

2023 meeting of the California Oak Mortality Task Force (www.suddenoakdeath.org)

Tuesday, November 7, 2023 - 10 am to 12 noon, online.

Moderators – Janice Alexander, UC Cooperative Extension, Marin County & Chris Lee, CALFIRE

I. Status of *Phytophthora ramorum* in California and Oregon

EU1 and NA1 in Del Norte County – Wallis Robinson and Yana Valachovic, UC Cooperative Extension Humboldt - Del Norte Counties, (wlrobinson@ucanr.edu or yvala@ucanr.edu) (15 min.)

Oregon update – Gabriella Ritokova, Oregon department of Forestry, Gabriella.RITOKOVA@odf.oregon.gov (15 min.)

California *P. ramorum* stream monitoring: 2023 results - Krysta Jennings and David Rizzo, UC Davis, Department of Plant Pathology (10 min). Confirmed DR 8/28.

2023 SOB Blitz results - Matteo Garbelotto, UC Berkeley Cooperative Extension. (10 min.)

II. Research updates

The effects of sudden oak death and wildfire on the tree community composition of a mixed evergreen forest - Alex Martin, Sonoma State University, martinale@sonoma.edu (15 min.)

Rhododendron leaf baiting of coastal California watersheds for *Phytophthora* and *Nothophytophthora* – Tyler Bourret, Formerly of UC Davis, USDA ARS (10 min.)

***P. ramorum*, sudden oak death research update from the LeBoldus lab, OSU** - Jared LeBoldus, Oregon State University –15 min talk + 5 min, Jared.LeBoldus@oregonstate.edu

III. COMTF Initiatives – Chris Lee

Responding to EU1 and NA1 on CA North Coast

P. ramorum assistance to Indigenous Californians

Meeting close-out. Farewell.