

APPENDIX D: 2010 Fire Plan Steering Committee

After a lengthy review of the 1996 California Fire Plan by stakeholders, the Board moved forward to form the Fire Plan Steering Committee (Committee) to assist in establishing a framework to develop an updated plan. The updated plan is intended to provide an allocation of resources based on wildfire risk and promote the goal of reducing total costs and losses from wildfire. The Committee is an expert and stakeholder group, consisting of Board members, fire managers, fire chiefs, legislative representatives, local and federal government representatives, educational institution staff and CAL FIRE staff.

The 2010 plan should analyze all elements of fire services in the areas of:

- Fire planning and prevention
- Fire protection organization and operations
- Financial management
- Firefighter/public safety

The intent of the Board is that the plan be “strategic,” with long-term adaptable and measurable goals and:

- Identifies a strategy
- Delineates how that strategy is implemented
- Allows for the development of specific performance measures to evaluate its implementation
- Provides for the ability to adapt as necessary to meet changing social, political and environmental conditions