

*Bay Area Open Space Council
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Grazing and Conservation Agenda

Moderator: Sheila Barry, University of California Cooperative Extension
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Bay Area's Working Rangeland Overview

- Introduction to the new California Rangeland Trust's SF Bay Region rangeland maps
Darrel Sweet, California Rangeland Trust Director and Rancher (10 min)
- Public-private rangeland linkages
Dr. Lynn Huntsinger, Professor of Rangeland Management, University of California Berkeley (10 min)

State of the Art Grazing Management Planning

- Conservation of California's grasslands and special-status species and grazing management planning
Dr. Larry Ford, Rangeland Management and Conservation Science Consultant (10 min)
- Making grazing plans practical-- while achieving conservation goals
Lisa Bush, Rangeland Management Consultant (5 min)

Implementing Grazing Management – Partnering with Ranchers

- Working with a rancher partner
Teri Luchini, Ranger, City of Fairfield (5 min)
- Rancher stewardship and grazing management
Darrel Sweet, Rancher (5 min)
- Reintroducing grazing to public lands
Clayton Koopmann, Rangeland Ecologist, Midpeninsula Regional Open Space (5 min)

Panel Questions and Answers (10 min)