

Our family owns a forest property in Morrow County and is in its fourth generation of ownership. We have strived to keep the forest healthy for the diversity of the forest in terms of the mixed conifer trees and wildlife. We rely on the OSU Extension Service for their invaluable guidance. We have learned so much through the weekly online classes organized and provided by John Punches (john.punches@oregonstate.edu). It is so important for us and similar forest land owners in Eastern Oregon to learn best practices considering the drought conditions, increasing wildfire threat, beetle infestations and so forth. Please support the funding increase request for the OSU Extension as well as other statewide services. We depend on them as do many Eastern Oregon forest land owners.

Thank you,
Mike Teach