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Lower North Fork Wildfire Commission

Wednesday, August 22, 2012

Senate Committee Room 356
State Capitol

Call to Order

9:00 a.m. **Lessons from the Four Mile Canyon Fire in Boulder County**

The procedures and implementation of prescribed burn plans; the coordination of fire departments and evacuation orders

- *Jay Stalnacker, County Fire Management Officer, Boulder County*
- *Sheriff Joe Pelle, Boulder County*
- *Mike Chard, Emergency Manager, Boulder County*

10:00 a.m. **Description of Washington State's Mobilization Act and Legislative Efforts on Improved Emergency Response Systems**

- *Chief Bill McLaughlin, Elk Creek Fire Protection District*

10:30 a.m. **Update on Implementation of Wildland and Prescribed Burn Provisions in House Bill 12-1283**

- *Paul Cooke, Director of the Division of Fire Prevention and Control, Colorado Department of Public Safety*

11:00 a.m. **Prescribed Burns and Air Quality Regulations**

- *Gordon Pierce and Will Allison, Air Pollution Control Division, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment*

12:00 p.m. **Lunch Recess**

1:00 p.m. **Methods of Watershed Protection**

- *Don Kennedy, Denver Water*

1:45 p.m. **Colorado Forest Health, Prescribed Burns, and the Wildland-Urban Interface**

- *Dr. Tony Cheng, Director, Colorado State University Colorado Forest Restoration Institute*
- *Dr. Joyce Berry, Dean, Colorado State University Warner College of Natural Resources*

2:30 p.m. **Public Testimony**

3:00 p.m. **Discussion on Draft Legislation**

- *Bo Pogue, Legislative Council Staff*
- *Bob Lackner, Office of Legislative Legal Services*

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