SNPLMA Lake Tahoe Science Themes

Presentation to the Lake Tahoe Federal Advisory Committee



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SNPLMA Round 7 Science Themes

> Air Quality

* Dust & Air-borne Sediment Demonstration Control Projects

> Water Quality

* Understand Sources, transport, and treatability of fine sediment

* Improve understanding of channel erosion dynamics

* Understand the factors affecting near shore WQ and habitat quality

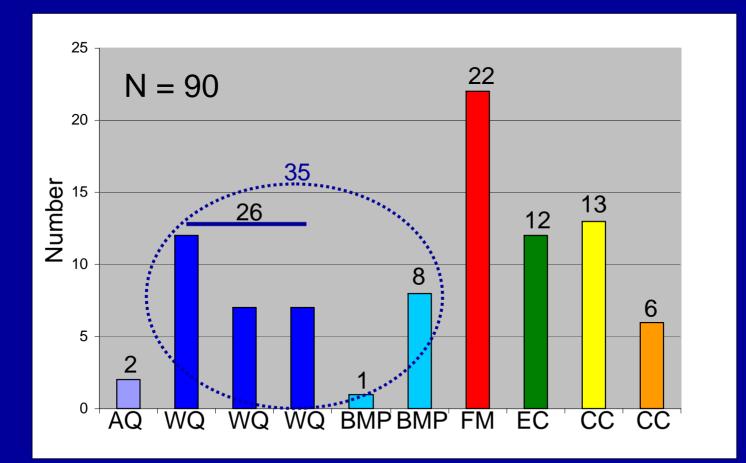
> BMP

* Quantify the impacts of road mgmt practices and fine sediment contrib.

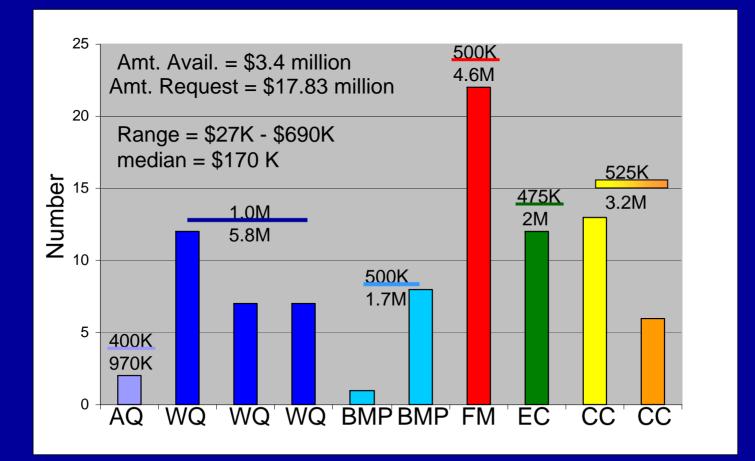
* Develop models and monitoring to assess BMP effectiveness

- > Forest Management
 - * Understand the effects of current forest mgmt. practices
- > Managing Ecological Communities
 - * Understand the status, requirements, and sensitivities of EC's
- > Cross-cutting
 - * Analyze, evaluate, and synthesize existing data
 - * Evaluation of existing monitoring programs

Number of Proposals Received in Response to the SNPLMA Round 7 Science RFP



Funding Requested for Proposals Received in Response to the SNPLMA Round 7 Science RFP



Next Steps for Round 7 Proposals

- Complete technical peer reviews (~3/30)
- Synthesize technical reviews (4/3)
- Complete relevancy check (4/26)
- Prepare funding recommendation list for PSW (4/30)
- PSW reviews recommendations (~May)
- PSW meets with TREX to approve recommendations (~May)
- PSW completes grant agreements (~June-July)

SNPLMA Science Themes

Round 7 Approved

- Air Quality
- Water Quality
- BMP
- Forest Management
- Ecological Comm.
- Cross-cutting
- TSC

Round 8 Proposed

- Air Quality
- Water Quality (includes BMP)
- Forest Mgmt & Fuel Reduction
- Climate Change
- Watershed Restoration
- TSC