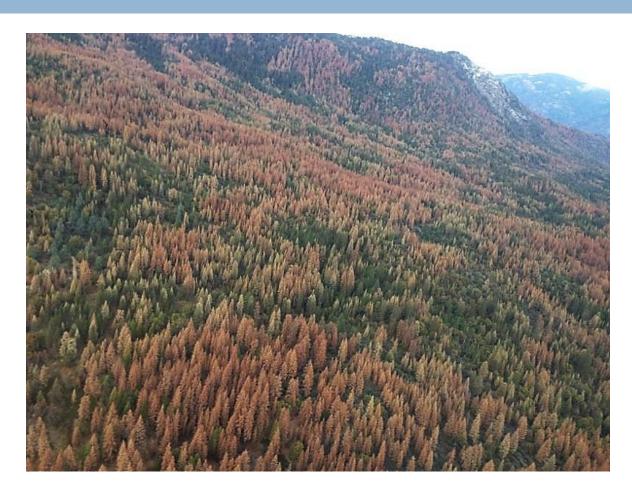
TREE MORTALITY TASK FORCE









FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

CDAA

- California Disaster Assistance Act Funding
 - □ Cal OES
- For removal of dead/dying trees
- Eligibility
 - Threat to public infrastructure and public roadways, public water conveyance.
 - ■25% Local Match
- Requires application and Hazard Tree Mitigation Plan

Presidential Declaration??

- Presidential Declaration threshold is \$52.5 million. (2010 CA population X \$1.41 = \$52.5 million).
- Individual county thresholds for a particular county to receive a Presidential Declaration.
 (2010 county population X \$3.57 = county threshold).
- County has to meet its threshold to be included.

Presidential Declaration??

California Statewide Threshold: 37,253,956 x \$1.41 = \$52,528,078

Per Capital Threshold for each County is:	\$3.57
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COUNTY	<u>POPULATIONS</u>	\$ THRESHOLDS
TUOLUMNE	55,365	\$197,653
MARIPOSA	18,251	\$65,156
MADERA	150,865	\$538,588
FRESNO	930,450	\$3,321,707
TULARE	442,179	\$1,578,579
KERN	839,631	\$2,997,483

California Forest Improvement Program

CFIP

- Cost share program for private landowners >20 acres
- New directive allows use for removal of dead trees of any size
- Requires management plan
- Contact CAL FIRE Unit Forester
- □ 15/16 FY Funding \$2,950,000
- 16/17 FY Funding Projected- \$3,465,000

NRCS - EQIP (\$500,000)

- Forest Tree Mortality Environmental Quality
 Incentives Program
 - Amador to Kern County
- Requires Management Plan
 - FOREST STAND IMPROVEMENT
 - **□FUEL BREAKS**
 - **TREE PRUNING**
 - REPLANTING

SRA Fire Prevention Funds

- CAL FIRE Projects
 - □ Fire prevention projects conducted by CAL FIRE
 - Approximately 1 million/year since FY 2013
 - Expect the same for FY 16/17

SRA Fire Prevention Fee (cont)

Grants

- □ Fire Safe Councils, Non-Profits, Resource Conservation Districts, Community Service Districts, Counties
- □ FY 14/15 \$10 million
- □ FY 15/16 \$5 million
- FY 16/17 anticipate \$5-30 million
- Can be used for projects that provide for protection of structures in the SRA

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund

- Source is AB 32 (Global Warming Solutions Act)
- Must show a net reduction in greenhouse gasses
- Past funding to:
 - Urban & Community Forests
 - Reforestation
 - Forest Legacy
 - Forest Pest Control

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund (cont.)

- FY 14/15 \$42 million
- □ FY 15/16 \$0
- FY 16/17 \$180 million (anticipated)
 - Approximately \$140 million Forest Health and Resilience program
- Projects subject to approval by ARB

California Fire Safe Council

- **\$2,000,000**
- □2016 Grant Program
- □\$200,000 Max
- □50% match
- □Applications due April 22nd

Local Fire Safe Councils (PG&E)

- PG&E Fire Prevention Grants
 - **□**2014- \$5.5 mil
 - ■2015- \$2 mil
 - □2016- Mirror 2015