

GOALS

Process

1. Federal forestland management takes action immediately to address State and local needs. [Alternatively -- Federal forestland management takes action on the most pressing problems identified by the FFAC.] The Governor, Legislature, Oregon Congressional Delegation, and others actively support federal forestland management to accomplish _____.
2. Federal forestlands are managed with a clearly defined vision and strategic goals developed and implemented through a collaborative partnership with State, and Local governments and Indian Tribes, and public involvement. The vision and goals are understood and supported by the public. These processes and relationships address management challenges and provide a new paradigm for problem-solving and conflict resolution resulting in a synergy of benefits endorsed by public stakeholders.
3. A federal commitment provides for adequate funding from multiple sources and mechanisms for federal agencies to meet their stewardship, restoration, and sustainability obligations.

Environment

4. Forest and rangeland ecosystems are protected, restored, and managed for a full range of sustainable ecosystem benefits within the context of climate change. These benefits include aesthetic values; biodiversity; clean air; fish, grazing; human health; native fish, wildlife and plants; recreation; resiliency; soil productivity; timber; water quality and quantity; and wilderness.

Social

5. Federal forestlands respond to site specific variations and community based management principles taking into consideration tribal, local, state, and national needs and priorities. Management provides opportunities for people to realize their material, spiritual and recreational values and relationships with the forest. Federal forestland management rebuilds and maintains trust within affected communities using collaboration, adaptive management, and other innovative strategies.

Economic

6. Federal forestlands provide a predictable, sustainable supply of the full suite of goods and services now and into the future. Federal forest policy contributes to the creation of stable jobs and economic well-being for local communities across the State. Local counties share the revenues over the long-term.

Potential Additional Goals

7. Federal policy guidance provides stability and balances the need for accountability while preserving local flexibility in the management of federal forestlands to ensure sustainability while meeting state, tribal, local, and national needs.

VISION

Federal forestlands in Oregon are a legacy, a refuge and a resource, loved and celebrated by our citizens, inhabited by healthy populations of fish and wildlife, managed with humility, wisdom and innovation to sustain the economic, environmental, social and cultural well-being of our rural and urban communities.

DEFINITIONS

Vision – A statement of the desired end state.

Goals – Outcome statements that define what an organization is trying to accomplish both programmatically and organizationally

Objectives – precise, time-based, and measurable actions that support the completion of a goal.

Differences between a current situation and a future aspirational state can appear as a deficiency or as a gap. Objectives and goal management serve to eliminate this gap.