

# THE POTTER VALLEY TRIBE WILL BE PRESENTING a WORKSHOP on FOREST CLEARING, FUELS REDUCTION and CARBON MANAGEMENT:

## Use of Portable Field Kilns to Process Biomass and Make Biochar

FRIDAY, APRIL 23 at the EEL RIVER 14 PROPERTY 9 am – 2 pm

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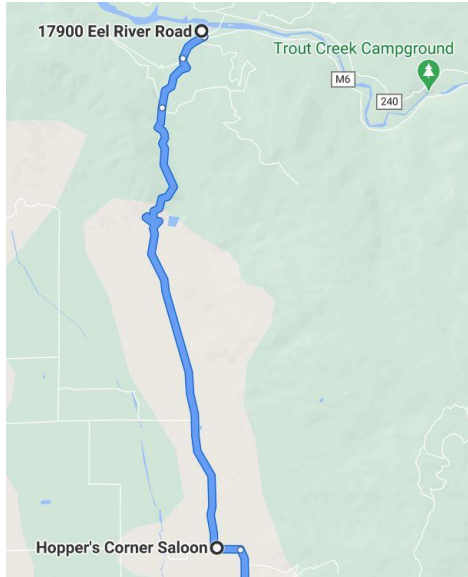
The demonstration will utilize wood waste removed from the Tribe’s Eel River – Upper Trout Creek, hauled and staged at the ER14 property. Experts in biochar production will assemble biochar kilns and produce biochar, which will be spread onsite for carbon sequestration and improvement of soil fertility on a disturbed site.



SEE FOLLOWING MAP AND DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE

## Directions to Potter Valley Tribe ER14 Property:

Take Hwy 20 East (from Hwy 101) or West (from Lake County) to the Potter Valley turnoff. Follow East Road around to Hopper's Corner (bar, store, gas station) at Eel River Road. Turn north on Eel River Rd. and go 4.8 miles to just before the Eel River Bridge. ER14 is on the left; enter through gate and follow gravel road to the left.



**Social Distancing Requirements:** According to the Order of the Health Officer of Mendocino County (April 2, 2021), this event can be attended by emergency management personnel and essential government workers. Since this is an activity and training to promote fire safety and fuels reduction/management, the Potter Valley Tribe encourages people to come with the following requirements for attendance:

- (1) Do not attend when sick with a fever, cough, or other COVID-19 symptoms.
- (2) Wear a facial covering.
- (3) Maintain at least six feet of social distancing from others not in the same household, work, or living unit.
- (4) Washing hands frequently with soap and water or using hand sanitizer.
- (5) Cover coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands).
- (6) Do not shake hands.

**THERE WILL BE WATER AVAILABLE; WE WOULD LOVE TO PROVIDE LUNCH AND SNACKS; HOWEVER, UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES THERE WILL NOT BE FOOD SERVED AT THE EVENT.**

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