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DATA REQUEST RESPONSE

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REQUEST NO. 1:

Q01. Slash and Wood Treatment Comparison: In Section 7.3.5.5 “Fuels Management,” Liberty provides Table 7.3.5-6 “Slash and Wood Treatment Comparison.” The table compares “previous treatment” to “current treatment.” When were the “current treatments” first implemented?

RESPONSE TO NO. 1:

The first implementation of “current treatment” of slash and wood provided in Table 7.3.5-6 varies by the parcel and ownership type. The table below provides a high level timeline of implementation.

	Parcel and Ownership Type			
	Small privately owned parcel	Small publicly owned parcel	Large privately owned land	Large publicly owned land
Current treatment implementation	September 2020	November 2020	May 2021	October 2021



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REQUEST NO. 2:

Q02. Agency Cooperation for Fuels Management: In Section 7.3.5.5 “Fuels Management,” Liberty states that it performed an analysis to establish priorities for fuel reduction projects using various criteria. One of those criteria is “agency cooperation.” What is meant by “agency cooperation” in this context?

RESPONSE TO NO. 2:

In addition to efforts taken by Liberty to reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfire, other state, federal, and non-governmental organizations are implementing wildfire mitigation work. Liberty’s Vegetation Management Department refers to the various interest groups and land managers as “Agencies.” Although there is no formal, documented process by which it occurs, Liberty will attempt to perform vegetation management work in cooperation with Agencies where projects overlap or may otherwise be associated with each other.