

Memo

To: Cliff Liedtke, Eastern Oregon Area Director

From: Bill Hunt, Klamath-Lake District Forester

CC: Nancy Hirsch, Acting State Forests Program Director
Rob Nall, Operations Coordinator

Date: June 13, 2007

Re: Information Item - Approved Annual Operations Plan for 2008

The 2008 State Forests Annual Operations Plan for the Klamath-Lake District is attached for your review and approval. During my review of this plan, I have found that it is consistent with the Eastern Region Long-Range Forest Management Plan and the 2008 Annual Operations Planning Guidance.

This annual operations plan covers proposed forest management activities for fiscal year 2008.

During its preparation, this plan was reviewed by technical specialists from within the department and biologists from the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife and the Klamath Tribes. The draft annual operations plan also underwent a 45-day public comment period. The district received comments from four sources. All comments were carefully considered and incorporated where appropriate. The changes resulting from public comments are summarized in Appendix D of the Klamath-Lake District 2008 Annual Operations Plan.

Approval of this plan does not constitute final approval of individual project details. Individual timber sales are subject to additional review processes at the district and program staff level before approval for auction. The operations described in this plan may be modified during the final preparation and/or implementation. Modifications to these operations will conform to the process included in the draft Annual Operations Planning Directive.

The official copy of this Annual Operations Plan will be on file at the district office. Additional copies are available at the State Forests Program office in Salem.

The plan is also available on the ODF web site at:

http://oregon.gov/ODF/STATE_FORESTS/planning.shtml

APPROVED:



Bill Hunt, Klamath-Lake District Forester

6/18/07

Date