

Northwest MAC Group

150 SW Harrison St, Suite 400

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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 20
August 7, 2018

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

Strategic Intent:

1. **Maintain flexibility in the geographic distribution of Initial Attack resources to efficiently and effectively respond to new starts in the geographic area by:**
 - a. **reallocating resources for increased Initial Attack and new large fires, as needed;**
 - b. **maximizing opportunities to fully meet incident objectives through reallocation of critical resources;**
 - c. **planning for limited replacement or reallocation of shared resources from NMAC; and by**
 - d. **determining which resources are necessary to maintain the investments made on long-term incidents should the reallocation of resources become necessary.**
2. **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	40% growth yesterday. Level III evacuations. One new 75 acre start (Lost).
3	Crescent Mt.	WA-OWF	Dueitt	2,500 acre growth yesterday, breached MAP, 40 structures moved to level III evacuation.
4	Angel Springs	WA-NES	Langford	Level III evacuations dropped to level II today.
5	Miles	OR-RSF	Turman	Includes old S. Umpqua Complex, Sugar Pine, Good View. Active fire behavior.
6	Taylor Creek	OR-MED	Schulte	Level III evacuations. 1500 residences threatened. Firing operations around Galice and Bear Camp.
7	Klondike	OR-RSF	Schulte	Level II and III evacuations.

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8	Miriam	WA-OWF	Knerr	Level I, II, III evacuations in place.
9	Natchez	OR-RSF	Goicochea	South flank moving slowly. ICP moving to Happy Camp.
10	Garner Complex	OR-712S	Dolan	Good progress meeting objectives. No growth. Ongoing suppression repair. TOC back to local unit estimated Thursday (8/9).
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.

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