



Rim Fire Reforestation (45612)

Environmental Impact Statement Errata Stanislaus National Forest

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Environmental Impact Statement

Make the following changes to the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)¹.

Response to Comments

- **Black-backed Woodpecker** (EIS, p. 651): replace the last two sentences in the first paragraph of the Response to Comment **109** with the following:

The remaining habitat within the Rim Fire after these projects were implemented was about 42,750 acres or 84% of the habitat remained. About 25,300 acres of habitat remained on NFS lands.

Inventoried Roadless Area Unit Boundary Corrections

Based on recent mapping information, the Forest Service discovered portions of six reforestation units (about 22 acres) and five thin existing plantation units (about 13 acres) overlap into the Tuolumne River Inventoried Roadless Area (IRA). These IRA unit boundaries corrections drop the IRA portions of each unit from the EIS.

- **Inventoried Roadless Areas** (EIS, p. 63): replace the second sentence in the last paragraph with the following:

The alternatives considered in detail do not include any activities within or adjacent to these IRAs except where portions of six reforestation units (I122C, I122E, I123B, I133, I134B, I138) and five thin existing plantation units (I121D, I122A, I122B, I134A, I135A) are located near the Tuolumne River canyon rim, adjacent to the Tuolumne River IRA.

- Replace all occurrences of **21,300** (Reforestation acres) **with 21,279** (EIS, p. xiv-xvi, 12, 14, 25-26, 33-34, 51, 111, 130, 133, 299, 533, 534, 560, 568, 631)².
- Replace all occurrences of **12,769** (Thin Existing Plantation acres) **with 12,756** (EIS, p. xv-xvi, 14, 30, 35, 37, 39, 51, 111).
- Replace the EIS Appendix E unit acres with the Errata acres (rounded to the nearest whole number) as shown in Table 1.

¹ USDA 2016a. Rim Fire Reforestation Environmental Impact Statement. April 2016. USDA Forest Service, Stanislaus National Forest, Sonora, CA. 662 p.

² The total net change (-21 acres) in overall Reforestation acres is due to incorporating the IRA unit boundary corrections (-22 acres) along with all other reforestation units (rounded to the nearest whole number).

Table 1 Inventoried Roadless Area Unit Boundary Corrections

Unit	EIS (pages)	Alternatives	Treatment	EIS (acres)	Drop IRA (acres)	Errata (acres)	Drop (%)
I122C	557, 564, 577	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	13.256	8.553	4.704	64.52%
I122E	557, 564, 577	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	24.031	9.777	14.254	40.68%
I123B	557, 565, 578	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	34.901	0.002	34.898	0.01%
I133	557, 565, 578	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	19.050	3.268	15.782	17.16%
I134B	557, 565, 578	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	22.017	0.165	21.852	0.75%
I138	557, 565, 578	1, 3, 5	Reforestation	20.866	0.264	20.602	1.27%
subtotal				134.121	22.029	112.092	16.42%
I121D	591	1, 3, 4, 5	Thin Existing Plantation	32.105	2.446	29.659	7.62%
I122A	591	1, 3, 4, 5	Thin Existing Plantation	10.967	8.834	2.132	80.56%
I122B	591	1, 3, 4, 5	Thin Existing Plantation	6.310	0.338	5.972	5.36%
I134A	591	1, 3, 4, 5	Thin Existing Plantation	6.450	0.621	5.829	9.63%
I135A	591	1, 3, 4, 5	Thin Existing Plantation	10.964	0.910	10.054	8.30%
subtotal				66.795	13.149	53.646	19.69%
total				200.916	35.178	165.738	17.51%

EIS=Environmental Impact Statement; IRA=Inventoried Roadless Area