NOTICE OF PREPARATION TO HARVEST TIMBER

A Non-Industrial Timber Management Plan (NTMP) or Amendment has been submitted to the California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection (CAL FIRE). CAL FIRE will be reviewing the proposed timber operation for compliance with State law and rules of the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection. The following briefly describes the proposed timber operation and where and how to get more information. In accordance with the timeline stated under Public Resources Code Section 4593.7, you may submit written public comments on the NTMP or Amendment for CAL FIRE to consider.

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This notice applies to (select one below):

New Non-Industrial Timber Management Plan

Amendment to an Approved Non-Industrial Timber Management Plan

Applicant Information (Plan Submitter should match those listed in the NTMP or Amendment.)

1. The name of the Plan or Amendment Submitter:

<u>Project Summary</u> (County, legal description, acres proposed to be harvested and treatments to be used should match those listed in the NTMP or Amendment.)

2. Location of the proposed NTMP area (county, legal description, approximate direction & approximate distance of the NTMP area from the nearest community or well-known landmark):

3. The name of the nearest perennial blue line stream flowing through or downstream from the NTMP area:

4. The acreage of the area to be included in the NTMP: ______

5. The silvicultural method(s) proposed:

6. <u>Public Information</u>: The review times allowed for CAL FIRE to review the proposed timber operation are variable in length, but limited. To ensure CAL FIRE receives your comments please read the following:

The estimated earliest possible date CAL FIRE may **APPROVE** the NTMP or Amendment is:_____ (This date is 45 calendar days from receipt of the NTMP or Amendment by CAL FIRE.)

NOTE: THE ESTIMATED EARLIEST APPROVAL DATE IS PROBABLY NOT THE ACTUAL APPROVAL DATE. Normally, a much longer period of time is available for public comment and preparation of CAL FIRE's responses to public comments. Please check with CAL FIRE, prior to the above listed date, to determine the actual date that the public comment period closes.

The public may review, or purchase a copy of, the NTMP or Amendment at the CAL FIRE Review Team Office shown below. The cost to obtain a copy is 37 cents for each page, \$2.50 minimum per request. The cost to obtain a copy of this NTMP or Amendment is:

(to be completed by CAL FIRE upon receipt of NTMP)

Questions or concerns regarding this plan may be directed to CAL FIRE Review Team Office shown below or email to <u>FresnoPublicComment@fire.ca.gov</u> for incorporation into an Official Response Document. Please include the plan number on all correspondence.

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The NTMP may be viewed online at <u>https://caltreesplans.resources.ca.gov/caltrees/</u> You are not required to register in CalTREES to review a harvest document.

A map showing the approximate boundary of the NTMP area, a map legend, and a scale is attached to help in locating where the proposed timber operation is to occur.

For CAL FIRE Use Only

NTMP Number:

Date of Receipt: