

# Amador-Calaveras Consensus Group (ACCG) -- General Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, January 21st, 2026, 9:00 a.m. – 11:30a.m.

## IMPORTANT MEETING INFORMATION

Join [Zoom Meeting](#)

Amador Ranger Station, Pioneer, CA

NOTE: The Zoom Online meeting will be opened by **8:50 AM**. [Additional Zoom guidance provided here.](#)

**Volunteer Meeting Facilitator: Carinna Robertson** **Zoom Host: Char Sarkis**

## Meeting Agenda

Item #	Agenda Item	Owner(s)	Start Time	Mins
0	Open virtual meeting.	Sarkis	8:50	10
1	Success story: Beaver Fire & FPP Phase 1 Project (Amador District)	Martinez	9:00	5
2	Call to order and ground rules. <b>Review visitor protocol for Federal facilities.</b>	Sarkis/Layhee	9:05	5
3	Participant introductions, and modification, approval of agenda, and November 2025 GM summary	Robertson	9:10	5
<b>Presentation &amp; Discussion:</b>				
4	MAC Monitoring Strategy Development Update	Layhee/Estes	9:15	60
	10-minute break		10:15	10
5	UMRWA-USFS FPP Phase 1 & MAC Update	Sykes/Layhee	10:25	10
6	Roundtable	All	10:35	30
<b>Work Group Updates:</b>				
7	Admin Work Group Update	Sarkis/Layhee	11:05	5
8	Planning Work Group Update	Layhee	11:10	10
9	Monitoring Work Group Update	Layhee	11:20	5
10	Wrap up. Next ACCG General meeting is Wed., 2/18/2026 – at the Calaveras Ranger Station in Hathaway Pines. Facilitator: TBD	Robertson	11:25	5

## Meeting Materials

- 01 [draft] ACCG General Meeting Summary 11.19.2025
- 02 [draft] ACCG General Meeting Agenda 01.21.2026
- 03 [draft] ACCG-Admin-WG-Meeting-Action-Items.01.12.2026
- 04 UMRWA FS MAC Monitoring Strategy Development.ppt slides
- 05 [draft] MAC Monitoring Quick Glance Table\_ACCGFullMeeting\_01162026

Supporting links and documents: [ACCG Meeting Ground Rules](#)

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## Meeting Schedule

Meeting Date & Location	Presenter/Guest Speaker(s)	Topics(s)
Wed., Jan. 21st, 2026 Facilitator: Robertson Location: Amador RD Office, Pioneer	Layhee/Estes	MAC Monitoring Strategy Development
Wed., Feb. 18th, 2026 Facilitator: Dodson Location: Calaveras RD Office, Hathaway Pines	Rob Houghton	Arnold Rim Trail Association Calaveras Trails Project (tentative)
Wed., Mar. 18th, 2026 Facilitator: Heissenbuttel Location: Amador RD Office, Pioneer	Kimberly Pruett	McClintock presentation (tentative)
Wed., April 15th, 2026 Facilitator: Pickard Location: Calaveras RD Office, Hathaway Pines	Forest Service	MAC decisions (tentative)
Wed., May 20th, 2026 Facilitator: Robertson Location: Amador RD Office, Pioneer	TBD	TBD
Wed., June 17th, 2026 Facilitator: Dodson Location: Calaveras RD Office, Hathaway Pines	TBD	TBD
Wed., July 15th, 2026 Facilitator: Pickard? Location: Amador RD Office, Pioneer	TBD	TBD
Wed., August 19th, 2026 Facilitator: Heissenbuttel? Location: Calaveras RD Office, Hathaway Pines	TBD	TBD
Wed., Sept 16th, 2026 Facilitator: Location: TBD	Field Tour	Field Tour (tentative)

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Meeting Date & Location	Presenter/Guest Speaker(s)	Topics(s)
Wed., Oct 21st, 2026 Facilitator: Dodson Location: Calaveras RD Office, Hathaway Pines	Layhee/Estes	MAC Monitoring Strategy and Funding Plan Consensus item (tentative)
Wed., Nov 18th, 2026 Facilitator: Heissenbuttel Location: Amador RD Office, Pioneer	UMRWA	MAC Implementation Plan (tentative)
Wed., Dec 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2026 – No ACCG General Meeting		

To recommend topics or speakers, contact the [ACCG Administrator](#).

## Potential Future General Meeting/Field Tour Topics List

- Caldor Fire Restoration GTR 270 Analysis (Becky Estes)
- STF Biochar study (part II)
- UMRWA WCB Aspen Restoration Project
- Prescribed Burn Associations (UCCE)
- Wilseyville Biomass Facility
- [Panel Discussion] UMRWA, Cal Am Team, CHIPS and USFS: supporting local economies with forest health contracts, including funding
- Fire Regeneration Methods (e.g., mushrooms)
- Management activities that increase water yield (e.g., prescribed fire, beavers, cover crops, etc.)
- Management of lands in ACCG landscape (e.g., BLM, SPI)
- Sierra Business Council presentation on CERF program and opportunities for ACCG collaboration
- Development of forest treatment prescriptions based on residual basal area VS. DBH
- SPI's Spotted Owl Research & Tracking Study (Kevin Roberts)
- Great American Outdoors Act
- [Field Tour] Caldor Fire Restoration
- [Field Tour] STF McKay's Strategic FB Project
- [Field Tour/Workshop] TEK (e.g., cultural burning)
- [Field Tour] EBMUD land and fire management approaches
- [Field Tour] FPP Phase 1 implementation
- [Field Tour] CA Big Trees Prescribed Fire Program