## NAFSR Program of Work for 2024-2025 As of March 6, 2024

The primary role of NAFSR is providing independent, non-partisan, highly professional analysis and critique of existing and emerging natural resource management and administration issues. Our program of work embodies our fulfillment of that role.

Focus Areas

- <u>Wildfire Crisis Strategy (Also known as the 10-year Plan)</u> (Bill Avey, Mike Dudley, and membership support as needed.)
- Mature and Old Growth (Bill Avey and Restoration Committee) Recent Advocacy Work
- Climate (Rich Guldin and Climate Committee) Carbon Position Paper
- Recreation (Nora Rasure and Recreation Committee)
- Transition to New Administration If Needed (Vacant)
- Firefighter Pay (Mike Dudley and Fire Committee)
- Emerging Issues identified as needed.

## Ongoing Work

- Congressional Relationships (Doug Crandall)
- American Wildlife Conservation Partners (Kevin Martin)
- Forest Climate Working Group (Rich Guldin)
- Recruit new members (All Board members)
- 2023 NAFSR Accomplishment Report (Steve Ellis)
- 2024 <u>Student Congress</u> (Ranotta McNair/Lynn Sprague)
- Quarterly Meeting Agendas (Vice Chair with rotating Board members)
- Membership Recruitment/Engagement (Nora Rasure)

## Staffing- Standing Committees and Leads

Standing Committees

- Standing committees may be established by the Board to further our mission and objectives. Members with relevant experience and interest will form committee membership as appropriate. NAFSR membership is not required to serve on committees.
- Current Committees and Chairs are listed below:
  - Climate (Rich Guldin)
  - Restoration (Bill Avey)
  - Recreation (Nora Rasure)-
  - Fire (Mike Dudley)
  - McGuire and Leisz Awards (Tim DeCoster)

## Standing Leads

• A "Standing Lead" is a member of the Board, or a designated person approved by the Board, who has a passion and current understanding in a given subject area. They know how to navigate the subject within the current organization and bring forward on how to have NAFSR engage. The Lead has responsibility for how to handle and manage the issue and obtain Board approval.

- Subject areas and standing leads are listed below:
  - CEQ and NEPA (Sharon Friedman)
  - Endangered Species Act (Marisue Hilliard)
  - Legislation (Doug Crandall)

If you have comments/questions or would like to contribute your expertise in any of these areas, you can <u>Contact the Board</u> through the NAFSR website. Click on embedded web links for further information.