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## Firewood Strategy Public Meeting and District Office Public Tour

**Macdoel, CA.** – The next firewood cutting strategy public meeting will be held at 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, February 24, 2016. This firewood strategy meeting will be held at the Goosenest District Office, 37805 Highway 97, Macdoel, California and will convene in the large conference room. Interested members of the public are invited to attend and make comments on improving firewood cutting access on your National Forest and the Goosenest Ranger District. Firewood cutting in the Dairy Station project area, which includes the Shovel Creek area and Martin's Dairy, will open in the fall of 2016 and will be discussed at this meeting. Future firewood cutting in the Little Deer fire area will also be discussed.

Other open firewood areas will also be reviewed, including Hi-Grouse personal and commercial, La Honda, Rimrock, Long Prairie commercial, LSR (Late Successional Reserves) Top Piles, Shovel, A-12, and Big Pony. Maps of all firewood cutting areas are available from National Forest offices in Macdoel, Yreka, Happy Camp, and Fort Jones. Any other firewood questions raised by the public will be discussed.

The Goosenest Ranger District of the Klamath National Forest will also hold a public tour to showcase the newly remodeled Goosenest District Office. This guided tour is on the same day as the firewood strategy meeting, but is a separate event. The public tour will take place from 4:30 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, February 24, 2016. Interested members of the public are invited to attend either, or both, the public tour and firewood strategy meeting.

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