

# Forest Health Feather River

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# **CAL FIRE - CCI Forest Health Grant**

### Awarded in: July 28th, 2022 - March 2026

### \$4,249,220.29

- Grant project areas
  - Brush Creek
  - Lake Madrone
  - Forbestown ("35/45" project area)
  - Clipper Mills





# **Fire History within the Grant Boundaries**

- LUMPKIN FIRE
- September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- 1,040 acres
- Cause still under investigation
- Threatened Forbestown

- CHINESE WALL FIRE
  - July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017
  - 6,033 acres
  - 101 structures destroyed

#### PONDEROSA FIRE

- August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017
- 4,016 acres
- 32 homes destroyed &
  22 out buildings

# **Fire History (continued)**

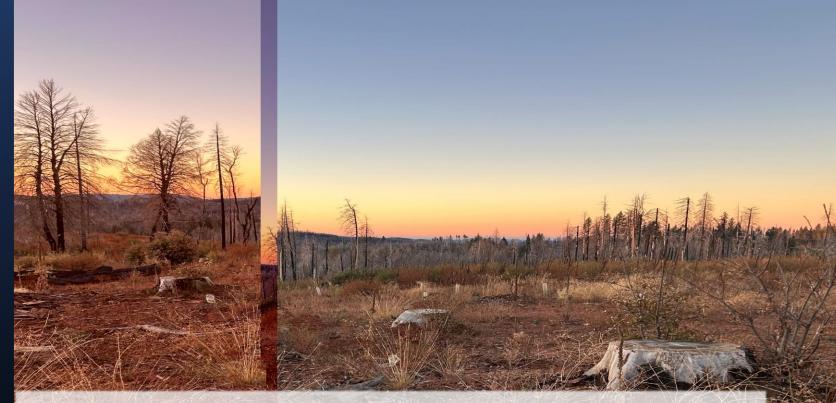
#### SWEDES FIRE

- September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- 496 acres
- No structures damaged.

#### NORTH COMPLEX FIRE

- Started August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 as a series of lighting strikes
- 318,935 acres
- September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 strong north winds pushed the fire into Berry Creek & Feather Falls
- 2,352 structures destroyed
- 15 fatalities

# Brush Creek, CA



### 85 acre of burn scar restoration

- Hazardous tree removal
- Mastication
- Pile Burning
- Tree Planting
- Foliar herbicide application (two rounds)

### Lake Madrone, CA

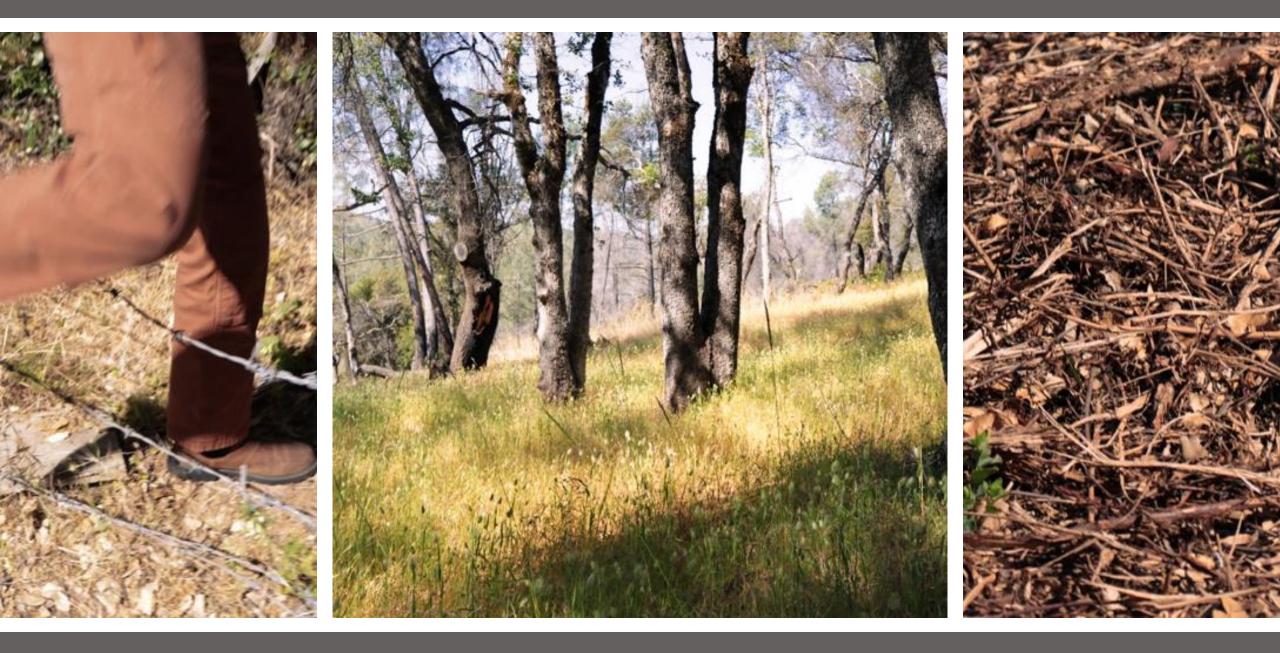
Grazing - 127.5 acres Mastication - 128 acres HC&C - 65 acres Herbicide - 395.5 acres Pile Burning - 7 acres Reforestation - 232 acres

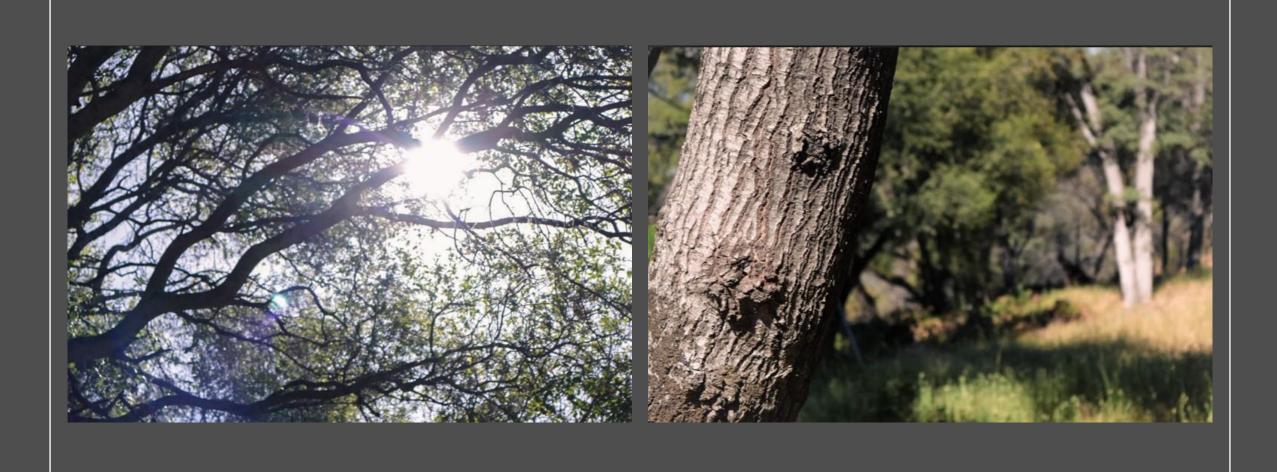
#### Forbestown, CA 35/45 Project

Mastication - 138.2 Hand Cut & Chip - 35.7 acres Grazing - 125 acres Herbicide - 179.1 acres











### Clipper Mills, CA (Private)

# Mastication: 262 acres Hand Cut & Chip: 20 acres Herbicide Spray: 162 acres





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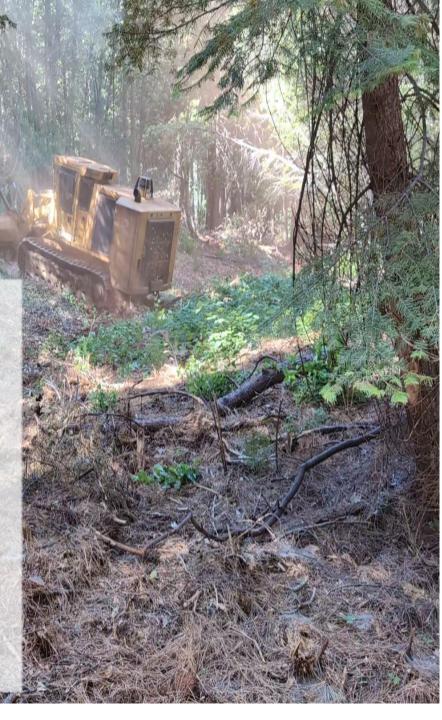
# **Clipper Mills, CA** (Industrial)

# <u>SPI</u>

- Mastication: 284 acres
- Herbicide: 284 acres

#### **CHY Company**

- Mastication: 79 acres
- Herbicide: 79 acres Siller Brothers
- Mastication: 85 acres
- Herbicide: 85 acres



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