Interim Resolution on U.S. Forest Service Workforce Capacity and Infrastructure

Issue: The U.S. Forest Service lacks the personnel and infrastructure capacity necessary to properly manage, conserve and restore the National Forest System.

Adopted Policy: The National Association of Counties (NACo) supports the findings and conclusions set forth in the National Association of Forest Service Retirees’ report, entitled “Increasing Workforce Capacity to Increase the Pace and Scale of Restoration on National Forest System Lands” and will work with the administration and Congress toward implementing the report’s recommendations and toward policies that add, repair and maintain needed infrastructure with the U.S. Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture and other appropriate entities.

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