

Fire Emissions Joint Forum – Meeting Announcement and Agenda

The FEJF will be holding its next meeting on April 18 (0800-1700) and 19 (0800-1500) in Sacramento at the Clarion Hotel. A sleeping room block has been set up for the nights of April 17 and 18 at the Hotel located at 700 Sixteenth Street, Sacramento, California 95814 (H St. and 16th St.). Please plan on staying to the end of the session. The room rate is \$79.00 plus tax. Please reference the "Western Regional Air Partnership" in order to receive this government rate. **The cut-off date on the room block is April 5.**

The Clarion reservation line is 800-443-0880. Direct Hotel telephone contact is available through 916-444-8000 or by fax at 916-442-8129.

The Clarion Hotel has complimentary shuttle service to and from the airport based on availability. When you land, please call the Hotel and request the shuttle at the number above. It generally leaves the hotel every hour on the hour and takes about 15/20 minutes to get to the airport. You will need to check with the bell stand at the hotel to schedule transportation back to the airport.

Tentative Agenda (Subject to revision)

April 18 Clarion Hotel, Sacramento, CA

8:00 AM Introductions

8:15 AM Co-Chair Update Session – Pete Lahm

- 1) IOC and TOC Meetings of March 27-28 – Funding and Priorities Discussions
- 2) Coordinating Committee Meeting March 29 – Funding and WRAP Structure Discussions
- 3) Upcoming WRAP Meeting Issues
- 4) FEJF Webpage Discussion
- 5) WGA Progress on RFP's
- 6) Meeting with EPA-OAQPS

9:00 AM Task Team Reports

- 1) Basic Smoke Management Program TT - Scott Kuehn, Diane Riley
 - a. Wildlands Sole Source Contract
 - b. Agricultural Programs RFP
 - c. Tribal Programs Survey with ITEP/TDD Workgroup
 - d. Next steps
- 2) Alternatives to Burning – Agricultural Lands TT – Bryan Jenkins
 - a. Alternatives RFP
 - b. Next Steps
- 3) Emissions TT – Dave Randall, Mike Ziolk, Pete Lahm

- a. Meeting with Modeling and Emissions Forums April 5-7 Portland, OR
- b. Agricultural Information Request Results – Jenkins
- c. Next Steps

10:00 AM Break

10:15 AM Task Team Reports (cont.)

- 4) Alternatives to Burning - Wildlands TT – Shelley Nolde
 - a. SOW Progress
- 5) NWCG Collaboration – Pete Lahm
 - a. Status of Workshop Final Reports
 - b. Next Steps – Integration with other TT's
- 6) Natural Background TT – Fred Greef, Carl Gossard
 - a. Initial Policy Paper
 - b. SOW Progress
 - c. Workshop? Next Steps
- 7) Enhanced Smoke Management Programs TT – Mark Fitch, Pete Lahm
 - a. SOW Progress
 - b. Next Steps
- 8) Prescribed Fire Program Assessment TT – Pete Lahm
 - a. SOW Progress
 - b. Next Steps
- 9) Public Education and Outreach TT – John Kennedy
 - a. Storyline Status
 - b. Next Steps

12:00 PM Lunch Break

1:00 PM Workplan and Funding Re-alignment – Pete Lahm (if needed)

2:00 PM Draft Storyline Discussion – John Kennedy

3:00 PM Break

3:15 PM Natural Background Discussions – Fred Greef, Carl Gossard

5:00 PM End Day One

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8:00 AM Closure on April 18 Issues

8:30 AM Breakout Sessions (as needed – contact Pete Lahm)

- 1) Emissions TT

- a. Presentation of GCVTC PRESTO-TC Smoke Visibility and Projections – Tony VanCuren (Invited)
- b. Presentation of CARB/UC Berkeley Emission Inventory Study (Invited)

- 2) Prescribed Fire Program Assessment TT
- 3) ?????

- 10:00 AM Break
- 10:15 AM Continued Breakout Discussions
- 12:00 PM Lunch
- 1:00 PM Large Group Discussions of Morning's Progress
 - a. Tracking Progress between Meetings
 - b. Cross-TT Collaboration
 - c. Next Steps
- 3:00 PM End Meeting