The meetings are open to the public.

California 96101, for a business meeting.

will meet June 1, 2009, August 3, 2009, and September 14, 2009, in Alturas, California 96101, USDA Forest Service.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE, Alturas, CA,

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act (RCA); Meetings

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Department of Agriculture (USDA).

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: NRCS will hold public meetings to gather stakeholder input on important natural resource concerns and program approaches to address these natural resource concerns in the next decade.


Through RCA, USDA appraises the status and trends of soil, water, and related resources on non-Federal land, assesses their capability to meet present and future demands, evaluates current and needed programs, policies, and authorities, and develops a national soil and water conservation program to give direction for USDA soil and water conservation activities.

Public participation is a central element of the RCA process. USDA will hold listening sessions to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on conservation priorities, program approaches, future conservation needs, and opportunities to improve the appraisal process.

DATES: The meetings will be held on the following dates at the following locations:

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