

South Shore Fuels Reduction and Healthy Forest Restoration Project Field Trip – April 11, 2012

- 1:30 pm Meet at Lahontan Region Annex Building - 971, Silver Dollar Ave, South Lake Tahoe and discuss Heavenly SEZ demonstration project
- 1:45 pm Leave Lahontan Region Annex Building - 971, Silver Dollar Ave, South Lake Tahoe
- 2:00-2:35 **Stop 1, past Taylor Creek, park at Pump station** – Aspen Enhancement Project
- Mechanical and hand thinning in SEZs
 - Hand piling and prescribed burning in SEZs
 - Vegetation/habitat improvement and community protection
- 2:45-3:00 **Stop 2, behind High School at Forest road** – South Shore and Angora Thinning Treatments
- Existing Conditions/Desired Conditions
 - Mechanical Whole Tree thinning, mastication, hand thinning and piling on steep slopes
 - Road Maintenance activities
- 3:15-3:30 **Stop 3, End of Nez Perce St. and Forest road** – Upland/SEZ treatments and crossing improvement
- Community protection
 - Crossing Upgrade for Access and aquatic organism passage
 - SEZ treatment
- 3:35-3:45 **Stop 4, Time Permitting Hwy 50 at Truckee River, parking area** – Existing fuel and vegetation conditions
- Mortality and regeneration
 - Previous uses and current SEZ/stream conditions
 - Volume of downed fuels and appropriate treatment methods
- 3:45-4:00 **Return to Lahontan Annex Office via Pioneer Trail/Al Tahoe/Hwy 50** – Discussion in Bus
- Previous Treatments along Pioneer Trail
 - Heavenly SEZ Demo
 - Community Protection

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