

Southern California Edison
2022-WMPs – 2022 Wildfire Mitigation Plan Updates

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Question 01:

Regarding SCE's work with permitting agencies:

a. On page 394, SCE states it "strives to work with individual communities and environmental permitting agencies to identify ways to reduce or eliminate barriers to scheduled vegetation management." Describe the work SCE has performed or coordinated with CAL FIRE on Utility Right of Way Exemption permits.

Response to Question 01:

There are relatively limited areas identified as timberland under CAL FIRE jurisdiction in SCE's service territory. The majority of SCE's timberland is under Federal management. With that said, in 2021, SCE applied to CAL FIRE for a Utility Right of Way Exemption for work being performed in Shaver Lake area. SCE is also preparing similar exemption requests for other work.

SCE is working with CAL FIRE towards the development of a programmatic permitting process when SCE is performing vegetation management work in certain forested areas designated as timberland by CAL FIRE.