



Over the past 18 months the Idaho Department of Lands and USFS Northern and Intermountain Regions have developed a Shared Stewardship strategy that focuses federal and state resources on critically needed treatments across all ownership boundaries. We are proud of the work that we have accomplished together to date.

The Idaho Forest Restoration Partnership and Rural Voices for Conservation Coalition, with assistance from the USFS and Idaho Department of Lands; have partnered to develop a survey that will help us understand the quality of partnerships and the impacts of Shared Stewardship. In addition to providing us with baseline information on the strength of partnerships, this survey is intended to pilot a means by which we can measure partnership under shared stewardship in other locations across the nation. As forest managers, we encourage you to participate in this important survey.

Additional information about shared stewardship in Idaho can be found at: <https://www.idl.idaho.gov/forestry/shared-stewardship/>. If you have questions regarding this survey, please contact: John Robison, Public Lands Director, Idaho Conservation League, 208-559-0283, [jrobison@idahoconservation.org](mailto:jrobison@idahoconservation.org); Peg Polichio, Shared Stewardship Coordinator, Idaho Department of Lands, 208-819-0507, or Andy Brunelle, Idaho Capital City Coordinator, Forest Service Intermountain and Northern Regions, 208-861-3463, [andy.brunelle@usda.gov](mailto:andy.brunelle@usda.gov).

Sincerely,

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Craig Foss, Idaho Department of Lands, State Forester

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Frank R. Beum, USFS Intermountain Region, Acting Regional Forester