

ABSTRACT

In this Resource Management Plan for the Caldecott Wildlife Corridor, the Caldecott Corridor Committee presents consensus-based approaches to protect the long-term viability of an important biological resource and reduce the threat of wildfire to a fire-prone area while maintaining the interests and rights of public and private landowners. The central conclusion of the Committee is as follows: though the identified resource management goals for the Caldecott Corridor may at first appear to conflict, the means do exist to develop common solutions and strike a successful balance. By synthesizing the experience, knowledge, ideas, and opinions of a diverse group of public land managers, residents, property owners, conservation advocates, fire prevention advocates, regulators, and citizens to describe the specific steps that should be taken to manage this significant area, the Committee submits a plan that it trusts will be of direct, practical use to all individuals and organizations sharing responsibility for managing the Caldecott Corridor.

