**Date and Time** November 12, 2015, 0900-1600.

**Location** Amador Ranger District Office, Pioneer, California.

**Participants**

Bob Broderick, Bryan Boatman, Burns Brimhall, Chuck Loffland, Gerrit Buma, Gwen Starrett, Gordon Long, Jeff Griffin, Jennifer DeWoody, John Hofmann, Jon Lucas, Julia Stephens, Marc Young, Matt Brown, Megan Fiske, Pat McGreevy, Paul Leusch, Reuben Childress, Rick Hopson, Robert Zellers, and Robin Wall.

**Draft Hemlock Landscape Restoration draft decision letter.**

* The draft letter will be discussed further at the Full ACCG meeting on November 18, 20105.

**Tamarack Fuel Break (**Bryan Boatman and Jon Lucas)

* Handout #1: Tamarack/Sherman Acres WUI Fuel Break Decision Memo.
* Several group members asked why we haven’t heard about this project before.

**Cornerstone Annual Report** (Robin Wall)

* Question was asked why the Foothill Conservancy individual projects were not listed in the report.

**Panther Fuels Reduction and Forest Health Project**

* Planned field trip out to the project sites postponed due to recent snow and ice accumulation.
* Handout #2: Panther Fuels Reduction and Forest Health Project, Purpose and Need.
* Handout #3: Map of Panther Project, 11/12/15.
* Workgroup requested that PACs are indicated in a circle on project map and what is proposed and treatments within these units.
* GTR 220 discussion in Purpose and Need document should be on a broader framework.
* Continue discussion of herbicide use with ACCG and reword bullet #3 on Page #3 of Purpose and Need document.

**Next Steps and Follow-ups**

* Continue discussion of ACCG Decision Process on Projects to include “after action” and what ACCG would do differently.
* Complete Foster Firs letter and send out to Planning group (Gwen Starrett).
* Rick Hopson and Teresa McClung will present information on Stevenson Funds at a future ACCG Full meeting.
* Provide regular update to Planning group the status of current and future Cornerstone projects
* Suggested that an Admin position should be added to ACCG Planning to help facilitate and follow-up the multiple topics and pending tasks (Julia Stephens).
* Future planning topics:
	+ Revisit monitoring of SOPA and provide regular update to Planning group.
	+ Revisit and continue discussion on Cole Creek Meadows (Gwen Starrett).
	+ FY 2016 Cornerstone Program of Work and Fire Settlement.
	+ Opportunities and challenges faced by the USFS with prescribed burning.
	+ Foster Firs after action.
	+ Long-term strategic planning.
	+ Continue regular discussion and updates of Panther Project.

**Next ACCG Planning Meeting is tentative for December 9, 2015.**