

**U.S. Forest Service National Advisory Committee – Forest Planning Rule
Implementation
January 27-January 29, 2015
Holiday Inn, City Center
230 North College Street, Charlotte NC**

Meeting Objectives are to:

- Finalize the Citizen and Government Guides;
- Turnover recommendations
- Engage with key USFS personnel and other stakeholders active in the Land Management Plan Revision processes in R8;
- Update the committee as a whole on each Work Group's progress. Additionally, the Committee will provide advice as needed to further advance Work Group progress

26 January

7:30 p.m. Voluntary Social, Hotel Bar

January 27

9:00 a.m. Welcome

9:05 a.m. Preliminary Matters – Agenda, Ground rules, Logistics
(Agenda and meeting operating protocols review)

9:15 a.m. Designated Federal Official/ Co-chairpersons Opening remarks

9:35 a.m. Committee Member Introduction and Updates

10:10 a.m. Finalizing the Citizen and Government Guides

10:30 a.m. BREAK

10:45 a.m. Finalizing the Citizen and Government Guides continued

11:15 a.m. Finalizing Recommendations in Turnover Memo

12:00 p.m. LUNCH

1:15 p.m. Region 8- Insights, challenges and breakthroughs- Regional Foresters perspectives

Presentation by Regional Forester and Forest Supervisors, followed by brief committee discussion

2:00 p.m. Region 8- Insights, challenges and breakthroughs

Key stakeholders join the Forest Service staff to share their insights and respond to a set of specific questions designed to highlight high priority issues

3:30 p.m. BREAK

3:45 p.m. Public Comment

4:15 p.m. Committee Discussion: Reflections on what the committee heard from stakeholders and the public, and how that might be addressed through existing Work Group deliberations focused on generating nationally applicable advice and recommendations, and/or other options

5:15 p.m. ADJOURN

7:00 p.m. Federal Advisory Committee DINNER

January 28

9:00 a.m. Welcome, Agenda Review

9:10 a.m. Brief Review and Discussion key highlights from of 27th January-

9:30 a.m. Work Group Breakout #1

11:00 a.m. BREAK

11:15 a.m. Work Group Breakout #1 continued

12:00 p.m. LUNCH

1:15 p.m. Work Group Breakout #2

3:30 p.m. BREAK

3:45 p.m. Work Group Breakout #2 continued

5:15 p.m. Adjourn

January 29, 2015

9:00 a.m. Welcome, Agenda Review

9:10 a.m. Work Group Report Outs

10:40 a.m. BREAK

10:55 a.m. Next Steps: Planning for the April Meeting

12:00 p.m. Adjourn