

NO ACTIVE REFORESTATION: BRUSH FIELD 18 YEARS LATER
Stanislaus National Forest, CA



This area in the Big Creek Watershed is still awaiting analysis and proposed action for reforestation. The area burned in the 1987 as the Larsen Fire. Dead and dying trees were removed without delay. Reforestation was delayed because the acreage burned over in 1987, combined with additional fires in the early 1990's, simply overwhelmed the workforce. Big Creek became a lower priority.

Competing brush is prevalent and natural regeneration is slow to occur.