



**Sierra Nevada Forest and Community Initiative
Regional Coordinating Council Agenda
January 23, 2013 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
The Ridge
Ridge 1 Room
2020 Golf Course Road
Auburn, CA 95602**

Action Items from the January 23, 2013 SNFCI Regional Coordinating Council Meeting:

- 1) The Council revised and agreed upon the following SNFCI Position Statement on Adaptive Management:

The Sierra Nevada Forest and Community Initiative (SNFCI) fosters continuing adaptive management to inform project design and implementation of ecological restoration and habitat improvement. Research through full integration of scientists and field resource experts contribute to adaptive management through the development of a hypothesis-experiment-monitor adjust approach.

- 2) The Coordinating Council supports identifying opportunities to apply the Socio-Economic Indicators, developed as part of the Forest Plan process, to collaborative efforts taking place in the Region.
- 3) Chris Nota will notify staff at the Sierra Nevada Conservancy (SNC) once the full U.S. Forest Service (USFS) Leadership Intent Implementation Plan is posted and available for review. The SNC will send a notification with the link to the entire Council.
- 4) The SNFCI Policy Working Group will convene (with additional members) to discuss the input provided during the Increasing Pace and Scale discussion and prioritize the actions for follow-up. One possible outcome of this workgroup meeting is to develop a set of action recommendations to be presented to the full Coordinating Council for consideration. These should include actions to support activities that are working to increase Pace and Scale as well as actions to address impediments. Upon Coordinating Council concurrence the recommendations will be provided to the USFS.