

Instructions for Session 5 Group Exercise

Session Goal: Agree on 3 or more shared conservation values (defining features/critical attributes/objectives) in the Southern Sierra that could realistically be accomplished through a regional conservation planning and implementation approach.

Group Configuration: 8 persons / table (pre-assigned by number to a table based on affiliation).
- Same group assigned as worked together during session 2.
- Same facilitator as on day 1

Assignment Details: (20 minutes in group to accomplish 5 steps—see below)

Facilitator Duties:

- A. Make sure that the group stays focused so that assignments are completed on time.
- B. Make sure the group has necessary materials (below).
 - Flipchart w/ black marker and a Master Worksheet
 - Session 2 – their original worksheet and a Session 5 – Retrofitted Values worksheet.
- C. Make sure the group self selects an official notetaker.
- D. Document the group decision on the flipchart and on the oversized Session 5 worksheet.
- E. Erect a flag on the flipchart if the group made a significant change from session 2. Make sure the change is easy to read on the flipchart. List rationale for change(s).
- F. Collect the Master Worksheet and PAIRED individual worksheets at the end of the exercise.

10:35 Change Retrofit Valuing Exercise Begins

- Step 1. Determine if the group's top three defining features/critical attributes and current objectives are still the top three.
- Step 2. Discuss and document the rationale used to make this decision.
- Step 3. Answer the criteria question on the worksheet.
- Step 4. Ask each person to identify their top 3 priorities if they differ from the group.
- Step 5. If substantive change in perspective was achieved, document this boldly on the flipchart and erect a pin flag on the easel. Select a spokesman for a 1-2 minute presentation.

10:50 Reporting out begins.

11:05 Paper clip or staple each person's paired exercise worksheets together. The Facilitator collects all the Master and individual paired worksheets for post workshop analyses and report writing. **Hand them to Charisse or Deb.**

NAMES on Worksheets are optional. However, the important thing is that we need to pair the Current Values worksheet results to the Retrofitted Values results. To prevent disassociation of the paired worksheets, please put the same identifying mark on each (a name works, but since the analysis is not going to associate the responses with any person, it is not vital.