



FFH Implementation Partnership – Selected Projects

Forest	Project Descriptions	Funds	Mechanism
FreWin	<u>Unit layout and timber marking</u> on Black Hills, Bluejay, Deuce, Mudhoney.	\$300,000	ODF Seasonal Crew
	<u>Stand exams</u> on Thomas Creek & Blue Jay II.		
Ochoco	<u>Property boundary surveying</u> on Gap and Edge timber sales. Establishes line between public and private land.	\$90,000	IDIQ Contractor
Malheur	<u>LiDAR acquisition & stand exams</u> to support collaborative/research on Canyon Creek Complex.	\$178,200	IGA w/ DOGAMI; ODF Contract
Willamette	<u>Road surveys</u> for upcoming timber sales. ODF will gather data to inform USFS contracting to access NEPA-ready timber sales.	\$75,000	ODF Seasonal Crew
Siuslaw	<u>Marbeled murrelet surveys</u> . Intent to extend operating season on existing sale areas.	\$115,000	ODF Contract
RogueRS	<u>Heritage resource surveys</u> : Agnes project. Protocol shift to survey treatment units only.	\$35,000	IDIQ Contractor

Good Neighbor Authority

- Authorized by 2014 Farm Bill and Appropriations Bill
 - Effectively allows states to implement actions on federal forests
 - Federal agency retains Decision-making authority
- Two-tiered agreement. In Oregon:
 - **Master Agreement:** Governor and Regional Forester to sign w/ State Forester & ODFW Director
 - **Supplemental Project Agreements:** District Foresters / Forest Supervisors sign
- Federal dollars routed through state agencies
 - ODF will need spending limitation
 - Includes timber sale receipts to recoup state costs

Good Neighbor Authority

- Wide range of possible roles:
 - Data collection (stand exams, heritage surveys)
 - NEPA Team Participation (Fire & Fuels, Fish Bio)
 - Pre-sale assistance (unit layout, timber marking)
 - Timber sale administration
 - Contract administration (non-commercial activities)
 - Treatment implementation (pre-commercial thin, pile, Rx burn)
 - Aquatic habitat monitoring and restoration (ODFW)
 - Any other Federal-State business (ie. detection cameras)
- Out of the gate ideas:
 - SOD treatments on the RogueRS
 - Pre-commercial thinning on the FreWin

A new ODF program

- Core business statement:
 - Accelerate the pace, scale and quality of forest restoration to increase the resilience of Oregon's federal forests, in a manner that leverages collaborative efforts and contributes to the long-term vitality of regional economies and rural communities.
- Program principles:
 - Partnership-oriented
 - Transparent decision making
 - Flexible and adaptable
 - Increase system capacity
 - Measurable metrics