BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND AGENDA
Announcement Date: November 29, 2004

FULL BOARD

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday) Executive Session
Time: 10:15 a.m.

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)
Time: 10:30 a.m.

POLICY AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

FOREST PRACTICE COMMITTEE

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Ad Hoc ROADS AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time: 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

RESOURCE PROTECTION COMMITTEE

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time: 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
FULL BOARD AGENDA

EXECUTIVE SESSION (if necessary)

Date: December, 2004 (Wednesday)  
Location: Resources Building  
Room 1506-12  
1416 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, California  

Time: 10:15 a.m. to completion

Executive Session: (Closed to the Public) Discussion of Matters Related to Foresters Licensing such as Certifications; Voluntary Relinquishments; and/or Revocations of RPF Licenses/CRM Certifications Under Section 11126 (c)(1), (c)(2), (c)(3) of the Government Code; Employee Evaluation Under 11126 (a)(1); also Discussion of Pending and Potential Litigation Under Section 11126 (e) of the Government Code. Cases to be discussed are: Campaign to Restore Jackson State Redwood Forest and Dharma Cloud Charitable Foundation Trust v. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, California Board of Forestry and Does I through X, Mendocino County Superior Court, Case No. SCUKCVG 0083611; Gualala Redwoods, Inc. v. California State Board of Forestry, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Andrea Tuttle, and Does 1 through 10, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 02-CS00356; Campaign to Restore Jackson State Redwood Forest and Dharma Cloud Charitable Foundation Trust v. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, California Board of Forestry and Does I through X inclusive, Mendocino County Superior Court, Case No. SCUVCPT 0289022, Cockshott v. Board of Forestry, CP-02-01, Walter Simonis, CP-02-06, Harold Richardson v. Andrea Tuttle, Director, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection; California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection; California State Board of Forestry, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 04-CS00286, Big Creek v. Santa Cruz. The Board may also consider the status of existing Fuel Hazard Reduction regulations (14 C.C.R. 1052) following enactment of AB 2420 (La Malfa). Specifically, it will consider whether discussion of the topic in closed session is authorized under the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act (Govt. C. § 11126(e)(2)(B)(ii)) and, if it determines a discussion to be appropriate under the Act, will discuss the topic. (The Executive Session may be reconvened if determined necessary.)

FULL BOARD MEETING (Open to Public)

Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)

Note: The Board may take any non-hearing agenda item out of order as time permits and may discuss agenda items scheduled for committees, including legislation. The Board may act on recommendations by its committees on items listed in their respective agendas, including recommendations for 45-day notice of rulemaking. If you wish to speak on a specific agenda item, please fill out a card provided for this purpose at the sign-in table and hand it to a member of staff, preferably prior to the meeting. Those wishing to speak on particular agenda items may do so as the Board deliberates on the items. The Board reserves the right to solicit additional public comment if the need arises for a particular agenda item.

10:30 a.m.

1. Call to Order
2. Announcement of Actions Taken in Executive Session
3. Approval of Minutes of the November, 2004 Meeting
4. Consent Calendar – see attached Consent Calendar for actions to be considered under this agenda item.

Consent Calendar items are expected to be routine and non-controversial. The Board will act upon them at one time without discussion. If any Board Member, staff, or interested person requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, it will be taken up in the regular agenda order.

Possible Action Items: RPF License/CRM Certification: Withdrawals, Reinstatements, Voluntary Relinquishments, or other Actions

5. Report of the Chairman

6. Report of Board’s Advisory Committees
   - Professional Foresters Examining Committee

     Possible Action Items: Issuance of RPF Licenses/CRM Certifications, Withdrawals, Reinstatements, Voluntary Relinquishments, Suspensions, Revocations, or other Actions, including nominations to PFEC

10:45 a.m.


12:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Lunch

8. Full Board discussion on Tasks and Goals, 2005

9. Public Comment on Tasks and Goals, 2005

10. Public Forum: Members of the public may address the Board on any topic within its jurisdiction not otherwise on the agenda. Submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments will be included in the record before the Board. Please be prepared to summarize comments to three minutes in length, or otherwise at the discretion of the Chairman.

11. New and Unfinished Business

12. Adjournment (No later than 3:00 p.m.)

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COMMITTEE AGENDAS

POLICY AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)  Location: Resources Building
Time: 8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

1. Board Tasks and Goals in 2005

Note: The Policy and Management Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

FOREST PRACTICE COMMITTEE MEETING
Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)  Location: Resources Building
Time: 8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.


Note: The Forest Practice Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

Ad Hoc ROADS AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)  Location: Resources Building
Time: 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.


Note: The Ad Hoc Roads and Watershed Management Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

RESOURCE PROTECTION COMMITTEE MEETING
Date: December 8, 2004 (Wednesday)  Location: Resources Building
Time: 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.


Note: The Resource Protection Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.
CONSENT CALENDAR

For presentation to the
State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection
December 2004

Resolution Honoring Humboldt State University Forestry Department’s 50-year Anniversary.