

FIGHTING THE GOOD FIGHT

Invasive Noxious Weeds

Weed Warriors and Battle Challenges

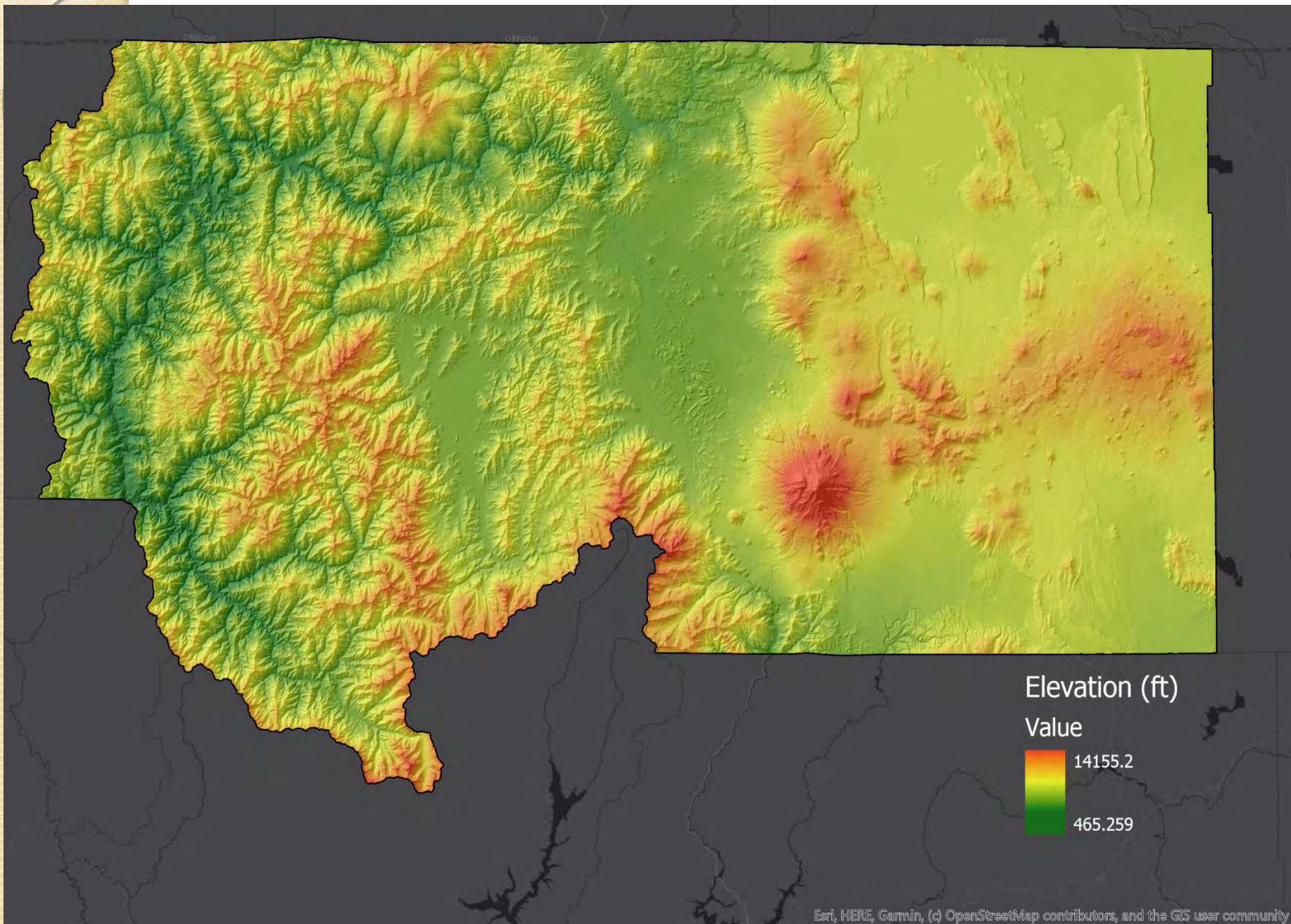


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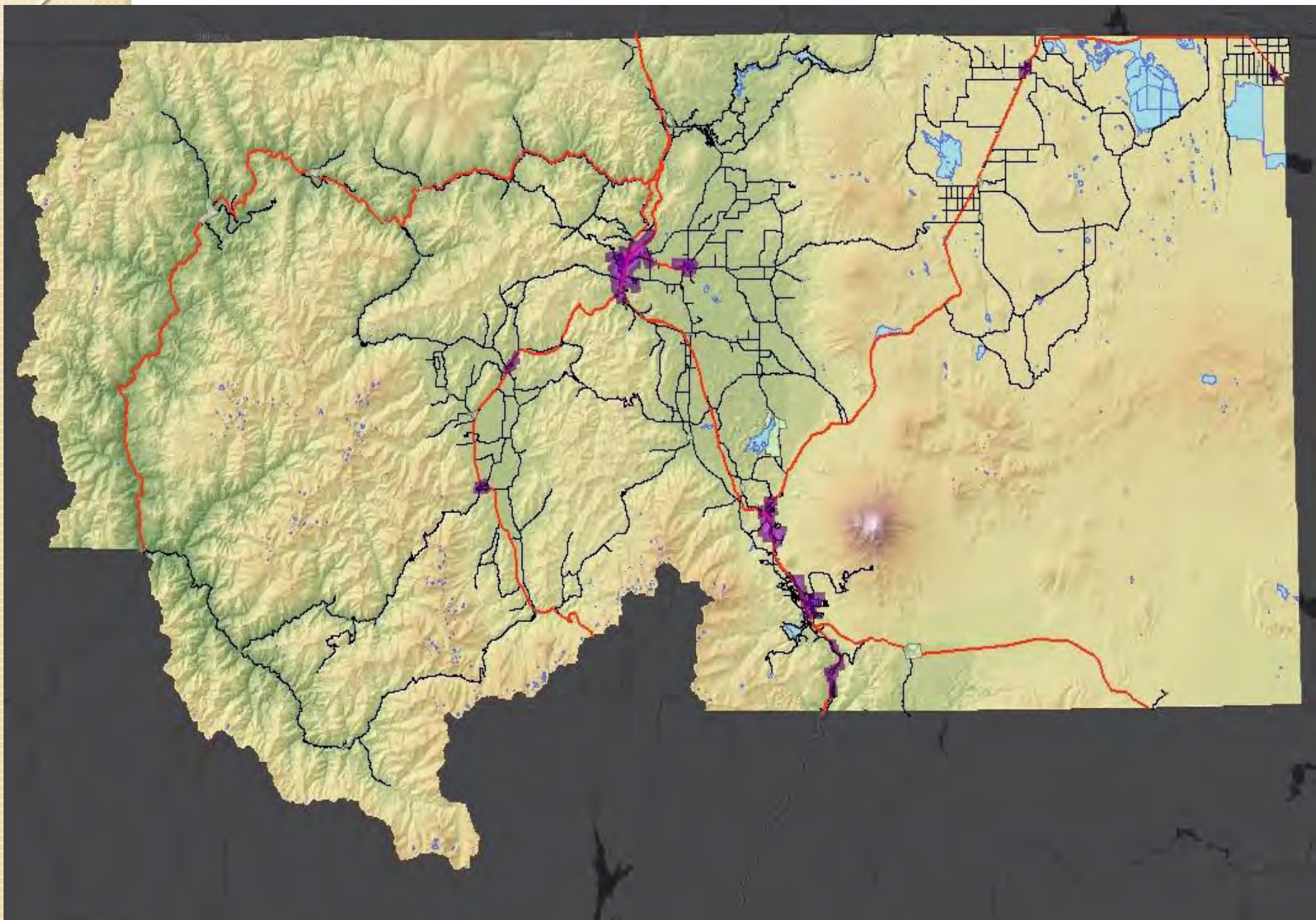
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The 5th Largest County in the State of California!

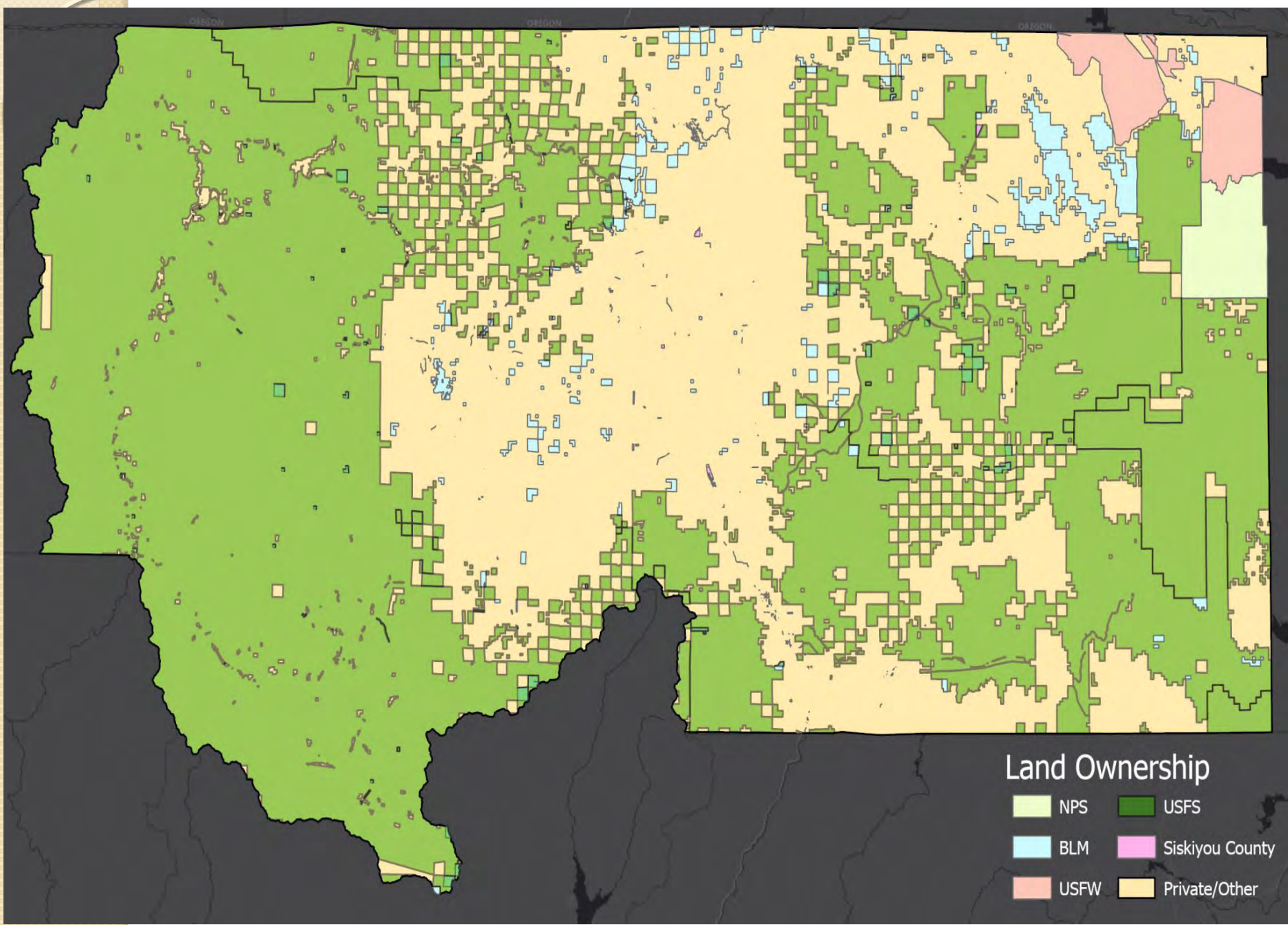


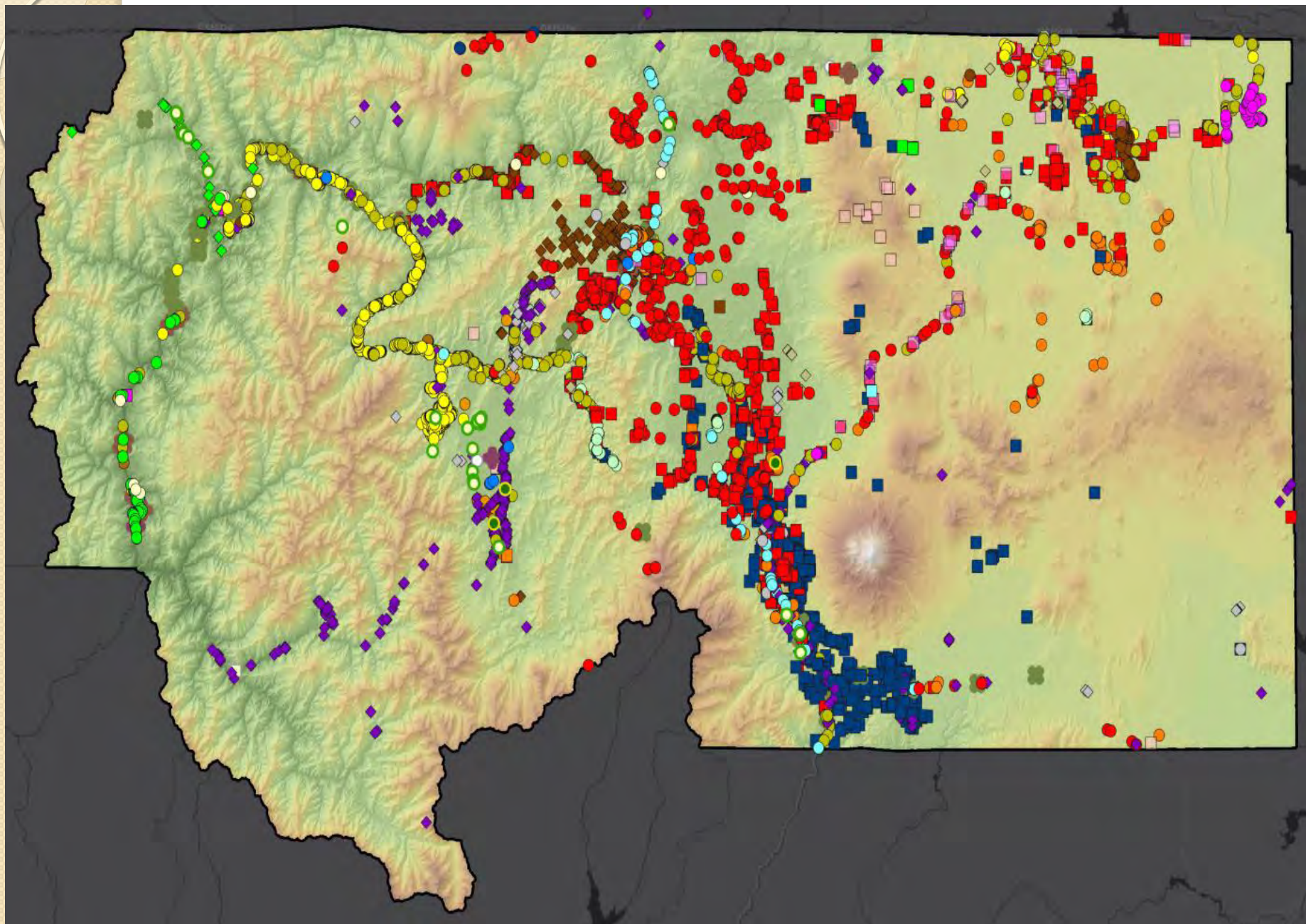




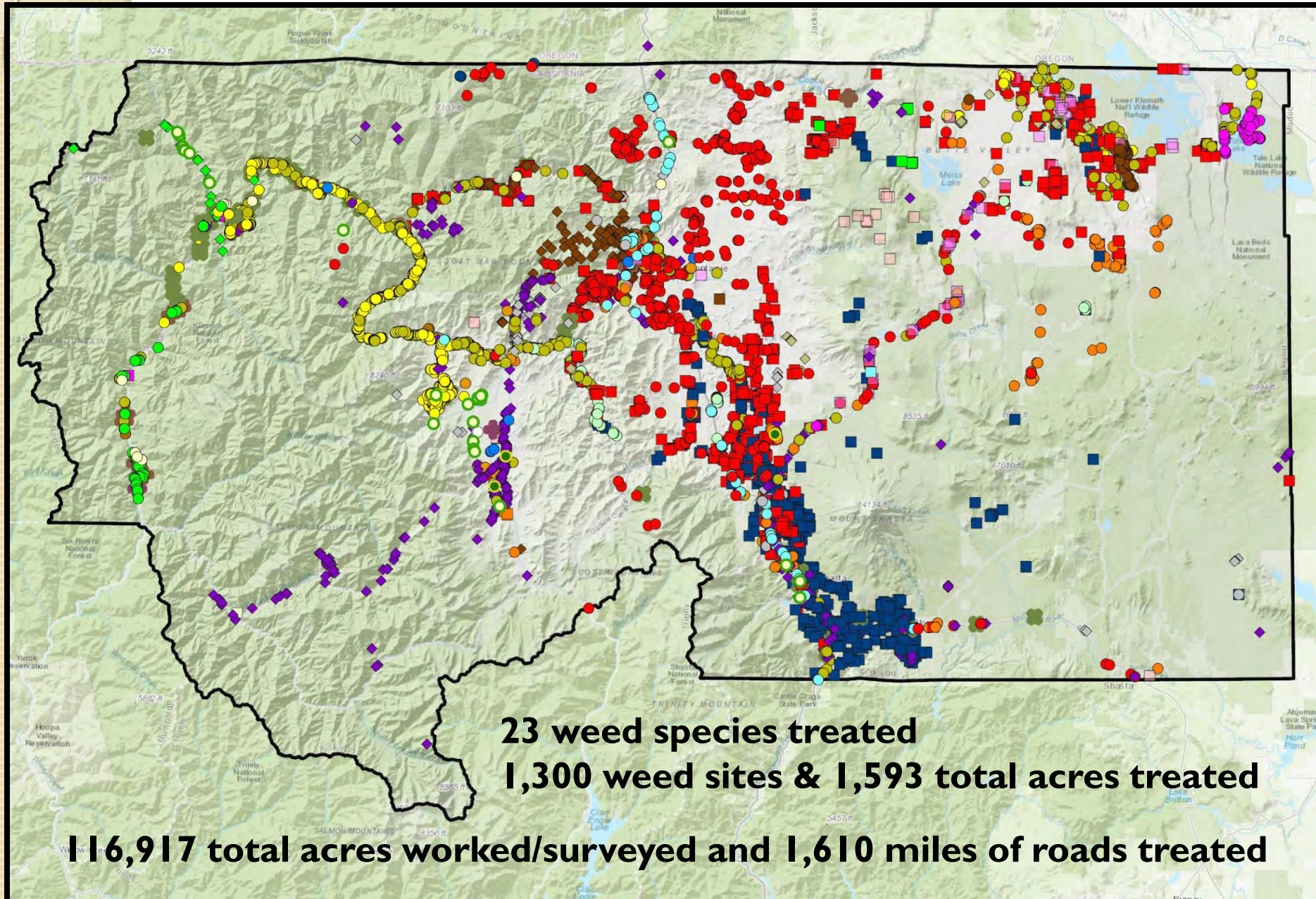
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- Population (2016) 43,603
- Area of County (square miles) 6,287
- Acres in County 4,038,843
- Land in Farms (acres) 1,153,246
- Cropland Acres 210,000
- Irrigated Acres 138,000
- Rangeland (woodland and forest) 2,525,216
- Urban Acres 12,381

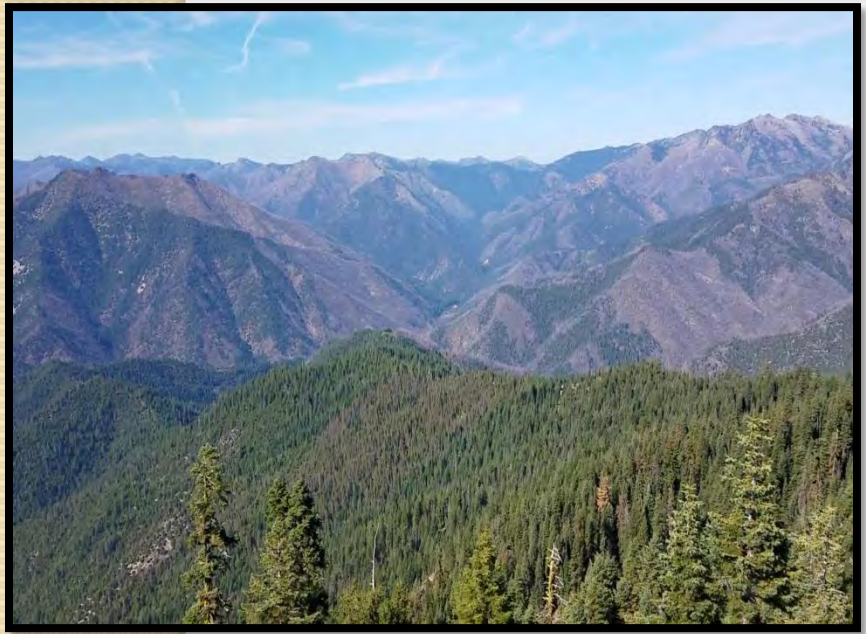
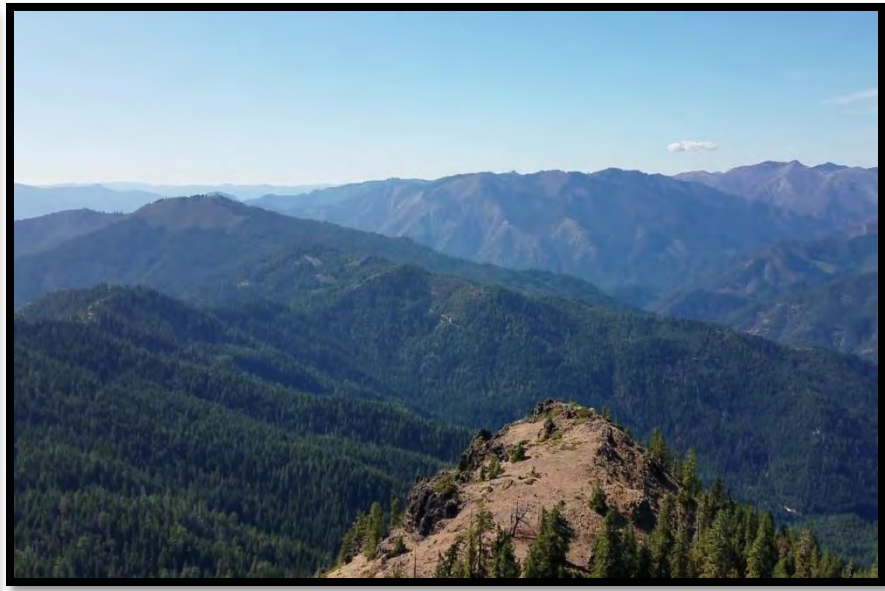




Siskiyou County Agriculture Department Vegetation Management

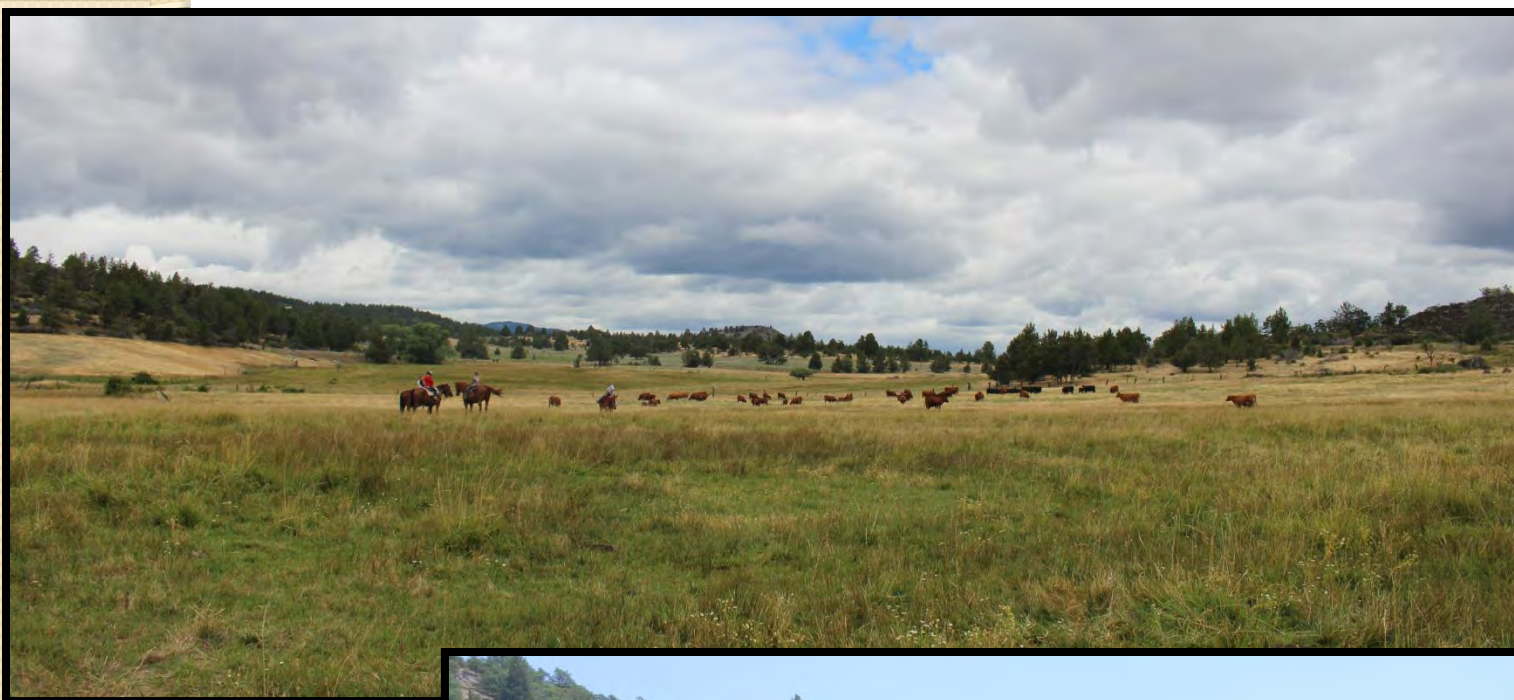














Leafy Spurge IPM Approach









Siskiyou County Weed Management Area

- 1998 partnership between KNF and SCDA resulted in cooperative efforts.
- 1999 partnership expanded to many more groups and agencies. An MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) and a Strategic Plan were developed.
- The SCWMA continues to welcome weed warrior stakeholders.
- Meeting Collaboration: Twice per Year
- Education: Invasive Noxious Weed Booth



Some Challenges

- Private Land Ownership Agreements
- Checkerboard Land Ownership
- Mapping
- Treatment Tools
- Funding
- Why care about rated species



As Weed Warriors we have to be as tenacious as the weeds we strive to eradicate and control.

No tool left behind!!