous water quality data collected at several monitoring stations in the Battle Creek watershed.
  - Dr. Bruce Krumland, Consulting Biometrician, on a riparian tree inventory and ground cover survey conducted in the Battle Creek watershed.
  - Mr. James Harrington, DFW, on bioassessment monitoring conducted in the Battle Creek watershed.
  - Mr. Steve Tussing, Watershed Coordinator for the Battle Creek Watershed Conservancy, on future monitoring proposals and coordination within the watershed.
3. Brief updates on (1) the Board's Effectiveness Monitoring Committee, and (2) AB 1492 Ecological Performance Measures Working Group, including efforts completed to date and planned approaches for future monitoring activities.
4. Very brief updates on MSG Cooperative Instream Monitoring Projects, including Caspar Creek, South Fork Wages Creek, Judd Creek, Little Creek (Swanton Pacific Ranch), and Railroad Gulch (Elk River).
5. New/unfinished business.
6. Public comment.

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**Note:** Those requiring further information regarding this meeting notice may contact Pete Cafferata, Lead Committee 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/board\\_committees/monitoring\\_study\\_group/meeting\\_agendas/](http://www.bof.fire.ca.gov/board_committees/monitoring_study_group/meeting_agendas/).

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