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## **Tongass Future Roundtable Mapping Committee**

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The Mapping Committee is established as a working committee of the Tongass Futures Roundtable. The Roundtable seeks to achieve a long-term balance of healthy and diverse communities, vibrant economies, and responsible use of resources - including timber, while maintaining the natural values and ecological integrity of the forest. Roundtable goals include reaching consensus on which watersheds should be conserved and which should allow timber harvest.

### **Committee Purpose:**

The purpose of the Mapping Committee is to apply the expertise of a diverse group of stakeholders in developing and evaluating maps of Tongass resources and land allocation strategies for use in helping to resolve public policy issues through consensus-based dialogue.

### **Committee Goals:**

Develop or acquire tools for mapping and tabulating various resources across the Tongass at regional, watershed, and sub-watershed scales.

Identify areas of the Tongass (at watershed and sub-watershed scales) with high biological, subsistence, and community/cultural values.

Identify areas of the Tongass (at watershed and sub-watershed scales) with high timber values.

Using mapping and tabulation tools assist the Roundtable in evaluating various land allocation alternatives for balancing timber production lands with conservation and community/subsistence use lands.

### **Code of Conduct:**

Members and participants of the Mapping Committee are expected to abide by the Roundtable Code of Conduct