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To: Forest Supervisors, CRGNSA Manager, and District Managers

Subject: Prescribed Fire Workshop – March 6 and 7, 2007

We are in the process of planning a prescribed fire workshop to be held in central Oregon tentatively March 6 and 7, 2007. The target audience is Type I and II burn bosses and prescribed fire managers in the Pacific Northwest.

Your unit has already received an informal note from your training coordinators requesting a count for the approximate number of people planning to attend. Formal nominations will go through normal fire training channels.

Prescribed fire is a very important tool we use to reduce fuels and improve the health of our forests and rangelands. Application of this tool does not come without risk. This workshop is an excellent chance for practitioners to learn about new prescribed fire and smoke management policies and expectations, review lessons learned from past prescribed fire escapes, and learn effective techniques from each other.

As always, our goal is to continually improve the safety and effectiveness of our prescribed fire program, while reducing risk to important values. We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity by sending your key people to this workshop.

Questions regarding the content and scope of this workshop can be directed to Steve Harbert at 503-808-6592, or Tim Rich at 503-808-2934.

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