

Front Range CFLRP multiparty field review questionnaire

Field review date and stop: _____

An important facet of the Colorado Forest Range Collaborative Forest Landscape Restoration Project (CFLRP) is to apply an adaptive management (AM) approach throughout the life of the project. Key to a successful AM process is the analysis and evaluation of monitoring data to determine whether restoration treatments are contributing to desired conditions.

This questionnaire is intended to receive input from participants in multiparty field reviews of CFLR projects about:

- 1) Whether treatment goals are being met
- 2) Whether desired conditions are being achieved
- 3) Whether the monitoring questions and metrics provide sufficient information to make an evaluation.

CFLRP goal indicator	Circle a ranking that corresponds to your level of agreement: 1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Neither agree or disagree, 4 = Agree, 5 = Strongly agree, NS = Not sure. Provide any further comments.
Tree density: Tree density and basal area appear to have been sufficiently reduced.	1 2 3 4 5 NS Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No Comments:
Tree species composition: An appropriate ratio of ponderosa pine to other conifers appears to have been achieved.	1 2 3 4 5 NS Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No Comments:
Tree size distribution: An appropriate ratio of large- to small-diameter trees appears to have been achieved.	1 2 3 4 5 NS Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No Comments:
Tree age distribution: The ratio of old to transitional and young trees seems about right.	1 2 3 4 5 NS Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No Comments:

<p>Spatial heterogeneity: A desired pattern of tree groups, spacing between groups, and openings has been achieved.</p>	<p>1 2 3 4 5 NS</p> <p>Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Surface fuels: Litter and duff depths seem about right.</p>	<p>1 2 3 4 5 NS</p> <p>Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Fire behavior: Crown fire potential seems to have been lowered to a desirable level.</p>	<p>1 2 3 4 5 NS</p> <p>Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Understory vegetation: The cover, species richness, and diversity of native grass, forbs and shrubs seems about right.</p>	<p>1 2 3 4 5 NS</p> <p>Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Wildlife: Desired wildlife habitat conditions seem to have improved.</p>	<p>1 2 3 4 5 NS</p> <p>Is this goal indicator still useful (circle one): Yes No</p> <p>Comments:</p>