Western Region Tribal IPM Work Group Meeting evaluation – November 15, 2013; Santa Rosa, CA

On a scale from 1 (low) to 5 (high)

- This meeting presented me with information that is (known to me already = 1; totally new to me = 5): 3.5
- Forest pest review presentations: 4.4
- Discussion time: 4.3
- Overall time allotted for the meeting: 4.4
- Location in Santa Rosa: 4.3

What was most valuable for you today?

- Learning about the different pests that in the tribal environmental field we never hear about
- Nina's chairmanship and discussion of tribal concerns, also Susan and Phil's powerpoints and presentation
- Relationship building
- Opportunity to build relationships and share ideas
- All of it. Better than Lakeport meeting, little more informative. Hope it will continue to get better every time.
- Learning new information on pests
- Knowledge of the meeting and discussions that occur
- Knowing what to look out for, integrated approaches can work in action
- Meeting local tribal representatives and hearing their concerns

What issues were unaddressed by this meeting, or what issues would you like to see addressed in the future?

- I think there were more topics addresses that I had anticipated
- None from my standpoint
- More tribes
- Actionable goals? What do we plan to do as a working group?
- I want the agencies to ask how they can/should work with the tribes. Q/A period for the agencies to the tribes.
- More examples of what other tribes are doing about "SOD" even non-tribal
- How can we change the laws and include invasive species and those from U.S. but not of the area? More issues related to invasive weeds. Identification of pests/weeds workshop. Identification key for invasives? Trainings would be great.

Please give further suggestions as to how we can improve meetings in the future.

- Great meeting
- Fine as is
- Encourage more tribal participation
- Great meetings, but more tribal representation is needed
- Discussion about pesticides that are used on marijuana plants.