## Announcing a workshop series on:

# Collaboration in Natural Resources Management

Hosted by the Sierra Nevada Adaptive Management Project <a href="http://snamp.cnr.berkeley.edu">http://snamp.cnr.berkeley.edu</a>

(University of California Cooperative Extension outreach team)

March 18, 2014 and April 23, 2014 - 10am to 4pm Location: Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board Annex 971 Silver Dollar Avenue South Lake Tahoe, CA

## **Workshop Goal:**

The goal of these workshops is to help improve communication by building facilitation skills within the many groups involved in collaboration in natural resource management projects. We will work to build a common language to support collaboration, share tools to prevent problems, and demonstrate interventions to support success when problems arise. These workshops are designed to support the building of a common knowledge base through mutual learning and discussion. UC Cooperative Extension has developed training modules for all levels of natural resource management staff and stakeholders interested in developing these skills.



SNAMP collaborative field trip on the Tahoe National Forest involving multiple agencies and stakeholders.

#### Who Should Attend:

Resource managers, private landowners, environmental activists concerned about natural resource management, recreationists, individuals interested in learning facilitation skills, and anyone engaged in a collaborative process.

### **Workshop Content:**

Two different 6 hour trainings will cover topics such as stakeholder analysis, agenda building, listening as an ally, the decision making process, identifying constraints, reconciling differences and reducing conflicts. Participants will learn training concepts, practice methods and obtain the skills needed to pursue effective collaboration.

The first day of training will be March 18th and the second day of training will be held on April 23rd at the same location. Please plan to attend both days. The workshop is limited to the first 25 people.

## **Registration:**

Registration is required and there is a \$35.00 materials fee. Please register on-line at <a href="http://ucanr.edu/collaborationworkshopt">http://ucanr.edu/collaborationworkshopt</a>ahoe For more information please contact Kim <a href="mailto:Ingram at keingram@ucanr.edu/collaboration/">Ingram at keingram@ucanr.edu/collaboration/</a>. check the workshop web page <a href="http://ucanr.edu/collaboration/">http://ucanr.edu/collaboration/</a>.



SNAMP collaboration training in Oakhurst, CA April 2013

#### **Testimonials:**

Comments from previous workshop participants include:

'I now have techniques to practice that will give me confidence when interacting with people in collaborative situations.' – Spring 2013 Auburn participant

'Thanks for working with this group. Your passion and skills are evident, as is your eagerness to build capacity in this group. It is inspiring and invigorating to spend time with folks passionate about this.' – Spring 2013 Oakhurst participant







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