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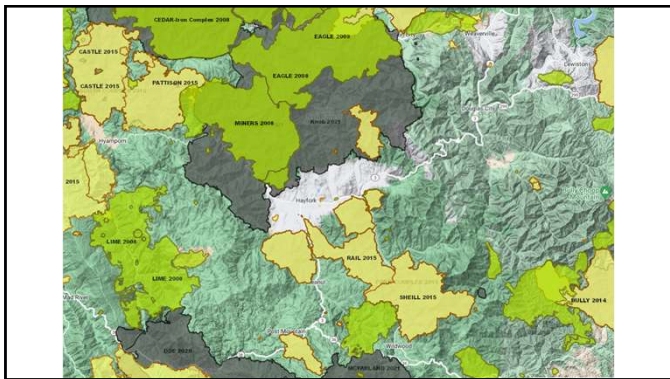
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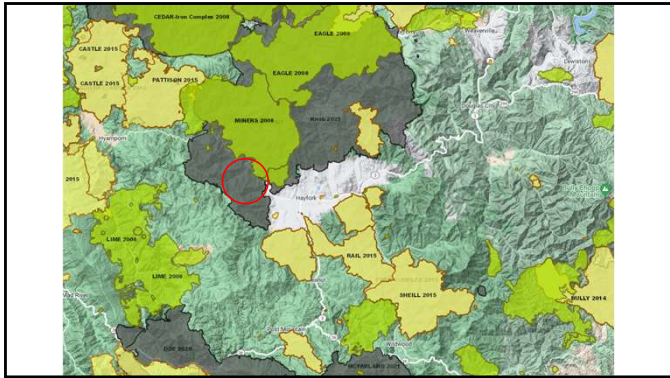
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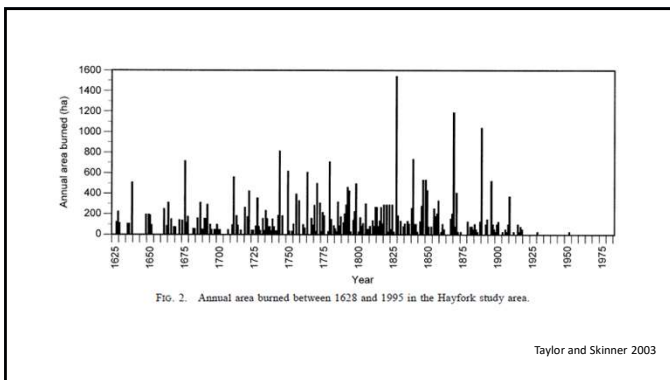
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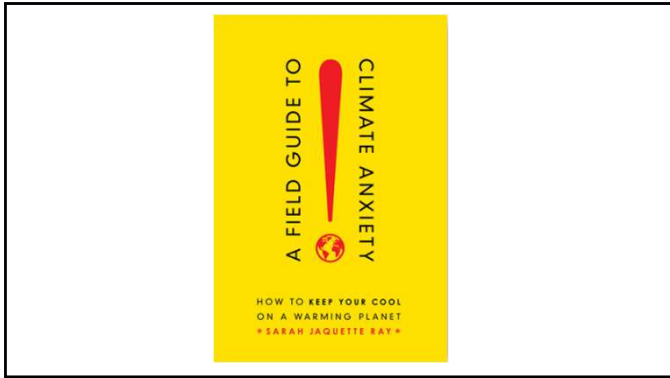
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Just a few years ago...

- *Very little private burning in CA*
- *Unclear laws and permitting*
- *<5 private burn bosses statewide*
- *Almost no training opportunities for non-agency practitioners*
- *Paralyzing liability concerns*
- *Little to no insurance options*
- *No formal recognition or protections for cultural practitioners*

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Since 2018...

- *24+ community-based prescribed fire groups across California*
- *State-certified burn boss program*
- *Gross negligence standard for fire suppression costs*
- *\$20 million prescribed fire claims fund to fill insurance gap*
- *Recognition and protections for cultural practitioners*

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### WTREX by the numbers

- 11 events in 4 countries and 5 US states
- 1300 applicants for ~360 spots
- Participants from 30+ countries across 6 continents, 35+ US states, 50+ Tribes
- Demand continues to grow...in the US and around the world

FIRE NETWORKS  
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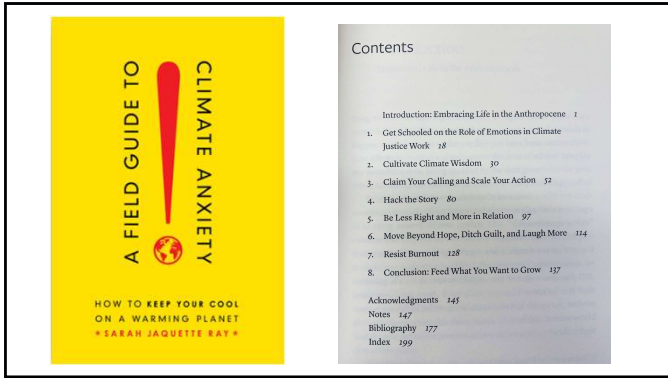
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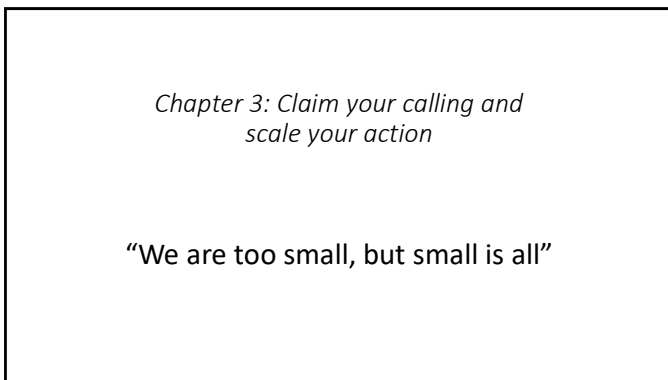
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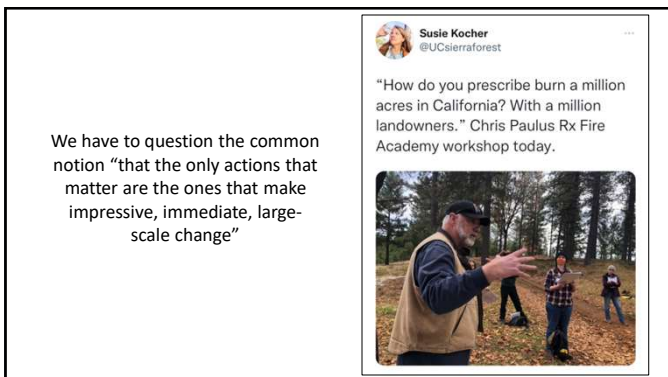
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### Metrics of success?

“...shift the notions of what the solutions are—not simply infrastructure but also interpersonal trust...”

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“Be less right and more in relation”  
(ch. 5)

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Karuk Tribe, Cattlemen's Association and Environmental Group Endorse Potential Legislation That Would Expand Cultural, Prescribed Burns

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Find your sphere of influence...explore your power signature

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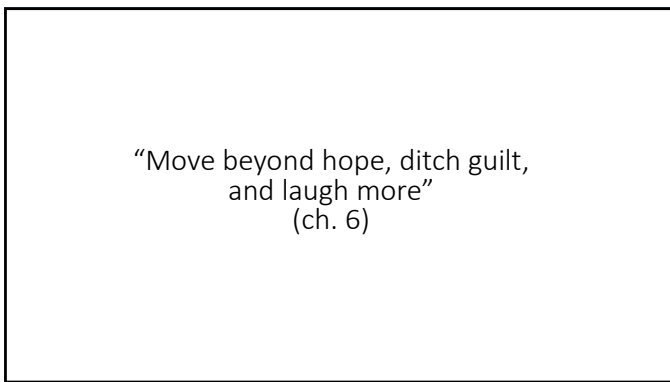
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**Thank you!**

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