

AERIAL APPLICATION IN THE FOREST ENVIRONMENT

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Aerial Applications

- Presented from the Natural Resource Manager's perspective
- Mostly review for many
- Description of what we do as an example of the types of decisions and actions we take

Aerial Applications

- Objectives of the Application
- Considerations
- Process



Objectives

- Vegetation Management – target species, desired outcome
- How to accomplish the objective – cost, effectiveness, risk management

Considerations

Those that are given...

- Forest Practices Rules – protected resources
- FAR's
- ODA Rules & Regulations
- Product Label Requirements
- Worker Protection Standards

Considerations

Internal

- Contracting Requirements
- Internal controls
- Neighbors

Process

- Checklist example
- Operational Considerations
 - Operating Areas – landings
 - Communications
 - Access
 - Application conditions

Process

- Safety
 - Flight Hazards – leave trees, buffers, wires, fog
 - Emergency Preparedness



Process

- Follow Up
 - Daily Reports
 - PURS



QUESTIONS?

