

California Climate Action Registry
Verification Opinion

Reporting Project Name: Big River and Salmon Creek Forest Project

Name of Verification Body: Scientific Certification Systems

This is to verify that The Conservation Fund (*project developer organization*) has had its greenhouse gas emissions reduction project covering the reporting period January 1, 2008 (*beginning Month, Day, Year*) to December 31, 2008 (*ending Month, Day, Year*) verified according to the California Climate Action Registry's Forest (*type of project*) Project Verification Protocol against the standard of the California Registry's Forest (*type of project*) Project Reporting Protocol Version 2.1 (*version of protocol*) and that The Conservation Fund (*project developer organization*) holds full legal title to the CRTs to be registered in its name.

Total direct emissions reductions or removals (CO₂e): 366,827 metric tons

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☒ Verified without Qualification

☐ Unable to Verify

Attestation

Christopher Hipkin
Lead Verifier, Signature

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Christopher Hipkin, Forestry Consultant
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03/12/09
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Robert J. Hrubes
Senior Internal Reviewer, Signature

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Authorization

I authorize the above named verifier to submit this Verification Opinion to the California Climate Action Registry for The Conservation Fund (*project developer organization*).

Evan Smith
Project Owner, Signature

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