

Northwest MAC Group

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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 37
September 9, 2017

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

Strategic Intent:

- 1. Public and firefighter safety remains our highest priority.**
- 2. NW MAC will allocate resources in support of critical missions with focus on protecting communities and community infrastructure.**
- 3. Resources will be reallocated from long-term incidents as necessary to support strategies that seek to immediately mitigate threats to values at risk and achieve incident objectives in the short term.**

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			Initial Attack always first priority.
2	Eagle Creek	OR-MHF	J. Pierson	Level 3 evacuations and expanded level 2 notices; Conflagration Act Invoked; Partial closure on I-84; Threats to Bull Run Watershed.
3	Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	N. Livingston/B. Gales	Level 3 evacuations and level 2 notices in place; Conflagration Act Invoked. Level 3 evacuations reduced to level 2 for 1,200 residences.
4	Jolly Mountain	WA-OWF	C. Schulte	Level 3 evacuations and level 2 notices in place; FMAG in place.
5	Norse Peak	WA-OWF	V. Arroyo	Level 3 evacuations and level 1 notices; Threat to Hwy and infrastructure; Hwy. 410 partial closure.
6	Umpqua North Complex	OR-UPF	J. Kurth	Evacuation levels reduced from level 2 to level 1 along Hwy. 138; Hwy. 138 open 24 hours with pilot car.
7	Horse Creek Complex	OR-WIF	B. Day	Level 3 evacuations; Level 1 evacuation notices for McKenzie Bridge and Belknap.

- 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
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8	High Cascade Complex	OR-RSF	E. Knerr/S. Millert	Level 1 evacuation notices for Mazama and Union Creek; Broken Lookout going direct on east flank near Union Creek.
9	Miller Complex	OR-RSF	T. Pechota	Evacuation notices remain in place for Joe Bar California; Achieving incident objectives..
10	Whitewater	OR-WIF	D. Johnson	Impact to timber sales; Trail and area closures remain in effect; Level 2 evacuation notice for Breitenbush Hot Springs.
11	Uno Peak	WA-OWF	A. Lawson	Level 1 evacuation notices west of fire; Preparing for firing operations on the east side.
12	Sawmill Creek	WA-SPS	M. Wakoski	Threats to City of Tacoma Watershed and commercial timber.
13	Rebel	OR-WIF	B. Day	Long term strategy.
14	Horse Prairie	OR-730S	L. Smith	Mop-up and suppression repair; No critical needs.

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