



## Appendix 1: Mink Peak Whitebark Pine Daylighting Phase I: Mechanical daylighting of whitebark pine

Photo 1: Removing competing lodgepole pine from yellow-flagged whitebark pine tree.



Photo 2: Girdling competing lodgepole pine to manage surface fuel accumulation near yellow-flagged whitebark pine tree.



Photos 3 and 4: Pretreatment stand density in the background. Post-treatment stand density in the foreground. Note conversion from lodgepole pine/mixed conifer cover type to whitebark pine/mixed conifer cover type.





Photos 5 and 6: Daylighted sapling and pole-size whitebark pine.



