

Southern Willamette Forest Collaborative Rigdon Collaboration Committee

Jan 25th , 1:00 – 2:00PM, Virtual Meeting

"Coming together for healthy forests and communities"

Meeting link: <https://meet.google.com/stg-oncz-bha>

Attendees: Kathy H., Cameron M., Chandra L., Chloe S., Jean C., Jim W., Kris E., Anne T., Sarah A-P., Ted R. (Seneca), Betty Jean K., Molly J., James J.

Agenda

1. Youngs Rock Rigdon

- a. Youngs Rock Rigdon timeline
 - i. Alan is coming back to get draft EIS out
 - ii. Specialists finishing up reports
 - iii. Getting to forest sup mid-Fed, draft soon after that
 - iv. Will get info out when 45-day public comment period is open
- b. Public meeting
 - i. Probably March or April
 - ii. New WC director joining soon
 - iii. Collaborative will have Zoom capability - feel more comfortable with Zoom after RVCC AAR
- c. Learning sessions RE: Rigdon monitoring projects
 - i. Open to public? About James's research and fire history
 - ii. Also Bart's work - after April
 - iii. Should they be combined or separate, collab-only or open to public?
 - 1. James ready to share with collab, FS, Seneca - whenever is fine and eager to jump back in
 - 2. Two different meetings would be good - present to committee/SWFC first followed by larger public event
 - a. Better in person as a pub talk, just don't know when that's possible (maybe july/august?)
 - b. March/early April for internal - could be good to do with Bart, but have so much info that it might be best to split
 - c. Separate, 1- hour sessions (Bart not until after April)
 - d. James and Sarah to talk offline to figure out details
 - 3. Add another blog with more conclusions
 - iv. Put in proposal for Region 6 webinar with James and Bart's research
 - 1. Also suggestions around GAOA and Firewise (2 sessions)

2. Steeple Rock Rigdon updates

- a. Nothing around proposed action yet

- b. Surveys completed last season, now just consolidating data
- c. March - road by road and stand by stand analysis
- d. Timeline for getting a planner? Anne and Leslie have been leading
- e. Dome rock - granted another field season to look at what can be done
- f. Meadow lists - getting late for input; now would be timely for input on Steeple Rock
- bare bones, coal creek
- g. Avenza screenshare from SWFC website
 - i. What the files are and how to use them

3. Outreach

- a. Updates to rigdon webpage swfcollaborative.org/rigdon
 - i. Will push more info out on blog page, too
- b. Rigdon outreach resources now posted online

4. Logistics

- a. Switch to zoom?

Learning Opportunities

- Joint Learning Opportunity: Land Allocations & Stand Level Silviculture, February 18th, 11-12:30 online. *PLEASE REGISTER BY 5:00PM FEBRUARY 11TH* **Link:**
<https://forms.gle/Cr5nktESSat2H6U58>
- Collaborative Fire Planning Workshop, February 24-25 [More info here](#)
- PODS - <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1748-9326/ab6498/meta>
- Changes to Owl monitoring - new method using recording devices - ask Joe to present?
 - Could be joint meeting with IDT

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0378112718318565>

PineGrass/ODF stuff