

Northwest MAC Group

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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 29
September 17, 2012

| National Preparedness Level | Northwest Preparedness Level |
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| 3 | 4 |

Strategic Intent:

- Assess capacity for response to IA and containment of emerging large fires
- Support critical missions to maximize resource effectiveness and to protect life and infrastructure
- Continue to assess incidents for potential reallocation of resources

PNW Incident Priorities (*set once per day*):

| <u>Priority</u> | <u>Fire</u> | <u>Unit</u> | <u>IC</u> | <u>Rationale</u> |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------|--|
| 1 | Initial Attack | | | |
| 2 | Wenatchee Complex | WA-OWF | Pendleton | Multiple communities threatened; still have critical resource needs |
| 3 | Yakima Complex | WA-OWF | Johnson | Partial Hwy closure; complex being split between 2 IMT's; fire is approaching adjacent complex |
| 4 | Pole Creek | OR-DEF | Watts | Municipal watersheds threatened; aerial ignition planned for today |
| 5 | Okanogan Complex | WA-OWF | Williams | Added an additional fire; burn out continues around structures |
| 6 | Cascade Creek | WA-GPF | LaFave | Multiple jurisdictions; implementing indirect strategy |

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• Bureau of Land Management
• U.S. Forest Service
• U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
• National Park Service

• Bureau of Indian Affairs
• Washington State Fire Marshal
• Washington State Association of Fire Chiefs
• Washington State Dept. of Natural Resources

• Oregon Department of Forestry
• Oregon Fire Chiefs Association
• Oregon State Fire Marshal