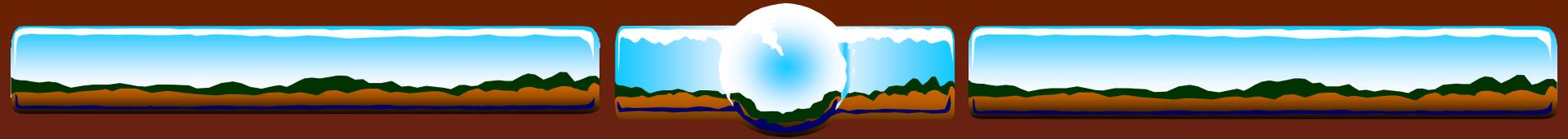


Eldorado National Forest

Long Rx Burn

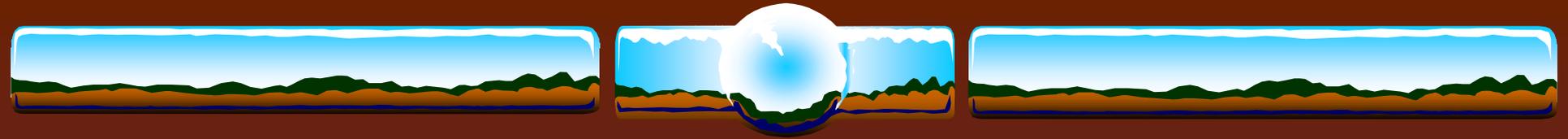
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1900 Acres



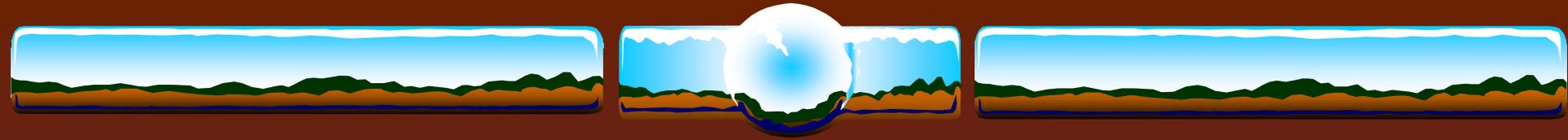
Long Rx Burn

- ❖ Strategic location, south slope, ridgetop
- ❖ Reducing the effects of large damaging fires
- ❖ Provides connectivity to previously thinned units
- ❖ Reintroducing fire back into the landscape
- ❖ Protection of T & E species



Steps to Implementation

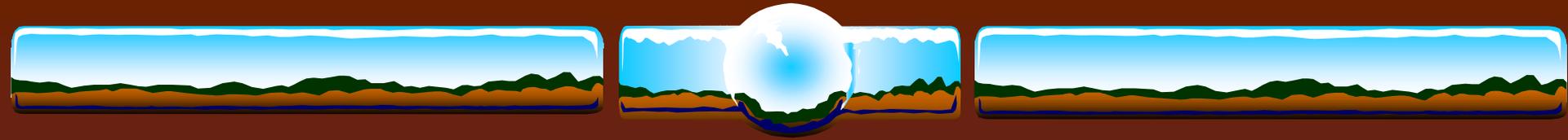
- ❖ Signed environmental documentation
- ❖ Unit preparation
- ❖ Approved burn plan, agency specific
- ❖ Approved signed SMP
- ❖ Media information
- ❖ Participation in conference calls, concurrence with CARB, Placer County APCD, Redding Fire Weather, Sac Fire Weather, and Burn Boss.

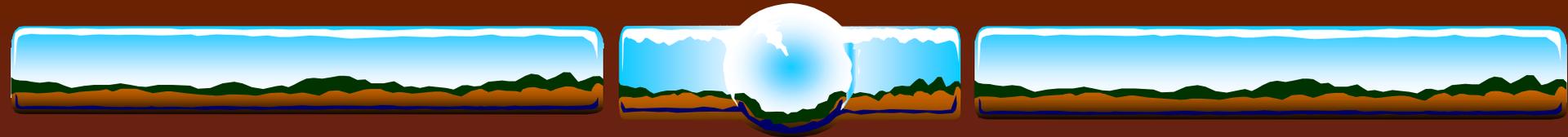


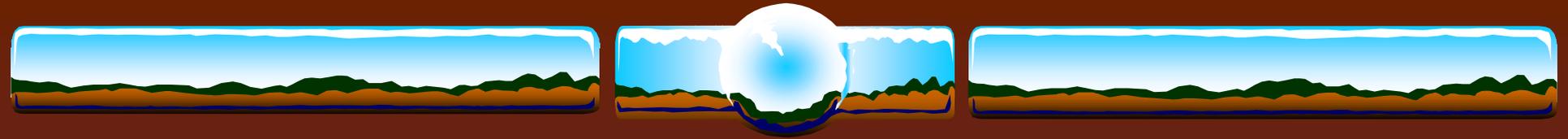


DAY 1 PERIMETER HAND IGNITION
APPROX. 400 ACRES



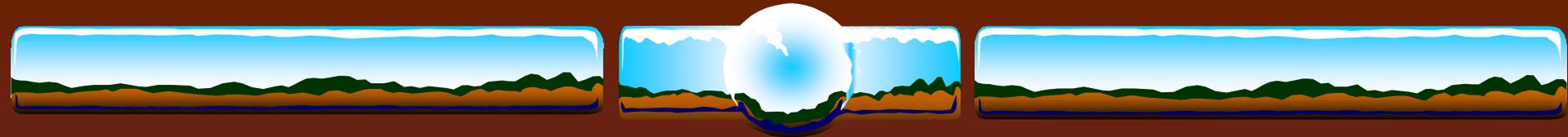


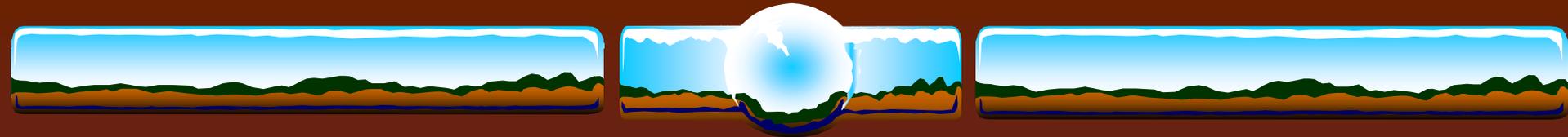


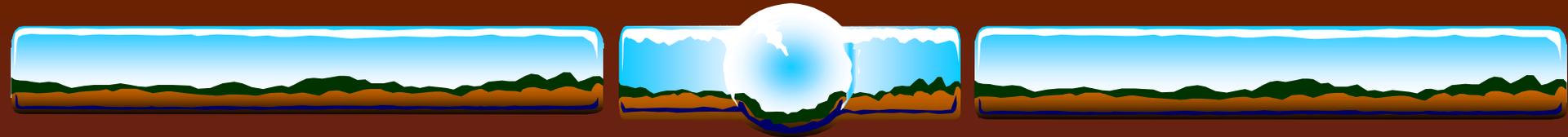


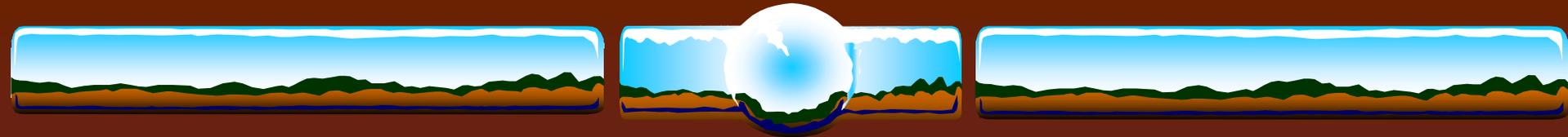
AERIAL IGNITION PHASE DAY 2

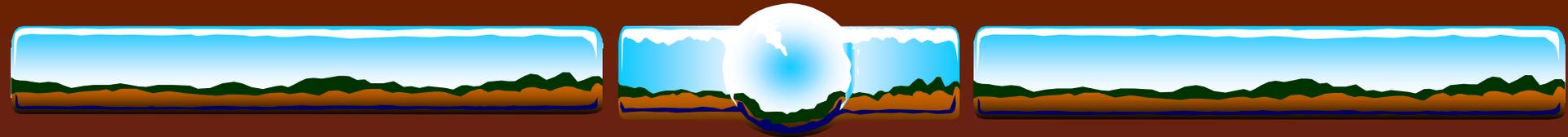
- ❖ Top control line, and portions of both lateral control lines, were burnt out
- ❖ Aerial ignition was initiated on the North East Corner and brought west across the ridge top
- ❖ Day 2 total cumulative acres completed 900
- ❖ Continued participation, conference call
- ❖ Daily contact with Placer County APCD, acre accomplishment update, and check for any smoke complaints



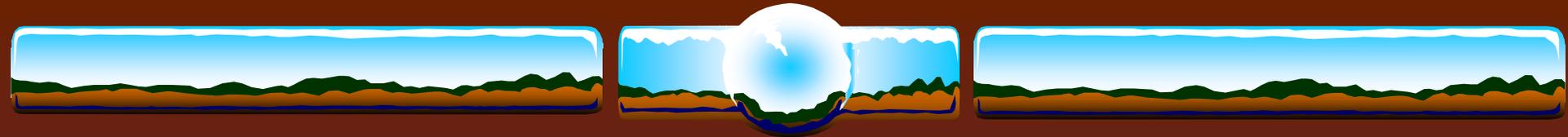








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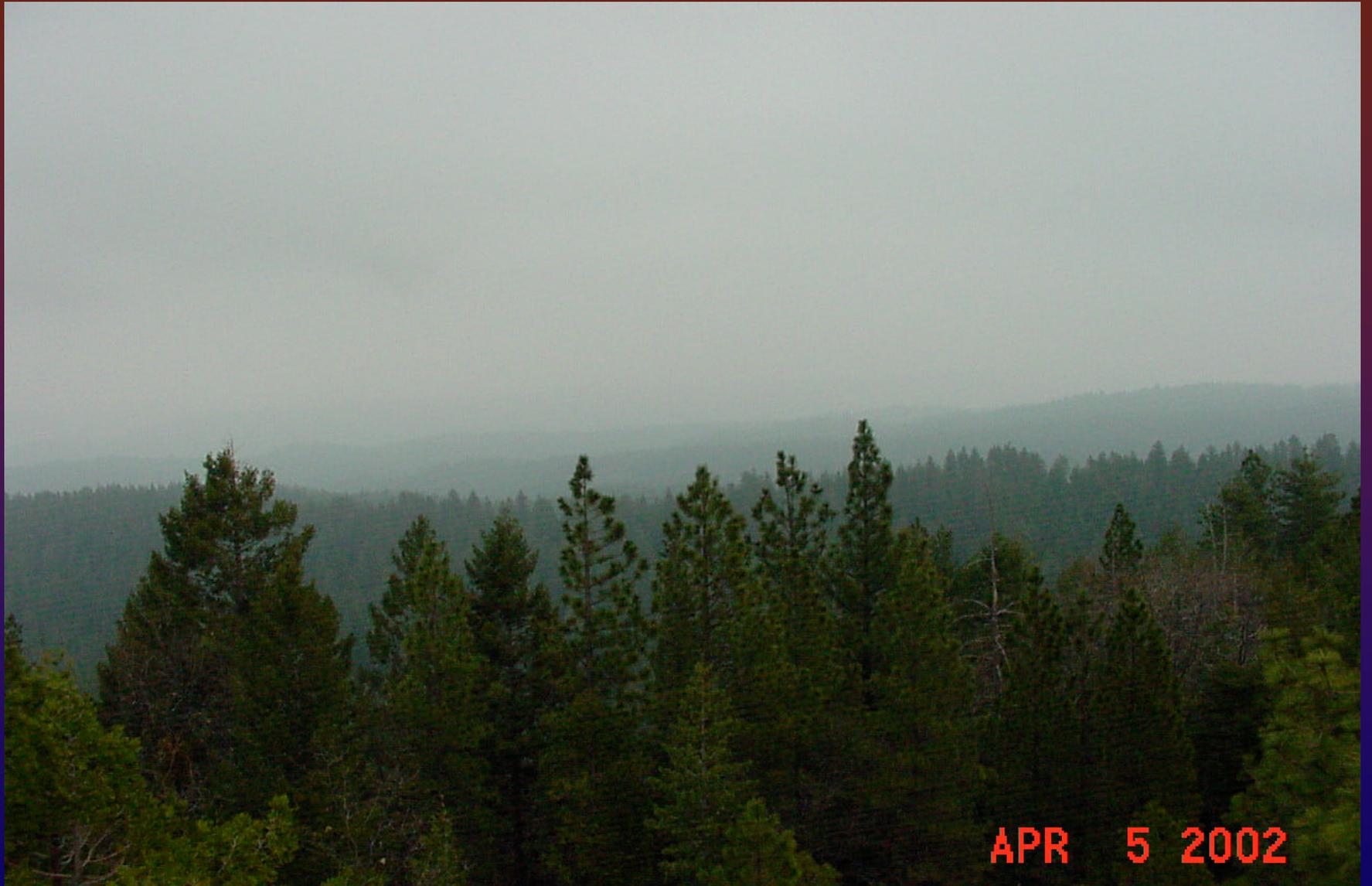


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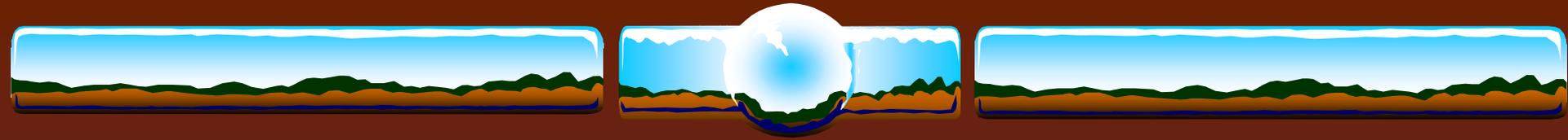
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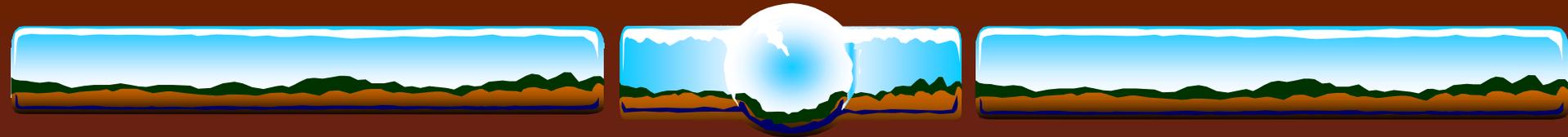
- ❖ Continued ignition mid-slope and west line
- ❖ Aerial ignition pattern changes from cross slope to lighting ridgetops from top to bottom
- ❖ No active lighting in the drainages
- ❖ Continued participation in conference calls
- ❖ Daily telephone contact with Placer County APCD, to update on accomplished acres, and check for any complaints
- ❖ Day 3 Acres completed 400, cumulative 1300 acres

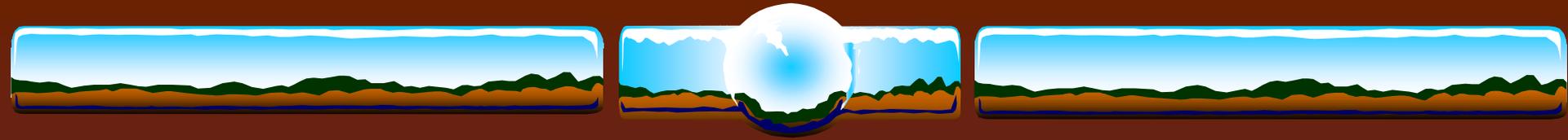


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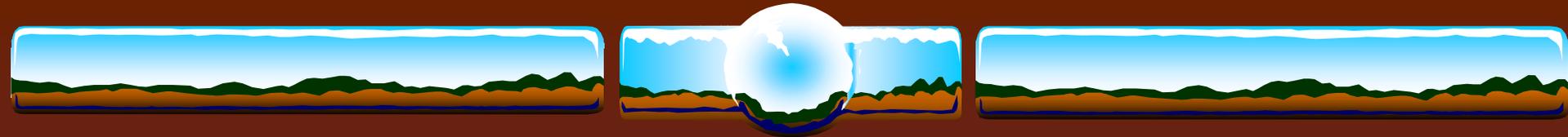


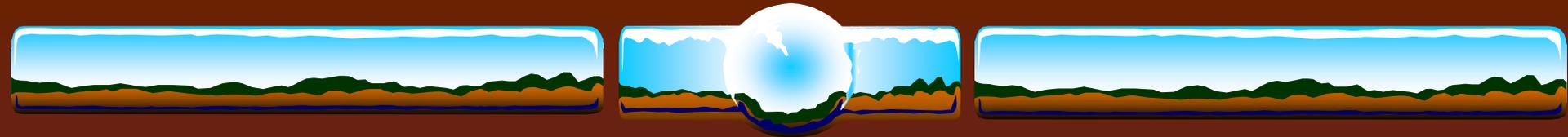




AERIAL IGNITION DAY 4

- ❖ Continued ignition bringing the fire down to the bottom control line
- ❖ Ignited areas within the burn that did not carry fire on previous days
- ❖ Fog encroachment from Sacramento Valley, unit dropped out of prescription on the low end
- ❖ Ignition was stopped
- ❖ Acres completed 300, cumulative 1600 acres

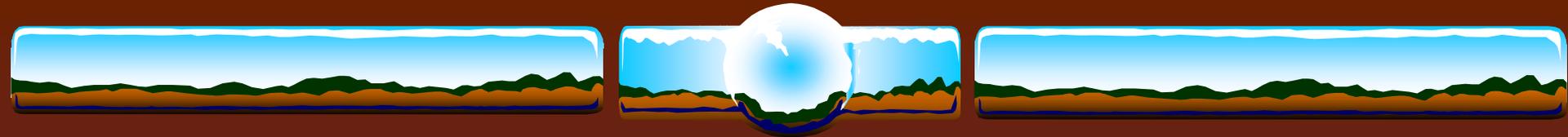


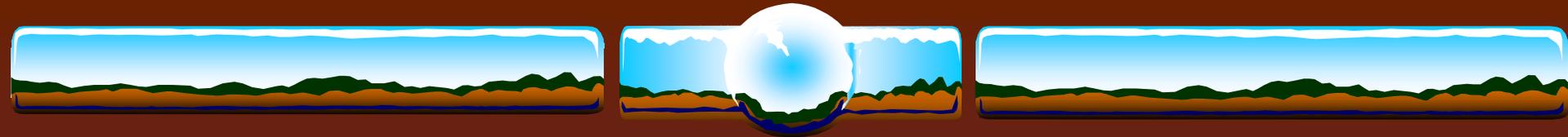




AERIAL IGNITION DAY 7

- ❖ Day 5 and 6 no ignition, burn was monitored only
- ❖ Finished ignition
- ❖ Acres accomplished 300 acres for a total of 1900 acres





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