



## What is this project?

The Forest is in the earliest stages of collaborative planning for restoration work across nearly 75,000 acres in the Upper Wenatchee area near Plain, WA. The primary focus of the project is to restore forest health and resiliency by reestablishing forest structure, returning fire to the landscape, improving wildlife habitat, and improving watershed function.

## Timeline?

The planning process is anticipated to last 2 ½ years, more than doubling the current pace of environmental analysis work. Formal planning will start in the spring of 2019 and continue through 2020.

# UPPER WENATCHEE PILOT PROJECT

### Healthy Forests Matter.

Together with our partners, the Okanogon-Wenatchee National Forest (Forest) is embarking on a new approach to restoring landscapes for present and future generations. Social, economic and environmental benefits flow from healthy forests.

### Strong Communities Matter.

Join the conversation from the very start so you know what's being considered, what's not, and how to lend your voice to this collaborative project. We want to hear from you early on about watershed health, wildlife, fish, fire, roads, and other important considerations for this landscape and the people who use it.

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