

2014 SAF Annual Meeting (Lyle Laverty & Bjorn Dahl)
Restoration, Resiliency, and Recovery Theme
Antlers Hilton Colorado Springs

Thursday, April 24

- 8:30-11:30 Allpoints GIS Training (Learning Center)
1:00-4:30 Business meeting (Carson or Fremont Room)

Friday, April 25 Program (Heritage Ballroom)

- 8:00-8:15 Welcome
Opening Remarks –Lyle Laverty, SAF Mile High Chair
- 8:15-9:30 Forest and Community Resiliency – Jim Thinnes, Moderator
US Forest Service Restoration Policy – Dan Jirón, Regional Forester
Community Resilience – Sallie Clark, El Paso County Commissioner
- 9:30-10:00 Morning Break
- 10:00-11:30 Science Foundation – Jim Thinnes, Moderator
Stand Reconstruction – Peter Brown, Rocky Mountain Tree-Ring Research
Historical Lower Montane Forests – Mike Battaglia, RMRS
Wildlife Ecology – Richard Reynolds, RMRS
- 11:30-1:00 Awards Luncheon – Bob Means, Awards Chair & Dave Walters, SAF President
- 1:00-2:45 Restoration Planning - Deb Grieco, Moderator
Front Range CFLRP – Sara Mayben, USFS Resource Staff Officer
Colorado Wildfire and Forest Health – Mike Lester, Colorado State Forester
Wyoming Planning – Bill Crapser, Wyoming State Forester
- 2:45-3:15 Afternoon Break
- 3:15-4:20 Restoration, Resiliency, and Recovery Practices - Deb Grieco, Moderator
Restoration Treatments - Jeff Underhill & Alex Rudney, USFS Silviculturists
Tree Planting – Chris Kuennen, USFS Forester
Watershed Recovery – Steve Sanchez, USFS Hydrologist
- 4:20-4:30 Closing Remarks - Dave Cawrse, SAF Colorado-Wyoming Chair
- 4:30-6:00 Social in Hospitality Suite
- 6:00-8:00 Banquet - Keynote Speaker Jim Hubbard, USFS State & Private Forestry Deputy Chief

Saturday, April 26

- 8:00 – 4:00 Field Trip - Waldo Canyon Burn and Restoration Treatments (Bruce Short)