### STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

June 18, 2024 Consent Agenda

## **Subject**

State Participation as a Member of Timber Protective Associations

## **Question Presented**

Shall the Land Board authorize state participation as a member of the Clearwater-Potlatch Timber Protective Association (CPTPA) and Southern Idaho Timber Protective Association (SITPA)?

# **Background**

Title 38, Chapter 1, Idaho Code – Idaho Forestry Act

### **Discussion**

Idaho Code § 38-104 requires that prior to continued state participation as a member, the Director of the Idaho Department of Lands (Department) shall annually review each timber protective association for the following:

- a. The governing and managing structure;
- b. The condition of equipment and its proposed use;
- c. The adequacy of liability insurance; and
- d. The training of personnel.

Readiness reviews of the above items were conducted at CPTPA on May 22, 2024 and SITPA on May 15, 2024. No significant deficiencies were found during the readiness reviews and the Department has determined that both timber protective associations are able to perform their duties in a manner that justifies continued state participation.

#### Recommendation

Authorize state participation as a member of the Clearwater-Potlatch Timber Protective Association and Southern Idaho Timber Protective Association.

#### **Board Action**