**Project Name:** Metcalf Gap

**Size:** 44 Acres

**Projected Completion Date:** 12/31/19

**Location:**
Coarsegold, Madera County, CAL FIRE Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit.

**Summary:** This is a road maintenance and fuel reduction project. Vegetation consists of brush, Oak woodland, and sparse mixed conifer. The project connects to the Watt Rd and Stumpfield Rd fuel breaks in the Chowchilla River Canyon. This new fuel break will protect multiple communities in Madera and Mariposa counties. CAL FIRE is currently treating the road for access. This is a critical road for access into the Chowchilla River Canyon and developing a continuous Fuel Break in the area.

**What communities or habitats will project protect?**
Ahwahnee (Pop: 2,246), Nipinnawasee (Pop: 475), Ponderosa Basin (402 Homes), Lush Meadows.