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Idaho Forest Practices Advisory Committee to meet in December

(COEUR D'ALENE) – The Idaho Forest Practices Advisory Committee (FPAC) will meet Dec. 5, 2019 in the Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) Coeur d'Alene staff office.

This meeting's agenda will include the results of the Class I, streamside, tree-retention-rule, Shade Effectiveness Study and discussions regarding implications of cable-assisted harvesting technology for the Forest Practices rules.

What: FPAC meeting When: Dec. 5, 2019

Time: 9 A.M. (Pacific Time)

Where: IDL Coeur d'Alene staff office

Sundance Room

3284 W. Industrial Loop Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

Boise Option: Video-conference is available in Boise

IDL Boise staff office Garnet West Room

300 N. 6th St. Boise, Idaho

The purpose of FPAC, as established by Idaho Code, is to provide technical assistance to IDL and the Idaho State Board of Land Commissioners (Land Board) in matters relating to the Idaho Forest Practices Act. The committee typically meets two or three times per year depending on current issues. It is comprised of nine voting members appointed by the IDL director for three-year terms. Members include a fisheries biologist; a non-industrial private forest landowner; two forest landowners (one from northern Idaho and one from southern Idaho); two resident forest operators (one from northern Idaho and one from southern Idaho); two members of the general public (one from northern Idaho and one from southern Idaho); and one at-large member.

This is a public meeting and space in the room is limited, therefore, those who would like to attend are requested to provide an RSVP by contacting Gary Hess at (208) 666-8636 or ghess@idl.idaho.gov.

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