



WELCOME

Alluvial Fan Task Force

Plenary Meeting #9

March 27, 2009

AGENDA

AFTF Meeting #9

9:00 ● Welcome, Announcements, Business

9:10 ● Introductions

9:20 ● Overview of AFTF Activity

9:30 ● Draft Planning Manual

- **Presentation - Susan Longville**

- **Small Group Discussion**

- **Report Back**

10:45 ● AFTF Draft Model Ordinance

- **DWR Guidance Document – Ricardo Pineda**

- **Presentation – Marc Bruner**

- Small Group Discussion
- Report Back

10:45 ● AFTF Draft Model

12:15 ● Lunch

- 1:00** ● AFTF Findings and Recommendations
- Presentation - Susan Longville
 - Small Group Discussion
 - Report Back

2:30 ● AFFED Project – Maria Lorenzo-Lee

2:55 ● Next Steps, Evaluation

3:00 ● Adjourn

Member Introduction

- Name
- Affiliation
- Location

AFTF Mission

The AFTF is charged with reviewing the state of knowledge of alluvial fans, examining the flood risks, and developing local planning tools, including a **Model Ordinance** and set of **Design Guidelines** for Development on Alluvial Fans, aimed at reducing losses to human, built and natural resources resulting from the natural hazard of flooding on alluvial fans.

Meeting Schedule and Topics

- Plenary 1 - *Overview of Alluvial Fans* Dec '07
- Plenary 2 - *Risks Factors on Fans* Jan '08
- Plenary 3 - *Development on Alluvial Fans* Feb '08
- Plenary 4 - *Examining Best Management Practices and Existing Ordinances* Mar '08
- Plenary 5 - *Outline for Model Ordinance and Design Guidelines* Apr '08
- Plenary 6 - *Continued Discussion of Local Planning Tools* May '08
- Plenary 7 - *Continued Work on Local Planning Tools* Jul '08
- Plenary 8 - *Local Planning Tools and Model Ordinance* Sep '08

July '08 - March '09

Evolution of the AFTF Planning Manual and Model Ordinance

- Discussions
- Meetings
- Drafting
- Redrafting
- Harmonizing
- More Drafting
- More Redrafting

Planning Manual Discussion

General Reactions:

- From your perspective, how useful do you see the Planning Manual being? Please be specific.

Specific Comments:

- - What do you like about the manual?
- - What would you like to see strengthened in the manual?
- - What additional advice do you have to help us complete the manual?

Model Ordinance Discussion

- General Comments:

- What is your overall reaction to the Model Ordinance?

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- Specific Comments:

- - What specific provisions concern you and why?

- - What suggestions do you have for refining the document?

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Findings and Recommendations Discussion

General Reactions:

- What are your general reactions to the AFTF Findings and Recommendations?

Specific Comments:

- What would you like to see modified in the Findings and Recommendations sheet (added, omitted, changed)?

Editing Suggestions for AFTF *Executive Summary and Local Planning Tools*

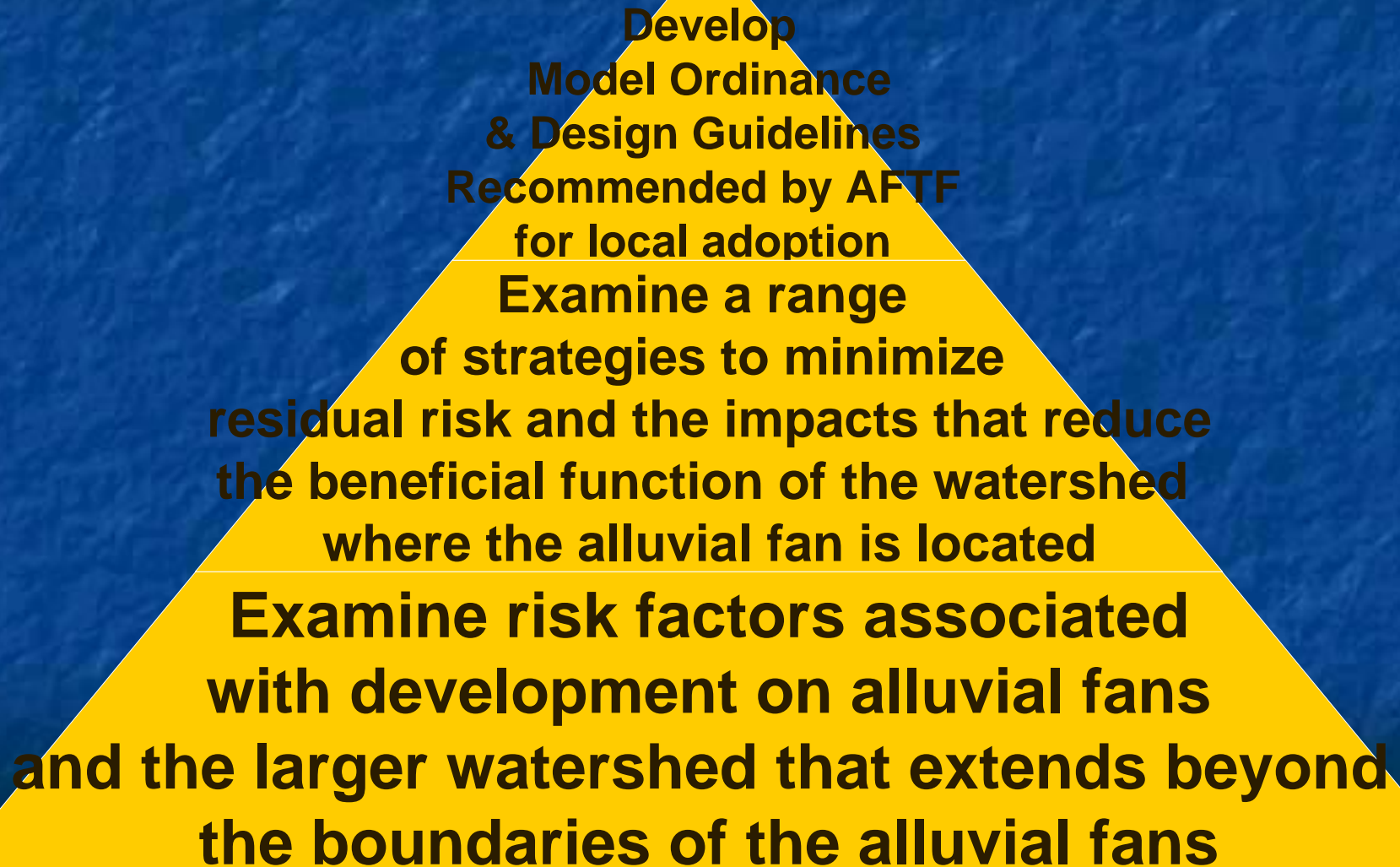
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Meeting Groundrules

- Come with an open mind, and respect for others' interests and differing opinions.
- Treat one another with courtesy.
- Let one person speak at a time.
- Be honest, fair, and as candid as possible.
- Think outside the box and welcome new ideas.
- Respect time constraints, be succinct.
- View disagreements as problems to be solved rather than battles to be won.
- Respect that AFTF members may talk with the media at any time, but will represent only their own perspective and not to speak for any other member or the AFTF as a whole.

Mission and Process of AFTF



**Develop
Model Ordinance
& Design Guidelines
Recommended by AFTF
for local adoption**

**Examine a range
of strategies to minimize
residual risk and the impacts that reduce
the beneficial function of the watershed
where the alluvial fan is located**

**Examine risk factors associated
with development on alluvial fans
and the larger watershed that extends beyond
the boundaries of the alluvial fans**

Alluvial Fan Charter Components

- Background
- California Floodplain Management Task Force Recognizes Need for AFTF
- Establishment of the Alluvial Fan Task Force (AFTF)
- Mission
- Geographic Scope
- Methodology

- **Decision Making**
- **Meeting Schedule and Hosts**
- **Roles**
- **Values and Principles**
- **Groundrules**
- **AFTF Member Groundrules for Media Contact**
- **Attendance**
- **Communication during AFTF Process**
- **Products and Deliverables**

Decision Making

The AFTF shall strive to reach *consensus* on all recommendations.

Where possible, this will be achieved without traditional voting.

When there is general agreement regarding a proposal, items will be moved forward;

However, when necessary, the report will indicate the full range of perspectives, including minority opinions.

AFTF Plenary Sessions

■ Session 1

Introduction to alluvial fans

- *Alluvial fan geology*
- *Flood and debris flow risks*
- *Ecology*
- *Economics and cost to local governments*
- *Mitigation measures on alluvial fans*
- *Regulated land use planning*
- *Historical perspective on flooding*
- *AFTF members identify issues and concerns*

- **Session 2**

Examining the behavior of alluvial fans and magnitude of risk associated with development on alluvial fans.

- **Session 3**

Mitigating for sustainable development and evaluating proposed projects on alluvial fans

- **Session 4**

Examining best management practices and existing ordinances

■ **Session 5**

Developing an *outline for model ordinance and design guidelines*

■ **Session 6**

Work in subcommittees on local planning tools

- *Flood management*
- *Watershed*
- *Multi-hazard*
- *Design and construction*

- **Session 7**

Review and discussion of executive summary, planning steps, planning tools

- **Session 8**

Discussion of model ordinance issues and refined approach for local planning tool kit, implementation manual and sustainable development tool

- **Session 9**

Review and discussion of planning manual, model ordinance, and recommendations and findings