## FREE WILDLIFE WORKSHOP

## An Introduction to Ranching with Wildlife

Thursday, June 16, 9:30 AM – 4:30 PM ACRCD/NRCS Office, 3585 Greenville Rd, Livermore

Are you a new farmer or rancher interested in learning more about endangered species and other local wildlife? Are you interested in simple ways to improve your ranch to benefit critters?

The Alameda County Conservation Partnership, Swaim Biological Incorporated, and UC Cooperative Extension invite you to join us for a workshop on an Introduction to Ranching with Wildlife.

This workshop is geared towards (but not limited to) ranchers in the first ten years of production who are looking to learn more about the wildlife species that occur on ranches in Alameda County. This course will help participants understand the importance of local wildlife and management practices that can improve habitat for them. Specific wildlife species that will be discussed include, but are not limited to: California red-legged frog, California tiger salamander, Alameda striped-racer, western pond turtle, and western burrowing owl.

AGENDA: For the full agenda and other workshop information, visit: http://www.acrcd.org/Workshops/IntroductiontoRanchingwithWildlife.aspx

**DATE:** Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016

TIME: 9:30 – 9:45 AM Registration

9:45 AM – 12:00 PM Classroom discussions/presentations 12:00 – 12:30 PM Travel to field site (lunch is provided in field)

12:30 – 4:30 PM Field exercises

**LOCATION:** Classroom (AM): ACRCD/NRCS Office

3585 Greenville Rd., Livermore

Field Location (PM): Zone 7 Water Agency's Lake Del Valle

Property

## **INSTRUCTOR:**

Karen Swaim, Swaim Biological Inc., Senior/Principal Wildlife Biologist

RSVP by Friday, June 10th

Cost: FREE! To register, please click here.

**Questions?** Contact Leslie Koenig, ACRCD at leslie.koenig@acrcd.org or 925-371-0154 ext 115









