

Restoration Committee

Goals: 1) Partnerships; 2) Outreach; 3) Identification of Economic opportunities; 4) Funding; 5) TFR Recommendations

Strategic Action	Participants responsible for completing action	Anticipated completion date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaborate on a definition of restoration 	All	February TFR meeting (or earlier)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To encourage partnerships and communication, facilitate regular teleconferences among members 	All (coordinated by Karen Hardigg & Tim Bristol)	Ongoing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish a process for restoration projects to receive full Roundtable endorsement 	Karen & Tim, with input from committee members	December TFR meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inventory of existing and possible future collaborative restoration projects in SE in written and/or map form 	All (Karen, Mark Kaelke, & Dave Albert will incorporate information provided by committee members)	February TFR meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establishment of a SE Alaska forest restoration website that would have the project inventory, as well as additional resources (i.e. science, funding) (Before a separate website is established, we will utilize a page on the tongassfutures.net site) 	Karen Hardigg/Tim Bristol and others as interested	May TFR meeting (or Summer '08)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop specific restoration guidelines (best practices or outcomes) for SE Alaska. 	All	Summer 2008
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop a SE Alaska prioritization framework for restoration action (and a region-wide restoration plan) 	Rob Bosworth, Dave Albert, Susan Howell, Scott Harris, Karen, Tim, with input from others	Summer or Fall 2008
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish a joint TFR demonstration project on one of the priority watersheds, with ecological, social, and economic benefit 	All	Fall 2008

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic feasibility analysis of employment and other benefits potentially deriving from restoration 	TWS staff (potential)	Fall 2008
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assess the possibility of hosting a scientific forum for discussion of restoration principles and practices as they apply to Southeast Alaska 	All	Fall 2008 (date for possible forum)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using the work of the Restoration Committee, prepare a Congressional ask for future funding (or, join and promote other, existing national restoration funding bills or legislation) 	Tim Bristol, Karen Hardigg, others as interested	Fall 2008/Winter 2009