

Climate Change Adaptation Planning for Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forests

**Adaptation Planning Workshop
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Workshop Goal

To create an opportunity for resource managers, planners, and others to:

- **Review the results of the vulnerability assessment,**
- **Discuss their options for managing resources in the face of climate change, and**
- **Improve understanding of how vulnerability and adaptation information can be integrated into management operations**



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3. Collaboratively identify additional adaptation strategies and tactics that could be implemented in future management activities
4. Develop implementation plans for adaptation tactics, taking into consideration direct and indirect effects of tactic implementation on other resources



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5. Provide adaptation training, resources, support, and tools for participants to extend this process beyond the workshop.



Workshop Outcome

Participants will leave with an understanding of how to apply/utilize vulnerability and adaptation information in at least one current project or activity.



Post-Workshop Activities

1. Compilation and synthesis of activities and discussions (Nov/Dec 2014)
2. Send sections back to participants for review (Dec 2014/Jan 2015)
3. Send out for peer-review (RO? Jan 2015)
4. Finalize workshop report and send to participants (Jan 2015)

Workshop Structure

Today

- Presentations: vulnerability & adaptation
- Group activities: adaptation for current and future management goals

Tomorrow

- Discussion: direct/indirect effects of tactic implementation
- Group activity: adaptation for ecosystem services
- Group activity: adaptation implementation plans



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