

Exhibit A
SCOPE OF WORK

This scope of work is for roadside brushing along approximately 4.64 miles along Lyons Bald Mtn. with a 40 ft right of way for Lyons Bald Mtn (Greenly Rd to Apple Valley Estates and the rest of the road right of way is 50 ft. to the end.) located in Tuolumne County.

Specific project treatments are as follows:

1. Contractor will be required to clear small vegetation and ladder fuels within the documented right-of-way area.
2. Remove all vegetation 18 inches in diameter or smaller within or hanging over the county right of way.
3. Pruning of trees will be done by following proper pruning procedures that are outlined in ANSI A300 standards
4. All vegetation that is cut or touched should be removed by the contractor
5. Contractor to apply stump treatment while following all state, local and federal regulations along with the recommendations of a licensed advisor. Must provide stump treatment plan in approach section of proposal
6. Adhere to the highest traffic control safety standards and obtain traffic control plan approval from the Tuolumne County Chief Roads Engineer before any road closures, diversions or other traffic hindrances. (See Exhibit B)
7. The County will be responsible to maintain the cleared in accordance with the County Spray Program.

All work will be performed following best management practices and CEQA guidelines, as detailed in the California Forest Practice Rules. Tuolumne County will be responsible for flagging areas to protect or avoid per CEQA guidelines (historic sites, riparian areas, biological and wildlife features). Contractor will make every reasonable effort to ensure that all culvert and drainage structures are free of pine needles and woody debris associated with this project.

Location:

This project encompasses approximately 4.64 miles along Lyons Bald Mtn. with a 40 ft right of way for Lyons Bald Mtn (Greenly Rd to Apple Valley Estates and the rest of the road right of way is 50 ft. to the end.) located in Tuolumne County.

Equipment:

Equipment shall be furnished on a fully operational basis, of modern design, and in good operating condition, with competent, fully qualified operators. The Contractor shall provide all transportation of equipment, tools, personnel, and supplies to the work sites. Contractor shall be responsible for all fuel, lubrication, repair, and replacement for Contractor's equipment. All chainsaws and other motorized equipment shall be equipped with Forest Service approved spark arrestors and meet California Division of Industrial Safety specifications. The following are minimum equipment requirements: