

**SIGNATURES**

Unit Strategic Fire Plan developed for Madera – Mariposa - Merced

This Plan was collaboratively developed. Interested parties, Federal, State, City, and County agencies within the Unit have been consulted and are listed in the plan. Furthermore, it identifies and prioritizes pre- and post-fire management strategies and tactics meant to reduce the loss of values at risk within the Unit. Lastly, this Plan is intended for use as a planning and assessment tool only. It is the responsibility of those implementing the projects to ensure that all environmental compliance and permitting processes are met as necessary.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### **Executive Summary 2011 Strategic Fire Plan Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit**

Cal Fire Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit (MMU) has drafted a comprehensive update of the Unit Fire Plan for wildland fire protection in Madera, Mariposa and Merced counties. This plan documents wildland fire potential within the Unit and serves as a Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP) for the three counties listed. It includes both stakeholder contributions and priorities and identifies strategic targets for pre-fire solutions. This year at the Unit level we have included strategic planning documents from each Battalion Officer having responsibility in our wildland protection plan and hold this information as a direct communication link to resolve issues and improve our strategic planning process. This plan is a living document to be amended as new information is collected.

The planning process defines a level of service measurement, considers assets at risk, incorporates the cooperative interdependent relationships of wildland fire protection providers, provides for public stakeholder involvement and creates a fiscal framework for policy analysis.

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