

November 4, 2024

Kristina Wolf  
Range Management Advisory Committee  
751 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95841

Dear Kristina Wolf,

I am writing to express my interest in joining the RMAC committee. I am an owner and operator of a targeted grazing outfit as well as the ranch manager of my family's El Dorado County Ranch. I regularly work with local, state and federal agencies to manage land. My outfit regularly serves land management projects in 6 counties. I am an active member of the California Wool Growers Association (CWGA) and am currently serving as the chair of the CWGA's targeted grazing committee.

My passion for land management includes other diverse activities including prescribed burn. I am a founding member of the El Dorado County and Amador prescribed burn association. I currently serve on the steering committee. Additionally, I have participated in the Healthy Soils Program through the CDFA implementing range land seeding as well as a variety of EQIP practices through the NRCS. I regularly participate in local workshops and events hosted by UCANR, UCCE, and the Blodgett Forest Research Station. I am in regular communication with local RCDs and Fire Safe Councils.

I would greatly appreciate your consideration to serve on this committee.

Sincerely,

Mark Gutierrez  
Owner  
Pilot Creek Ranch