

1995 Bark Beetle Steering Committee Meeting

Lakeside Inn
Lake Tahoe, NV

October 24 - 26, 1995

Tuesday, October 24

8:00 Welcome and housekeeping items Ragenovich & Wenz
Review of agenda, listing of additional topics

- Status of Registration of MCH and other Biopesticides Dave Thomas
- Registration and Reregistration Strategy for the Forest Service
- Upcoming Forest Service Biopesticide Policy
- Worker Protection Standards as they Apply to Pheromones
- Need for EUP's in the Future

Break

- Meeting of Steering Committee Chairs additional ideas and suggestions Ragenovich
- Plume Model Warren Webb
- Summary of Projects by Bark Beetle Group
Summary of projects will be discussed in the following order:
Southern Pine Beetle, Tomicus,
Western Pine Beetle, Mountain Pine Beetle,
Jeffrey Pine Beetle, Roundheaded Pine Beetle,
Douglas-fir Beetle, Spruce Beetle, Ips perterbatus,
Ips pini, AZ 5-spined Ips, GA 5-spined Ips,
Western Balsam Bark Beetle, Fir Engraver

Lunch

- Summary of Projects (continued)
- 4:30 - Adjourn
- 5:30 - Optional meeting with Phil Kirsch of IPM Technologies to discuss our needs with pheromones

Wednesday, October 25

8:00 - Summary of Projects (continued) Group

Lunch

1:00 - Demonstration of Jesse's computer model

- Review of 5-year Strategy Group
 -update completions, changes in emphasis, etc
(!!!Bring your 5-Year Strategies or at a minimum the 1994 Report!!!)

- Pheromones Under Fire Group
 (where to pheromones fit in the scheme of things,
 how important are they, etc.)
 -if they are important, how do we sell the concept?

- Identify highest areas of emphasis for each Bark Beetle for the next two years **based on the 5 YR Plan** Group
 (note - this is a slightly different approach than we have done in the past - because there are no TDP \$'s does not mean we should disregard our commitment working towards specific accomplishments - also identifying areas of emphasis for the next two years will provide us with a priority list for FY97 TDP)

- Other topics

4:30 adjourn

Thursday, October 26

8:00 Meet for field trip John Wenz and Pat Shea
 -Discussion of developed site/special use area management of the Lake Tahoe Basin and complexities of resource management in the Basin
 -Jeffrey pine beetle mortality over the past 4-6 years
 -JPB suppression and efficacy evaluation
 -insect/disease related mortality on the east and north shores of Lake Tahoe
 -current JPB research including field testing candidate pheromones, flight periodicity studies and potential use of pheromones for JPB management

1:00 - End of meeting at latest.....