

# Northwest MAC Group

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## Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 21  
 August 8, 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 IMT's 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	Continued growth. Level III evacuations. Also managing the Lost Fire.
3	Crescent Mt.	WA-OWF	Dueitt	Significant growth, Level III evacuations.
4	Angel Springs	WA-NES	Langford	Level II evacuations. Making good progress.
5	Miles	OR-UPF	Turman	Includes old S. Umpqua Complex, Sugar Pine, & Good View. Active fire behavior. Level III evacuations
6	Taylor Creek	OR-MED	Schulte	Level III evacuations. 1500 residences threatened. Firing operations around Galice and Bear Camp.
7	Miriam	WA-OWF	Knerr	Level I, II, III evacuations in place.

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8	Klondike	OR-RSF	Schulte	Level I and III evacuations.
9	Natchez	OR-RSF	Goicochea	South flank moving slowly. ICP moving to Happy Camp. Level I, II and III evacuations.
10	Maple	WA-OLF	Lawson	Lawson's IMT2 took command today at 0600. 411 acres, 5% contained. Timber and recreation threatened.
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. Tentative TOC to local unit Friday (8/10).
13	Garner Complex	OR-712S	Dolan	TOC Thursday (8/9) back to local unit. No growth. Ongoing suppression repair.

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