

Mendocino National Forest Ranger Roll Call & Forest Supervisors

History: The forest is located in the Coastal Mountain Range in northwestern California and comprises 913,306 acres. President Theodore Roosevelt set aside the reserve (as authorized by the Forest Reserve Act of 1891 on February 6, 1907 as the Stony Creek Forest Reserve and one month later, the reserve was added to the national forest system as the Stony Creek National Forest. Because of the difficulty of managing such a large tract of land, the northern portion was reassigned to Trinity National Forest, then the final boundaries of the new Stony Creek forest were drawn and was signed into law by executive order of the president on July 2, 1908 and renamed the California National Forest. The forest was renamed the Mendocino National Forest on July 12, 1932.

Covelo Ranger District

G. E. Squires	1907 - 1909
John Rhodes	1909 - 1910
C. V. Brereton	1910 - 1918
Douglas Robinson	1918 - 1928
F. O. Long	1928 – 1934
John L. Monday	1935 – 1939
A. W. Bramhall	1939 - 1941
E. R. Allen	1941 - 1943
E. J. Alcorn	1943 - 1944
R. C. Bangsberg	1945 - 1947
H. B. Miller	1948 - 1952
E. L. Angwin	1952 - 1955
Richard B. Fores	1964 – 1966
David W. Jones	1966 – 1971
Thomas C. Mower	1972 – 1977
Charles McFadin	1977 – 1993
Allan Bier	1994 – 2000
Blaine Baker	2001 – 2007

Paskenta Ranger District

(became the Corning RD from 1965-1997)

W. Durham	1923 - 1927
J. B. Fablinge	1928 - 1930
William Clifford	1931 -1933
John L. Monday	1934 – 1935
Randall McCain	1936 - 1938
Byron B. Beattie	1939 – 1942
E. H. Warner	1943 – 1944
E. L. Turner	1945 – 1950
Louis E. Haan	1957 - 1960
Kenneth P. Norman	1961 - 1962
Glenn W. Smith	1962 - 1965

Stonyford Ranger District

Roy Walkup	1913 – 1918
H. W. Atcheson	1917 - 1918
R. G. Stites	1919 - 1931
Keith McDonald	1931 – 1936
W. H. Hawkins	1937
Harry Camp Jr.	1937 - 1938
G. S. Powell	1938 - 1939
J. L. Monday	1939 – 1946
Dana Cox	1946
R. G. Bangsberg	1946 – 1949
R. A. James	1949 – 1952
K. A. Cuff	1952 – 1955
W. V. Jones	1955 – 1957
D. W. Lloyd	1957 – 1959
John. W. Torvinen	1959 - 1964
John W. Peterson	1965 - 1966
Donald E. Vaughn	1966 – 1970
W. Hal Ward	1971 -- 1977
Lynn S. Murray	1978 - 1979
Michael J. Mortenson	1979 – 1981
Patrick G. Pontes	1982 – 1985
Jim Giachino	1985 – 1997

(Stonyford and Corning were combined in December 1997 to become Grindstone R. D.)

Upper Lake Ranger District

R. W. Crawford	1907 - 1908
W. W. Woodruff	1908 – 1909
W. Bartlett	1909 - 1910
Charles Bates	1910 - 1911
George E. Squires	1911 – 1924
Pete Steele	1924 - 1925
W. Durham	1925 - 1932
William R. Hawkins	1932 - 1934
Floyd O. Long	1934 - 1943
A. D. Smith	1943 - 1944
S. R. Stevenson	1944 - 1946
W. M. Anderson	1946 - 1960
Emil M. Koledin	1960 - 1963
Dave Hudson	1963 – 1966
John W. Peterson	1966 – 1970
Lee R. Belau	1970 - 1977
Gilbert T. Easter	1977 - 1992
Blaine P. Baker	1992 – 2007
Lee Johnson	2007 – 2014
Frank A. Aebly	2014 - present

Willows Ranger District	
Joseph W. Gorrell	1962 – 1963
David G. Mohla	1964 – 1965
W. Hal Ward	1966 - 1970

Ukiah Ranger District	
Arthur J. Weddle	1965 – 1970

Corning Ranger District	
John W. Torvinen	1966 – 1972
Jan Seils	1973 – 1976
Gil Easter	1976 - 1977
Joe Cruz	1977 – 1980
Keith Crummer	1981 - 1986
G. Tom Mainwaring	1987 – 1990
Arthur Quintana	1991 – 1996

Grindstone Ranger District	
(Stonyford and Corning Ranger Districts combined in Dec. 1997)	
Jim Giachino	1997 - 2007
Eduardo Olemedo	2008 – 2018
Christine Hill	2018 – 2021
Loren Everest	2021 - present

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Mendocino National Forest Supervisors

M. B. Elliott	1907
Ernest Britten	1908 – 1910
Allen Hodgson	1910
David P. Godwin	1910 - 1914
M. A. Benedict	1914 - 1916
John D. Coffman	1916 – 1928
Frank Price	1929 – 1942
Melvin E. Barron	1942 – 1944
Paul W. Stathem	1944 – 1946
James G. Kaiser	1946 – 1951
Leon R. Thomas	1951 – 1954
Robert E. Dasmann	1954 – 1964
Richard R. Millar	1964 – 1968
Lloyd R. Britton	1968 – 1971
Blaine R. Cornell	1971 – 1976
James L. Davis	1976 – 1983
Lyle Laverty	1983 – 1987
Daniel Chisholm	1988 – 2000
James D. Fenwood	2000 – 2005
Thomas A. Contreras	2006 – 2011
Sherry A. Tune	2012 – 2014
Ann D. Carlson	2015 – 2022

Volunteer: Robert Ramirez prepared the Mendocino Ranger Roll Call list