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LLS NO. 13-0115_AMENDMENT # 1
INTERIM COMMITTEE AMENDMENT
Lower North Fork Wildfire Commission
BY REPRESENTATIVE Gerou
LLS No. 13-0115 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend LLS No. 13-0115, page 11, line 18, strike "**standards.**" and
2 substitute "**standards - on-line list of emergency contact information**
3 **- rules - definitions.**".
- 4 Page 12, line 1, strike "CONFORMS" and substitute "CONTAINS, AT A
5 MINIMUM, THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS AND OTHERWISE CONFORMS".
- 6 Page 12, line 2, strike "ARTICLE." and substitute "ARTICLE:
7 (A) A DETAILED RATIONALE FOR CONDUCTING THE PRESCRIBED
8 BURNING;
9 (B) AN EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVE MITIGATION MEASURES
10 CONSIDERED AND THE REASON THE ALTERNATIVE MEASURES WERE
11 DEEMED INAPPROPRIATE OR INSUFFICIENT;
12 (C) AN EXPLANATION FOR EVERY RISK RATING IN THE PLAN AND
13 SPECIFIC MITIGATION OR CONTINGENCY ACTIONS FOR EACH MODERATE OR
14 HIGH RISK RATING; AND
15 (D) ANY OTHER COMPONENTS PRESCRIBED BY THE DIRECTOR,
16 INCLUDING COMPONENTS IDENTIFIED BY THE DIRECTOR AS CRITICAL,
17 WHICH CRITICAL COMPONENTS SHALL NOT BE WAIVED;
18 (b) ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR REVIEW OF A PROPOSED
19 PRESCRIBED BURNING PLAN AND CHANGES TO A PRESCRIBED BURNING
20 PLAN BY AN INDEPENDENT THIRD-PARTY ENTITY WITH KNOWLEDGE OR
21 EXPERTISE IN PRESCRIBED BURNING;".
- 22 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.
- 23 Page 12, strike line 11 and substitute "FUELS, WHICH INFORMATION IS IN
24 CONFORMITY WITH STANDARDS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (j) OF
25 THIS SUBSECTION (1);".
- 26 Page 13, line 5, strike "AND".
- 27 Page 13, strike lines 6 through 8 and substitute:
28 "(f) SET FORTH REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION
29 CAMPAIGNS AND ADVANCE NOTIFICATION TO RESIDENTS LIVING ADJACENT
30 TO A PRESCRIBED BURNING OF THE DATE, TIME, LOCATION, DURATION, AND
31 GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE FIRE, CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE ENTITY
32 CONDUCTING THE FIRE, CONTINGENCY PLANS IN CASE A PRESCRIBED
33 BURNING FIRE ESCAPES, AND EVACUATION PROCEDURES OR INSTRUCTIONS,

1 DEVELOPED BY THE ENTITY CONDUCTING THE PRESCRIBED BURNING IN
2 CONSULTATION WITH THE LOCAL JURISDICTIONAL AUTHORITY OR
3 AUTHORITIES, TO BE FOLLOWED IN CASE OF A FIRE-RELATED EMERGENCY;

4 (g) ESTABLISH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE TIMELY PROVISION OF A
5 PRESCRIBED BURNING PLAN, CONTAINING ALL INFORMATION AS THE
6 DIRECTOR MAY PRESCRIBE, TO THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES FOR THE AREAS IN
7 WHICH THE PRESCRIBED BURNING WILL BE CONDUCTED, WHICH PLAN THE
8 LOCAL AUTHORITIES SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION
9 UPON REQUEST;

10 (h) STANDARDIZE PROVISIONS THAT SPECIFY THE CRITERIA AND
11 PROCESS FOR MAKING MODIFICATIONS TO PRESCRIBED BURNING PLANS IN
12 RESPONSE TO CHANGES IN OBSERVED OR PREDICTED CLIMATE AND
13 WEATHER CONDITIONS;

14 (i) MAKE PERIODIC REVIEW OF PRESCRIBED BURNING PLANS TO
15 ENSURE THAT THE PLANS CONTAIN UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION PRIOR TO
16 IMPLEMENTATION, INCLUDING, AS NECESSARY, INFORMATION REGARDING
17 FUEL INVENTORIES, LOCAL SUPPORT CAPABILITIES AND AGREEMENTS,
18 NEARBY RESIDENCES AND OTHER FACILITIES AND OWNERS OF THOSE
19 FACILITIES; AND

20 (j) ADDRESS THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH A PRESCRIBED
21 BURNING CONDUCTED IN THE PRESENCE OF MASTICATED FUELS IS
22 PERMISSIBLE, INCLUDING ESTABLISHING STANDARDS FOR BLACKLINING
23 DEPTH IN PRESCRIBED BURNING WITH MASTICATED FUELS THAT ARE AT
24 LEAST AS STRINGENT AS THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE
25 "LOWER NORTH FORK PRESCRIBED FIRE, FIRE REVIEW" ISSUED BY THE
26 LOWER NORTH FORK FIRE REVIEW TEAM, JOINTLY CONVENED BY THE
27 GOVERNOR AND THE PRESIDENT OF COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY, AND
28 DATED APRIL 13, 2012."

29 Page 13, after line 15 insert:

30 "(3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "BLACKLINING" MEANS THE
31 BURNING OF FUELS ADJACENT TO AND WITHIN A CONTROL LINE PRIOR TO
32 THE MAIN IGNITION OF A PRESCRIBED BURNING IN ORDER TO REDUCE HEAT
33 ON HOLDING CREWS AND LESSEN THE RISK THAT THE PRESCRIBED BURNING
34 BREACHES THE CONTROL LINE."

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