



# 2022 Annual Conference

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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**MARCH 28-29**  
**KIMPTON SAWYER HOTEL**  
**SACRAMENTO**

### SPECIAL DAY 3 (MARCH 30) EVENT

JOIN US AS WE HONOR FORMER CALFORESTS  
PRESIDENT AND CEO DAVE BISCHEL. MORE  
INFORMATION - INCLUDING MAP - BELOW.



# DAY 1 PROGRAM

**10:00 TO 11:00 AM:** BUSINESS & VOTING MEMBERS  
MEETING \*CFA MEMBERS ONLY

**11:00AM**

**REGISTRATION**

**12:00 TO 1:15PM**

**LUNCH KEYNOTE:** DISSECTING THE VENADO  
DECLARATION: JERRY BROWN, FORMER GOVERNOR OF  
CALIFORNIA & KEN PIMLOTT, FORMER CAL FIRE DIRECTOR

**1:15 TO 2:15PM**

**FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE REVIEW**

**PANELISTS:** BILL IMBERGAMO,  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FFRC & MARK REY,  
THE LIVINGSTON GROUP

**2:15 TO 2:30PM**

**BREAK**

**2:30 TO 4:00PM**

**FEDERAL FORESTS**

**PANELISTS:** LIZ BERGER & JODY HOLZWORTH, USFS  
REGION 5 DEPUTY REGIONAL FORESTERS, ALONG WITH  
OTHER REGION 5 LEADERSHIP  
INCLUDING DIANA CRAIG &  
RICHARD BARHYDT, PSW STATION DIRECTOR

**3:00 TO 5:00PM**

**REGULATORY STREAMLINING**

**MODERATOR:** GEORGE "YG" GENTRY  
VICE PRESIDENT, CALFORESTS  
**PANELISTS:** JESSICA MORSE, CNRA, MATTHEW REICHSMAN,  
DENNIS HALL, & ERIC HUFF,  
CAL FIRE, PHIL CRADER, WATERBOARDS

**3:00 TO 5:00PM**

**UNIVERSITY ROUNDTABLE**  
\*BY INVITATION ONLY

**5:00 TO 7:00PM**

**RECEPTION**





# DAY 2 PROGRAM

**7:00AM**

**REGISTRATION**

**7:30 TO 9:00AM**

**BREAKFAST LEGISLATIVE PANEL**

**MODERATOR:** KRIS ROSA, ROSTRUM

SCHEDULED ASM. KELLY SEYARTO, ASM. JIM WOOD,  
ASM. LUZ RIVAS, & SEN. JOHN LAIRD

**9:00 TO 10:00AM**

**WILDFIRE RESPONSE**

**PANELISTS:** JOE TYLER, CAL FIRE DIRECTOR & TONY  
SCARDINA, USFS REGION 5 DEPUTY REGIONAL  
FORESTER, STATE & PRIVATE

**10:00 TO 10:45AM**

**WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

**MODERATOR:** MICHAEL BERNICK, SPECIAL COUNSEL,  
DUANE MORRIS, LLP

**PANELISTS:** BECKY ROE, SHASTA COLLEGE, DIRECTOR  
OF FOREST HEALTH & BLAKE KONCZAL, FRESNO  
REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD  
BRANDON SMITH, FORESTRY & FIRE RECRUITMENT  
PROGRAM

**10:45 TO 11:00AM**

**BREAK**

**11:00 AM TO NOON**

**NEXT GENERATION FOREST LEADERS OR MEDIA PANEL**

**NEXT GENERATION MODERATOR:** LIZ FORSBURG,  
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, THE NATURE CONSERVANCY

**PANELISTS:** DREW CRANE, CRANE MILLS; ANDREA  
EGGLETON, FRST CORP, & RACHELLE HEDGES,  
BERKELEY FORESTS

**MEDIA PANEL MODERATOR AND PANEL:** TBD

**NOON TO 1:30PM**

**LUNCH KEYNOTE:** A CONVERSATION WITH WADE  
CROWFOOT, NATURAL RESOURCES SECRETARY





# DAY 2 PROGRAM

**1:30 TO 3:00PM**

**LEGAL UPDATE**

**MODERATOR:** GALEN SCHULER, GREEN DIAMOND

**PANELISTS:** CHRIS CARR, PAUL HASTINGS, LLC.; JOSH NEWTON, BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP.; JIM LYNCH, SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES; SARA GHAFOURI, AFRC; BOB MAYNARD, PERKINS COIE; MARK ELLIOTT, PILLSBURY WINTHROP SHAW PITTMAN LLP; JACOB SCOTT, SMITH CURRIE & HANCOCK& WAYNE WHITLOCK, OFFICE OF WAYNE WHITLOCK

**3:00 TO 3:30PM**

**BREAK**

**3:30 TO 4:30PM**

**CAL FIRE WORKFORCE & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT & CLIMATE CATALYST FUND -I BANK**

**MODERATOR:** MATT DIAS, PRESIDENT, CALFORESTS

**PANELISTS:** ANGIE LOTTES, CAL FIRE ASSISTANT DEPUTY DIRECTOR, CLIMATE AND ENERGY & DAN ADLER, I-BANK SENIOR ADVISOR

**5:00 TO 6:00PM**

**STUDENT RECEPTION**

**\*BY INVITATION ONLY**

**6:00 TO 7:00PM**

**RECEPTION AND RECOGNITION OF LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR: THE HONORABLE BILL DODD**

**7:00 TO 9:00PM**

**ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER-RECOGNITION OF SERVICE OF RICH GORDON**

**\*TICKETS SOLD SEPARATELY**

# DAY 3 PROGRAM

9:00 AM

## DAVE BISCHEL TREE PLANTING CEREMONY

CONFERENCE ATTENDEES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND A TREE PLANTING CEREMONY OUTSIDE THE STATE CAPITOL TO HONOR THE CAREER AND LIFE OF FORMER CALFORESTS PRESIDENT AND CEO, DAVE BISCHEL

