



# Council of Western State Foresters 2017 Spring Business Meeting

May 16-17, 2017 | Flagstaff, AZ | Little America Resort

**Invited Attendees:** State & Pacific Island Foresters, CWSF Staff, NASF Officers & Staff, CWSF Committee & Task Force Chairs, NAASF & SGSF representatives.

*Tuesday, May 16*

7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	<b>Full Continental Breakfast</b>
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b> Mike Lester (CO), CWSF Chair  <i>CWSF Strategic Plan Goal – Strong Organization, Strong Results</i>
8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	<b>CWSF Mid-Year Status Check</b> Mike Lester (CO), CWSF Chair <i>Outcome: Discussion of CWSF deliverables</i>
9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Financial Report</b> Jeff Whitney (AZ), CWSF Treasurer
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Communications Report</b> Sara Goodwin, CWSF Communications Director <i>Outcome: Discussion of 2017 Status</i>
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Western State Fire Managers Report-Out</b> JT Wensman, Idaho Fire Bureau Chief  <i>CWSF Strategic Plan Goal – Power of Partnerships</i>
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<b>NASF and State Forester Partner Organization Updates</b> Bill Crapser (WY), NASF President and Jay Farrell, NASF Executive Director Ian MacFarlene (NAASF) and Wib Owen (SGSF)
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>  <i>CWSF Strategic Plan Goal – Trusted Source</i>
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Pac/West Project Summary</b> Mark Truax, Pac/West Vice President and Chris West, Senior Vice President of Operations Pac/West
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	<b>Farm Bill – Member Discussion of CWSF Priorities Relating to Farm Bill</b> Kelsey Delaney (CWSF)
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Break</b>
3:30 – 4:45 p.m.	<b>NASF Performance Measures</b> Lowell Ballard, Timmons Group and Chris Maisch, AK State Forester
4:45 – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Meeting Wrap-Up</b>



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7:00 – 8:00 a.m.

**Full Continental Breakfast for All Attendees**

8:00 – 8:10 a.m.

**Welcome**

Mike Lester (CO), CWSF Chair

*CWSF Strategic Plan Goal – Member Focused*

8:10 – 10:45 a.m.

**State Forester Roundtable**

Mike Lester (CO)

*Outcome: Update on state priorities. Each member will get approximately 10 minutes.*

10:45 – 11:00 a.m.

**Wrap-Up and Meeting Debrief**

Mike Lester (CO) and Caitlyn Pollihan (CWSF)

11:00 a.m. – 5:00  
p.m.

**WFLC Meeting Begins – Lunch for All Attendees and Field Tour**

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