

# Northwest MAC Group

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## Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 19  
August 6, 2018

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National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

### Strategic Intent:

- Maintain flexibility in the geographic distribution of Initial Attack resources to efficiently and effectively respond to new starts in the geographic area by:**
  - reallocating resources for increased Initial Attack and new large fires, as needed;
  - maximizing opportunities to fully meet incident objectives through reallocation of critical resources;
  - planning for limited replacement or reallocation of shared resources from NMAC; and by
  - determining which resources are necessary to maintain the investments made on long-term incidents should the reallocation of resources become necessary.
- Manage IMTs to effectively respond to complex fires across the Geographic Area to safely meet objectives.**

### 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 is always the first priority.
2	Cougar Creek	WA-OWF	Young	Downgraded level III evacuations to level II. One new 50 acre start.
3	Angel Springs	WA-NES	Langford	Level II and III evacuations in place. Need continued aviation support.
4	Miles	OR-RSF	Turman	Formerly known as Sugar Pine/S. Umpqua. Multiple fires being worked. 250 residences in level III evacuation.
5	Crescent Mt.	WA-OWF	Dueitt	Level II evacuations. Structure protection in place. Wind event could threaten Twisp.
6	Taylor Creek	OR-MED	Schulte	Level III evacuations. 1500 residences threatened.
7	Klondike	OR-RSF	Goicochea	Level II and III evacuations. Coordination with Coos Fire Protection Association.

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8	Miriam	WA-OWF	Knerr	Level I, II, III evacuations in place. Received some precipitation.
9	Natchez	OR-RSF	Goicochea	South flank moving slowly.
10	Garner Complex	OR-712S	Dolan	Good progress meeting objectives. No growth, ongoing suppression repair. TOC later in the week.
11	Snowy Mountain	WA-OWF	Harrod	Two miles north of the Washington border. Steep inaccessible terrain.
12	South Valley Road	OR-954S	Cline	Level I evacuations. Releasing resources as appropriate.

*/s/ Dan Torrence*

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