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WILLOW CREEK WATERSHED			
Manzanita Lake Planning Unit			
<p>For the large PG&E parcel by the Willow Creek Crossing/Old Central Camp Road. This area has very heavy brush and is a fire threat. No matter who takes ownership of the parcel, vegetation management should take place. It is recommended that you coordinate with the Coarsegold Resource Conservation District and the Eastern Madera County Fire Safe Council who can help implement a brushing fire safety program.</p>	Elissa Brown	Yes	<p>Comment noted. Text has been added recommending coordination with local Resource Conservation Districts (RCDs) and fire safe councils.</p>
<p>For the PG&E lands along the South Fork Willow Creek designated for disposition - this land is next to the North Fork Recreation Center owned by the North Fork Boosters, and provides a corridor from the Recreation Center to the national forest. It is recommended that you assess the potential of this land for recreational use. Also, the land on Peckinpah Creek is at the border of the old North Fork Mill Site which is being considered for multi-use redevelopment. The land is very close to a proposed cultural gathering site. Coordination should be maintained with the North Fork Community Development Council to see if the land can be integrated with recreational and/or cultural uses as plans are developed.</p>	Elissa Brown	Yes	<p>Comment noted. South Fork Willow Creek and Peckinpah Creek have been added to the potential measure to assess the potential for trails along Willow Creek and the western shore of Manzanita Lake.</p>
<p>Madera County is looking to collaborate with the Forest Service and the Coarsegold RCD to enhance recreational access to Manzanita Lake. Specifically, we will seek funding for a walking/biking trail along an old Forest Service road from the town of North Fork to the lake. We would like the plan to include the continuation of this trail on both sides of Manzanita Lake to extend to the Willow Creek Crossing and the Old Central Camp Road. If we know that PG&E would grant an easement for this trail, or would develop the trail itself, we would have a much great chance of obtaining funding for other stretches of the trail.</p>	Elissa Brown	Yes	<p>The Stewardship Council has developed a potential measure to assess the feasibility for trails along Willow Creek and the Western shore of Manzanita Lake. Text has been added to the description of this potential measure in the Supporting Analysis for Recommendations stating the current Madera County trail efforts, as well as the potential for opportunities to connect points of interest, potentially even linking the lake with the town. As for the eastern shore of Manzanita Lake, as well as probably most of the old Forest Service Road, these areas are not on PG&E property and therefore are not within the purview of the Stewardship Council.</p>