



## **Announcement - San Bernardino Unit Chief**

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Glenn Barley to Unit Chief of the San Bernardino Unit, effective March 1, 2016.

Glenn began his career with CAL FIRE in 1998, in the San Bernardino Unit as a limited term Forestry Assistant II working on a grant-funded fuels reduction program. In 2000, he transferred to a permanent position in the Southern Operations Center serving in the Forestry Assistance Program, and in 2002 promoted to Forester I.

In 2003, Glenn returned to the San Bernardino Unit as the Unit Forester and was responsible for the Unit's Vegetation Treatment Program, Forest Practice enforcement, and environmental compliance. Glenn was heavily involved as one of the leaders of the multi-agency San Bernardino Mountain Area Safety Taskforce (MAST); he also established the Forest Care fuels reduction program and administered several fuels reduction grants for the Unit. In 2009, Glenn promoted to Forester II and continued to serve in the San Bernardino Unit. In 2014, Glenn returned to the Southern Operations Center as the Forestry and Fire Protection Administrator leading the regional Resource Management and Pre-Fire Engineering programs, as well as directing the establishment of the new Land Use Planning program within the Southern Region.

Glenn is one of CAL FIRE's MAFFS Liaison Officers (MLO) and has led several State and Federal deployments within California and out of State. He currently serves as the CAL FIRE Liaison to the National MLO group. Throughout his CAL FIRE career, Glenn has served as an information officer on many complex incidents and issues. He is currently serves as the leader of the statewide Tree Mortality Taskforce, which addresses tree mortality across the State. He is a graduate of Washington State University, holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Forest Management, and is also a Registered Professional Forester.

Please join me in congratulating Glenn in his new assignment.

KEN PIMLOTT  
Director