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**STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN REDDING  
THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2009  
PUBLIC ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND AND PROVIDE INPUT**

*Youth Investment Program Grant Awards Announced*

**WHAT:** The Pacific Forest and Watershed Lands Stewardship Council, a land conservation and youth investment foundation, announces its board of directors meeting to be held in Redding on Thursday, April 30, 2009. The Stewardship Council Board of Directors will discuss a number of business items including:

- Youth Investment Program Impact Fund announcements
- Land Conservation Work: Round 1 Planning Units
- Land Conservation Funding Policy

Members of the public are welcome to attend and provide feedback and suggestions to the board.

**WHEN:** Thursday, April 30, 2009  
1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** McConnell Foundation  
800 Shasta View Drive  
Redding, Calif.

**PUBLIC INFO:** Visit:  
[www.stewardshipcouncil.org/public\\_information/council\\_board\\_meetings.htm](http://www.stewardshipcouncil.org/public_information/council_board_meetings.htm), or call 650-344-9072

**EDITORS:** Media interested in attending or covering these meetings should contact Bronwyn Hogan at (650) 401-2155 or [bhogan@stewardshipcouncil.org](mailto:bhogan@stewardshipcouncil.org).

The Pacific Forest and Watershed Lands Stewardship Council (Stewardship Council) is a private, nonprofit foundation. Established in 2004, its mission is to protect and enhance watershed lands and uses, and invest in efforts to improve the lives of young Californians through connections with the outdoors. The Stewardship Council brings together the expertise of leading conservation, natural resource management, business, and public officials to undertake a historic conservation effort for California. Our core values are collaboration, stewardship, discovery, sustainability and leadership.

For more information about the Stewardship Council please visit the Web site:  
[www.stewardshipcouncil.org](http://www.stewardshipcouncil.org).

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