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October 21, 2021

**The Role of a Community
Forest Manager During a Wildfire:
Tremont Wildfire K21849 – August 2021**

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Outline

- What Happened
- What We Did
- What's Next

What Happened





DISTRICT OF
Logan Lake
Nature
Preparedness
Steer Spirit
community
cornerstone
Logan Lake, and
supported by
contributors

WILDFIRE
OFFICER

HUGH
MURDOCH

SalPac
FISHERIES

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 **FORSITE**
Forest Management Specialists

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June 30, 2021

Tremont Wildfire K21849

- July 12, 2021 Discovered
- **August 14, 2021 Hit Logan Lake**
- 63,548ha
- ~35km+ (Aschroft to Logan Lk)

"I don't think anything is gonna happen here — but I could be wrong."

Aug 12, 2021

CBC Interview with Logan Lake Resident



Tremont/ Sparks Incident Command Meetings



What We Did



- 2003, Tom Lacy, RFT
- Time to get **FireSmart** – 18 years and counting



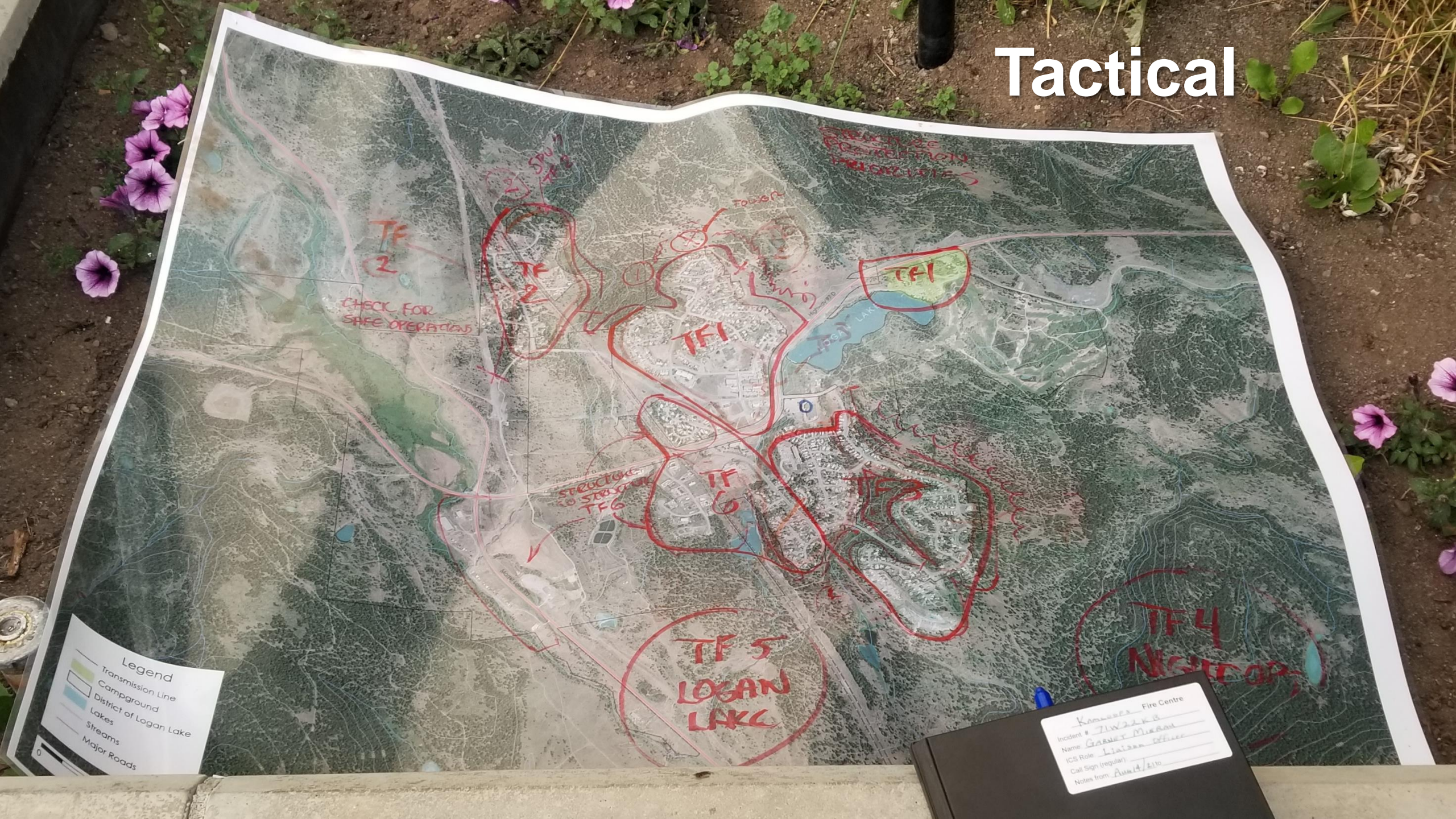
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Discover our Nature



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Tactical

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Post Wildfire – Treated Area

IT WORKS!



What can we learn?

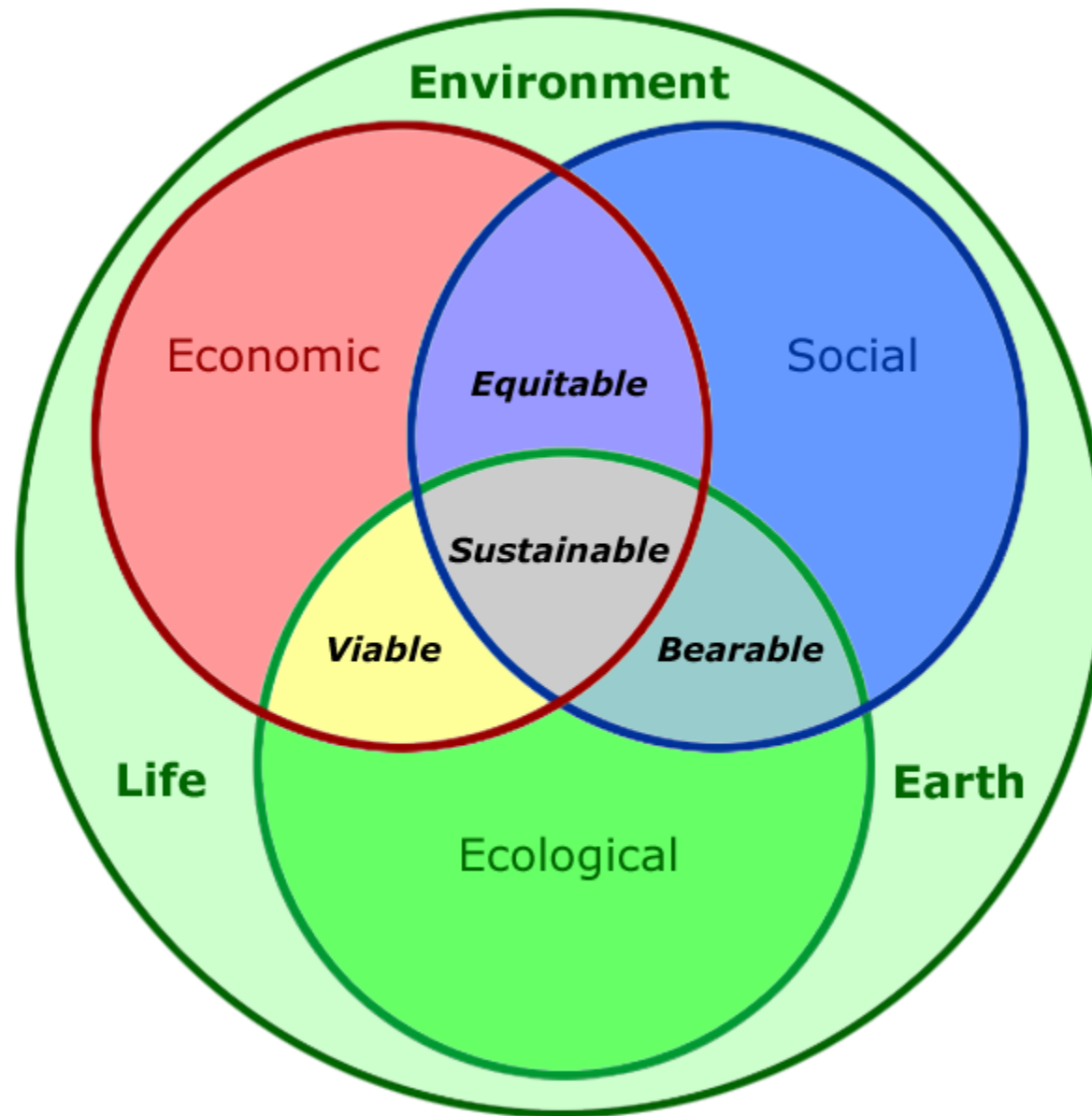
Forest and Range Practice Act (FRPA)



Community Forest Perspective

More than just legal

Legal
FRPA
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Non Legal



Values Workshop (2018) – Wildfire Risk Management Plan



Four Legs of Emergency Management



What's Next



Salvage ...what can we leave?

On Site Discussions



Outside expertise and training



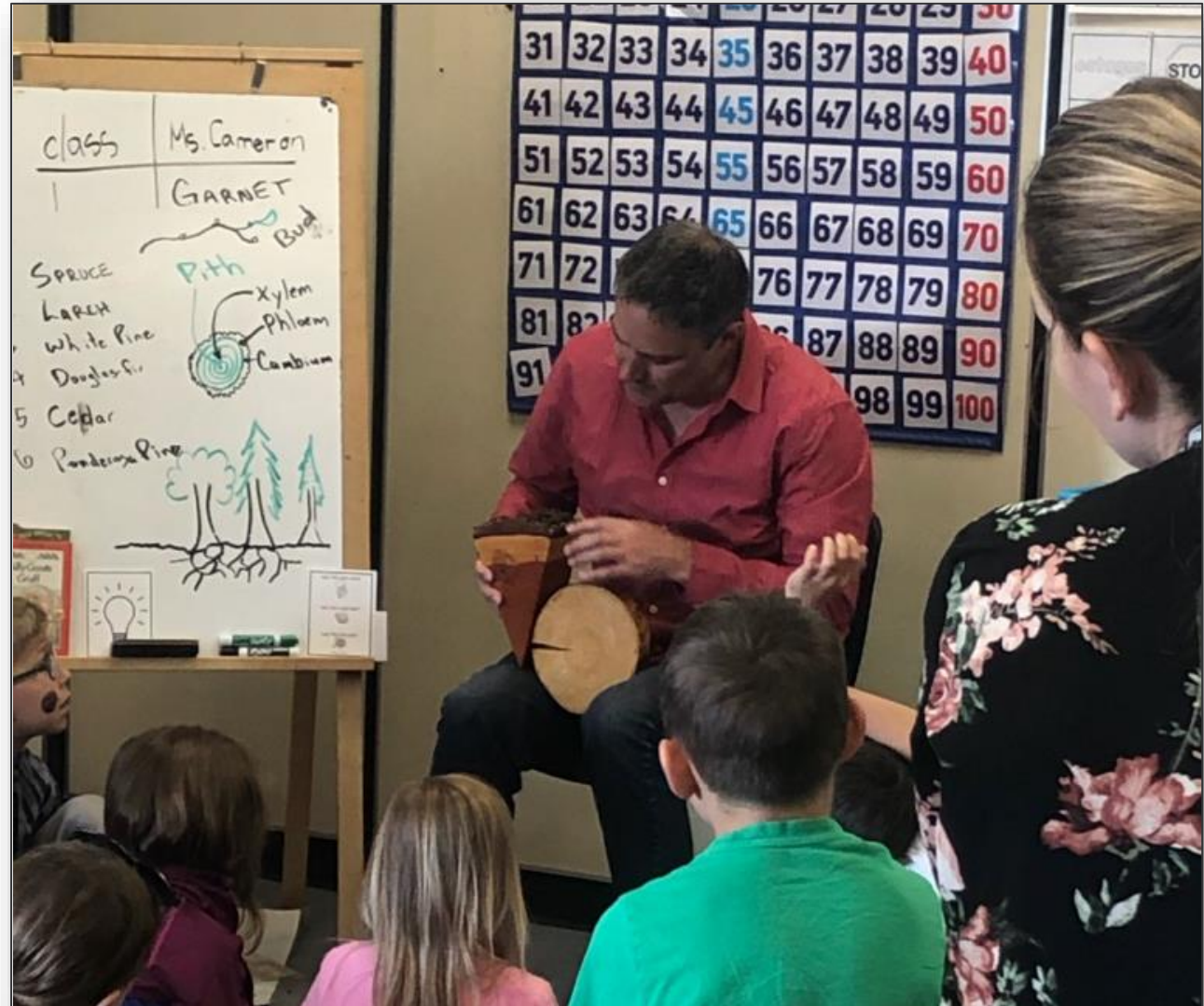
Practitioners Coming Together



Deeper Understanding UBC Faculty & Research



Education



Youth FireSmart Crew 2021

Succession Planning

Leadership and Role Models





Come for a tour...

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Thank you