

Agenda Item XII

Moonlight Fire Area Restoration Project Feather River Resource Conservation District Implementation Agreement Administration of Fire Settlement Funds

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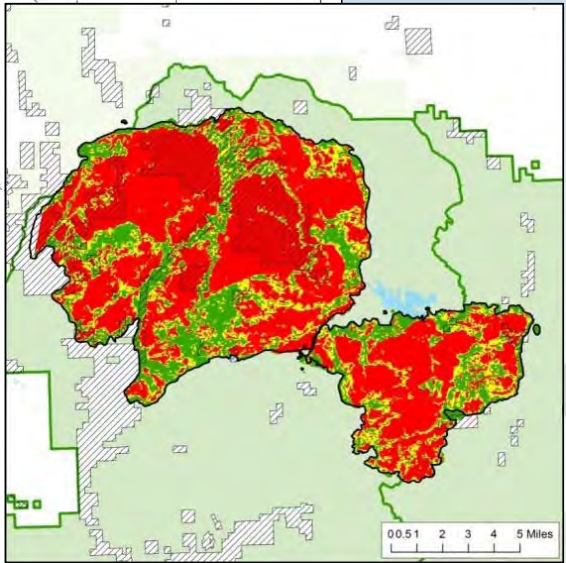
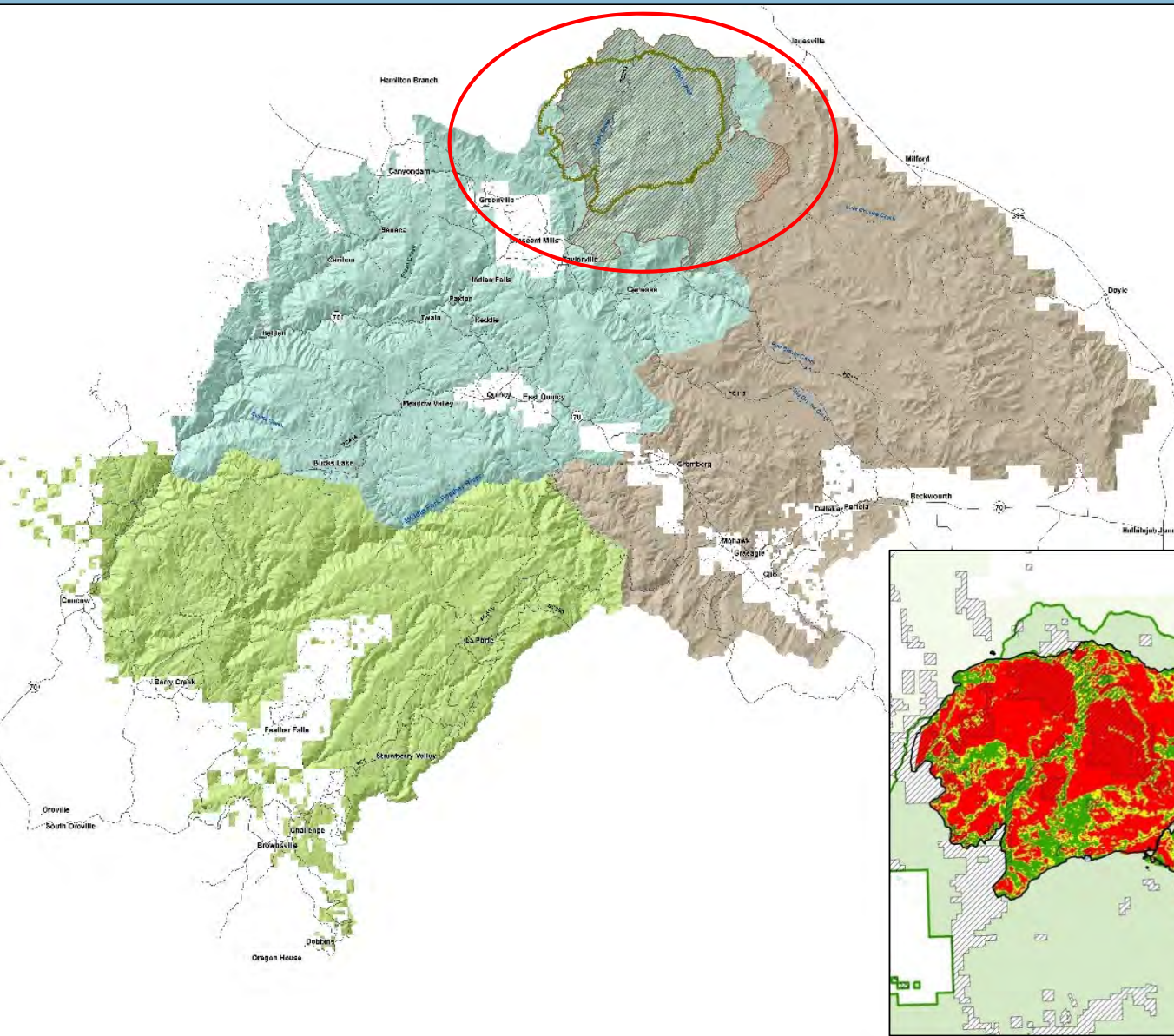


Plumas National Forest

Sierra Nevada Region

2007 Moonlight Fire

65,000 Acres burned in total
37,000 Acres at High Severity



Moonlight Fire Area Restoration Project



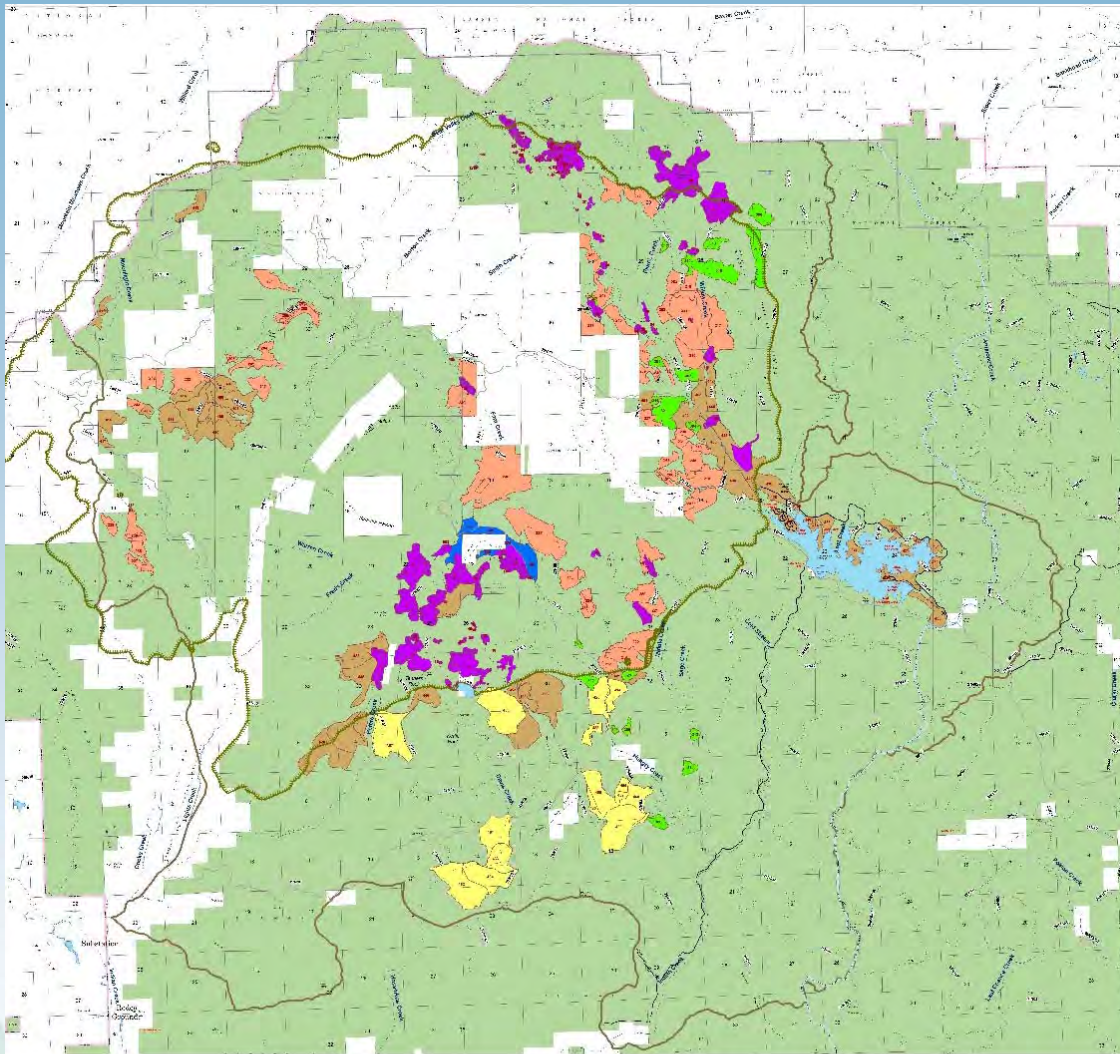
Vicinity Map



Reforestation of Moonlight Fire burn areas

SNC Proposes to:

- File CEQA NOD
- Finalize and Execute an Implementation Grant Agreement with Feather River RCD
- Increase Pace and Scale
- Restore Plumas National Forest Capacity



Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board:

(a) approve findings concurring with the Mitigated Negative Declaration and authorize the Executive Officer to file a Notice of Determination as a Responsible Agency for the Moonlight Fire Area Restoration Project (FPNFMFSF001); and

(b) authorize a grant award to Feather River Resource Conservation District for the Moonlight Fire Area Restoration Project (FPNFMFSF001) as described in Exhibit A for \$6,097,370 and further authorize staff to enter into the necessary agreements to move forward with this project.