

Fire Protection Division Work Plan	2019						
	Jan	Mar	Apr	June	July	Sept	Nov
<b>Fire Program Review &amp; Secretary of State Audit-Implementation</b>							
<i>Milestones</i>							
Provide updates to the Board-As needed							
<b>Smoke Management Review</b>							
<i>Milestones</i>							
Direct the Department to begin Promulgation of Rule language							
Consider Rule Approval	X						
<b>Annual and Ongoing Topics</b>							
<i>Milestones</i>							
Approve Forest Protection District and Rangeland Protection Association Annual Budgets				X			
Review Letters from FPA's to State Forester				X			
Fire Season Reports				X	X	X	X
Appointment for Emergency Fire Cost Committee - (As Needed)							
Approve Forest Protection Association Agreements - (As Needed)							
Rangeland Protection Association Formation - (As Needed)							
Forest Patrol Assessment - (As Needed)							

**Board Accomplishments to Date:**

<b>Topic Area</b>	<b>Board Decision/Direction (Month/Year)</b>	<b>Work Product(s) that led to Decision</b>
Fire Program Review & Secretary of State Audit - Implementation	July 2018, Board approved Agency Request Budget which included the "Agency Initiative – Policy Option Package"	The Fire Program Review and the Secretary of State Audit have culminated into the Agency Initiative. Future initiatives by the Protection Division will be influenced by the outcomes of the Agency Initiative
Smoke Management Review	June 2018, Permission for Rulemaking	Proposed rules, with integration of requested language by the Board, approved by Board of Forestry for seeking of public comment.
Annual Topics	June 2018, Approved Budgets and Association Letters	Annual process of considering association letters, along with district and rangeland budgets
Ongoing Topics	Approved on multiple Dates	During 2018, Creation of one new RFPA and expansion of two RFPAs.
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**Significant Deviations from Initial Work Plan:**

<b>Topic Area</b>	<b>Change</b>	<b>Driver behind need for change</b>
<u>Ongoing Topics</u>	<u>Addition of "Forest Patrol Assessment"</u>	<u>Ongoing business that routinely appears before the Board as needed.</u>
<u>Smoke Management Review</u>	<u>Delay in Final Rule Approval</u>	<u>Fire seasons 2017 and 2018 has delayed finalization.</u>