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Media Advisory

THE BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION AND CAL FIRE ANNOUNCE A PLAN THAT WILL INCREASE VEGETATION TREATMENT PROJECTS TO REDUCE WILDFIRE RISK

SACRAMENTO—The State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (Board) and CAL FIRE will announce plans to initiate preparation of the new California Vegetation Treatment Program Environmental Impact Report (CalVTP). The CalVTP represents more than a decade of Board work analyzing potential environmental effects associated with vegetation management aimed at reducing wildland fire risk across the state.

Who: The State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection Chair Keith Gilless and CAL

FIRE Director Thom Porter

What: Announcement of New CalVTP – Supporting the increased pace and scale of

vegetation management for wildland fire risk reduction and ecological

restoration

When: Tuesday, January 22, 2019

11:00 a.m.

Where: State Capitol, West Steps

1315 10th St, Sacramento, CA 95814

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