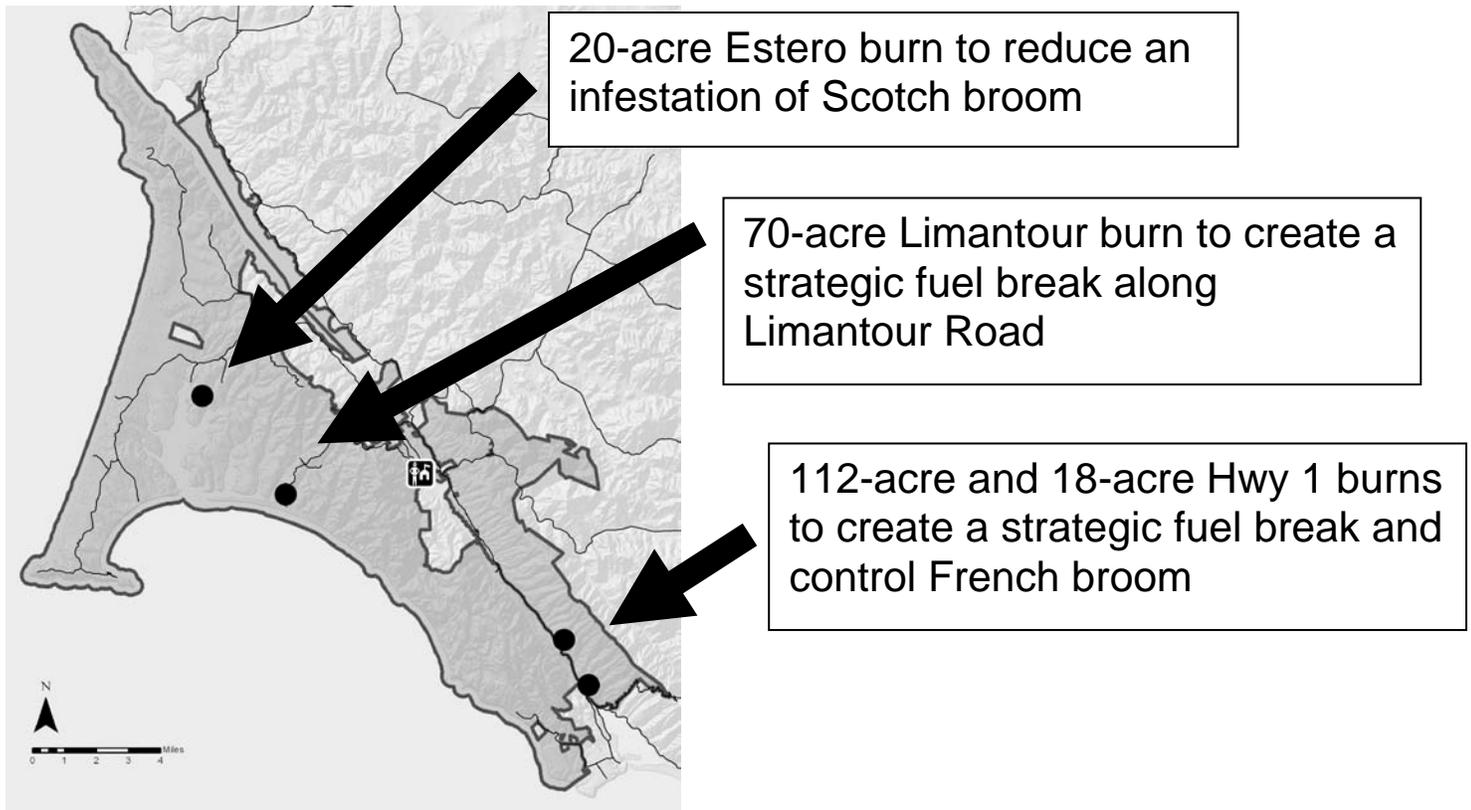


Prescribed Fire at Point Reyes

2010 Projects



20-acre Estero burn to reduce an infestation of Scotch broom

70-acre Limantour burn to create a strategic fuel break along Limantour Road

112-acre and 18-acre Hwy 1 burns to create a strategic fuel break and control French broom

Point Reyes National Seashore is planning 5 days of controlled burning this fall between September and early November. One day of burning will be done in the Estero as part of a restoration project to reduce an infestation of non-native Scotch broom. One day of burning will take place along Limantour Road to create a strategic fuel break by keeping the coyote brush small and widely spaced. Three days of burning will be done along Highway One to create a fuel break of open grasslands and to control non-native populations of French broom.

Detailed maps of the projects are available on the park website at:
www.nps.gov/pore/fire

No road closures are anticipated, but there may be temporary delays due to fire equipment along the road. Trails in the project areas may be temporarily closed while burning is in progress. For more information, contact NPS Fire Education Specialist Jennifer Chapman at 415-464-5133.

