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LEGAL NOTICE FOR EA OBJECTION FILING EAST FORK SCOTT PROJECT

The draft decision notice and finding of no significant impact (DN/FONSI) and environmental assessment (EA) for the East Fork Scott Project are now available for public review. The project is intended to improve forest health and resilience in early and mid/late seral habitat; enhance meadow and oak woodland habitat for sensitive plant and large game species; protect and enhance riparian habitat and stream shade; reduce sediment input from roads and abandoned mines; and provide for firefighter and public safety. This project area encompasses 31,572 acres and is located on the Salmon/Scott River Ranger District of the Klamath National Forest about 10 miles northeast of Callahan, California in Siskiyou County: Township (T) 40 North (N), Range (R) 6 West (W), Sections 5-8, and 18; T40N, R7W, Sections 1-5, 8-23, 27-33; T40N, R8W, Sections 4, 10, 12-15, 23, 24; T41N, R6W, Sections 7, 18-20, 29-31; T41N, R7W, Sections 1, 2, 11-14, 22-27, 32-36, Mount Diablo Meridian.

The draft DN/FONSI and EA; and supporting documents are available on the Klamath National Forest's project webpage at: https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50878. This proposed decision is subject to objection pursuant to 36 CFR 218, Subparts A and B. Objections will only be accepted from those who submitted project-specific written comments during scoping or another designated comment period. Issues raised in objections must be based on previously submitted comments unless based on new information arising after the designated comment period(s).

Objections must be submitted within 45 days following the publication of the legal notice in the Siskiyou Daily News. The date of the legal notice is the exclusive means for calculating the time to file an objection. Those wishing to object should not rely upon dates or timeframes provided by any other source. It is the objector's responsibility to ensure evidence of timely receipt (36 CFR 218.9).

Objections may be submitted via mail, FAX (707-562-9229), or delivered during business hours (M-F 8:00am to 4:00pm). Objections must be submitted to the reviewing officer: Randy Moore, Regional Forester, USDA Forest Service; Attn: East Fork Scott Project Objection; 1323 Club Drive, Vallejo, CA 94592. Phone (707) 562-8737. Electronic objections, in common formats (.doc, .pdf, .rtf, .txt), may be submitted to: objections-pacific-southwest-regional-office@usda.gov with Subject: East Fork Scott Project Objection.

Objections must include: 1) name, address and telephone; 2) signature or other verification of authorship; 3) identification of a single lead objector when applicable; 4) project name, Responsible Official name and title, and name of affected National Forest(s) and/or Ranger District(s); 5) reasons for, and suggested remedies to resolve, your objections; and, 6) description of the connection between your objections and your prior comments (36 CFR 218.8(d)). Incorporate documents by reference only as pro-