AGENDA



Spruce Beetle Epidemic and Aspen Decline Management Response (SBEADMR) Annual Stakeholder Field Trip

# August 11, 2022, 8:00 AM

# **Location:** Muddy Aspen TS, Terror Creek Applied Silviculture Assessment

# **Meet at:** GMUG NF Supervisors Office, Delta CO OR Stevens Gulch Rd, Paonia CO

**Facilitator**: Susan Hansen

**Please Bring:** Participants are asked to bring a sack lunch and water bottle. Also it is advisable to have sunscreen, good hiking shoes/boots, insect repellent and a long sleeve shirt along. *Be prepared for ~ 0.5 miles of hiking on uneven terrain.*

**Transportation:** Due to current agency guidance and increases in COVID transmissions, participants will need to **transport themselves.** We will not be able to transport attendees in FS vehicles but encourage attendees to carpool amongst themselves. We will have caravan meeting spots in Delta and Paonia.

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| Time | Item | Presenter |
| 8:00 | Meet at Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, and Gunnison National Forest Supervisor’s Office ([2250 S Main St Delta, CO](https://goo.gl/maps/Y7uRKmRKNmGrf7H66)) for 8:15 departure |  |
| 9:00 | Meet at [Stevens Gulch Rd and CO 133](https://goo.gl/maps/UtKW5VH8ezYr3grF9), Paonia CO (parking lot on SE side of intersection) |  |
| 10:00 | Arrive at [Muddy Aspen Timber Sale](https://goo.gl/maps/FbYQTYCutgKqpaic7) |  |
| 10:05 | Welcome and Introductions | Susan Hansen |
| 10:15 | Safety briefing | Valerie Horncastle |
| 10:30 | SBEADMR Updates | Michael Salazar Carlyn Perovich |
| 10:45 | Begin tour through Muddy Aspen treatment area   * History and Overview of the area *(Levi Broyles)* * Forest Health Update; Sudden Aspen Decline (*Brad Lalande*) * Treatment objectives and prescriptions *(Christie LaDue*) * Design Features *(Valerie Horncastle, District Specialists*) |  |
| 12:00 | Drive to [Terror Creek](https://goo.gl/maps/Hso5zJyLjjp6fF826) Adaptive Silviculture Monitoring Plots |  |
| 12:45 | Arrive Terror Creek ASA; Lunch and Science Team Updates | Mike Battaglia  Kevin Barrett  Jason Sibold  Tony Cheng  Jarod Dunn |
| 2:00 | Walk through Terror Creek Control and 3M plots | Mike Battaglia  Kevin Barrett |
| 2:30 | Return to vehicles; Drive to Aspen Overlook stop & Wrap Up | Susan Hansen |
| 3:15 | Return to Paonia |  |
| 4:00 | Return to Delta |  |