

Workshop: Funding Sources and Partnerships Available for Tribal Natural Resources Improvement and Management

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Redding, CA

Holiday Inn Hotel & Convention Center
Northern California Agency
1900 Hilltop Drive, Palomino Room
Redding, CA 96002

- 8:30 - 8:45 Introduction/Opening Comments
- Gerald Jones, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Assistant Regional Forester
Pacific Regional Office
David Wooten, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Tribal Partnerships
Specialist, California/Nevada Regional Office
- 8:45 – 9:30 Bureau of Indian Affairs - Cooperative Agreements, 638 Contracting
and Leveraging Funds
- Gerald Jones - Assistant Regional Forester, Pacific Region
- 9:30 – 9:45 Break
- 9:45 - 11:15 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service - Funding Sources for Fish and Wildlife
Management and Enhancement
- David Wooten - Tribal Partnership Specialist, Tribal Wildlife Grants
- Sheli Wingo - Conservation Partnerships Biologist – Overview of Partners for
Fish and Wildlife Program
- 11:15 – 12:00 Bureau of Reclamation - Technical Assistance and Funding for Water-Related
Natural Resource Issues
- Patricia Rivera - Tribal Liaison

- 12:00 - 1:00 Lunch - On your own
- 1:00 - 1:45 U.S.D.A., Natural Resource Conservation Service - Programs for Enhancement and Protection of Natural Resources
Bob Bailey – District Conservationist, Redding Field Office - U.S.D.A., Natural Resource Conservation Service
- 1:45 - 2:30 Overview of EPA Programs Benefitting Tribal Natural Resource Management
Tim Wilhite - Project Officer - Tribal Program Office - Environmental Protection Agency
- 2:30 - 2:45 Break
- 2:45 - 3:15 Acquiring Excess Government Vehicles & Equipment
Gerald Jones – Regional Forester – Bureau of Indian Affairs, Pacific Regional Office
- 3:15 – 4:00 InterTribal Sinkyone Wilderness Council- A Native Land Trust Accomplishing its Member Tribes' Goals of Conserving Culturally Important Lands and Resources Located Outside Reservation Boundaries
Hawk Rosales – Executive Director – InterTribal Sinkyone Wilderness Council
- 4:00 – 4: 15 Break
- 4:15 - 5:15 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service – Tribal Consultation on the Bald and Golden Eagle Take Permits Implementation Guidance
Marie Strassburger – Regional Migratory Bird Chief
- 5:15 – 5:45 Speakers will be available to answer questions and provide technical assistance