



Area Number | County Name(s) - Director Name(s)

Region 1

- Area 1 | Del Norte and Humboldt Counties - Yana Valachovic (CD)
- Area 2 | Tehama County - Josh Davey (CD); Shasta and Trinity Counties - Larry Forero (CD)
- Area 3 | Lassen County - David Lile (CD); Modoc County - Laura Snell (CD); Siskiyou County - Grace Woodmansee (CD)
- Area 6 | Nevada, Placer, Plumas, and Sierra Counties - Michele Fisch

Region 2

- Area 4 | Lake and Mendocino Counties - Matthew Barnes
- Area 5 | Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Sutter, and Yuba Counties - Preet Ahluwalia
- Area 7 | Marin, Napa, and Sonoma Counties - Lauren Cartwright
- Area 8 | Sacramento, Solano, and Yolo Counties - Karen Warburton

Region 3

- Area 9 | Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, El Dorado, and Tuolumne Counties - Ariel Rivers
- Area 14 | Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, and Merced Counties - Karmjot Randhawa
- Area 15 | Inyo and Mono Counties - Dustin Blakey (CD)
- Area 17 | Kern, Kings, and Tulare Counties - Leonel Jimenez

Region 4

- Area 10 | Alameda and Contra Costa Counties - Andrew Miller* (Interim)
- Area 11 | San Joaquin County - Michelle Leinfelder-Miles (CD); Stanislaus County - Jennifer Heguy (CD)
- Area 12 | San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara Counties - Andrew Miller
- Area 13 | Monterey, San Benito, and Santa Cruz Counties - Emily Freed

Region 5

- Area 16 | San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura Counties - Shannon Klisch
- Area 18 | Los Angeles County - Keith Nathaniel (CD)
- Area 19 | Orange, Riverside, and San Bernardino Counties - Rita Clemons
- Area 20 | Imperial and San Diego Counties - Chandra Richards

UCANR Regional Teams 2026

Region 1
David Lile – LEAD Rep (FY 25-26 & 26-27)
<i>Alternate LEAD Rep (FY 26-27 & 27-28)</i>
(AD 1) Humboldt – Yana Valachovic (CD)
(AD 1) Del Norte – Yana Valachovic (CD)
(AD 2) Tehama – Josh Davey (CD)
(AD 2) Shasta – Larry Forero (CD)
(AD 2) Trinity – Larry Forero (CD)
(AD 3) Modoc – Laura Snell (CD)
(AD 3) Lassen – David Lile (CD)
(AD 3) Siskiyou – Grace Woodmansee (CD)
(AD 6) Placer – Michele Fisch
(AD 6) Nevada – Michele Fisch
(AD 6) Plumas-Sierra – Michele Fisch
Intermountain REC – Rob Wilson

Region 2
Lauren Cartwright – LEAD Rep (FY 25-26 & 26-27)
<i>Alternate LEAD Rep (FY 26-27 & 27-28)</i>
(AD 4) Lake – Matthew Barnes
(AD 4) Mendocino – Matthew Barnes
(AD 5) Butte – Teghpreet Ahluwalia
(AD 5) Colusa – Teghpreet Ahluwalia
(AD 5) Glenn – Teghpreet Ahluwalia
(AD 5) Sutter-Yuba – Teghpreet Ahluwalia
(AD 7) Marin – Lauren Cartwright
(AD 7) Napa – Lauren Cartwright
(AD 7) Sonoma – Lauren Cartwright
(AD 8) Sacramento – Karen Warburton
(AD 8) Solano – Karen Warburton
(AD 8) Yolo – Karen Warburton
Sierra Foothill REC – Dustin Flavell
Hopland REC – John Bailey

Team 3
Leonel Jimenez – LEAD Rep (FY 25-26 & 26-27)
<i>Alternate LEAD Rep (FY 26-27 & 27-28)</i>
(AD 9) Alpine – Ariel Rivers
(AD 9) Amador – Ariel Rivers
(AD 9) Calaveras – Ariel Rivers
(AD 9) El Dorado – Ariel Rivers
(AD 9) Tuolumne – Ariel Rivers
(AD 14) Fresno – Karmjot Randhawa
(AD 14) Madera – Karmjot Randhawa
(AD 14) Merced – Karmjot Randhawa
(AD 14) Mariposa – Karmjot Randhawa
(AD 15) Inyo – Dustin Blakey (CD)
(AD 15) Mono – Dustin Blakey (CD)
(AD 17) Kern – Leonel Jimenez
(AD 17) Kings – Leonel Jimenez
(AD 17) Tulare – Leonel Jimenez
Westside REC – Atef Swelam
Kearney REC – Atef Swelam
Lindcove REC – Ashraf El Kereamy

Team 4
Michelle Leinfelder-Miles – LEAD Rep (FY 25-26 & 26-27)
Alternate LEAD Rep (FY 26-27 & 27-28)
(AD 10) Alameda – Andrew Miller* (Interim)
(AD 10) Contra Costa – Andrew Miller* (Interim)
(AD 11) Stanislaus – Jennifer Heguy (CD)
(AD 11) San Joaquin – Michelle Leinfelder-Miles (CD)
(AD 12) San Mateo – Andrew Miller
(AD 12) Santa Clara – Andrew Miller
(AD 12) San Francisco – Andrew Miller
(AD 13) Monterey – Emily Freed
(AD 13) San Benito – Emily Freed
(AD 13) Santa Cruz – Emily Freed
Elkus Ranch REC – Igor Lacan

Team 5
Shannon Klisch – LEAD Rep (FY 25-26 & 26-27)
Alternate LEAD Rep (FY 26-27 & 27-28)
(AD 16) San Luis Obispo – Shannon Klisch
(AD 16) Santa Barbara – Shannon Klisch
(AD 16) Ventura – Shannon Klisch
(AD 18) Los Angeles – Keith Nathaniel (CD)
(AD 19) Orange – Rita Clemons
(AD 19) Riverside – Rita Clemons
(AD 19) San Bernadino – Rita Clemons
(AD 20) Imperial – Chandra Richards
(AD 20) San Diego – Chandra Richards
Hansen REC – Annemiek Schilder
Desert REC – Jairo Diaz
South Coast REC – Lindsey Pedroncelli* (Interim)

****These tables are complete as of 2/23/2026 by Dr. Janine Woods, Executive Director of County Cooperative Extension.**