

Northwest MAC Group

150 SW Harrison St, Suite 400
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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 22
August 9, 2018

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

Strategic Intent:

1. Manage geographic distribution of Initial Attack resources to efficiently and effectively respond to new starts by:
 - a. Reallocating resources for increased Initial Attack as needed.
 - b. Coordinating initial attack between incidents and units, maximizing lend-lease and the sharing of resources.
 - c. Maintaining the investments made on long-term incidents when the reallocation of resources occurs.
2. Manage IMTs to effectively respond to complex fires across the Geographic Area by:
 - a. Utilizing surge resources for critical missions that maximize opportunities to safely meet incident objectives.
 - b. Planning for limited replacement or reallocation of shared resources from NMAC.

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 II evacuations.
4	Miriam	WA-OWF	Knerr	Level I, II, III evacuations in place. New IA on the Gifford Pinchot.
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	Klondike	OR-RSF	Schulte	Level I and III evacuations.

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8	Natchez	OR-RSF	Goicochea	South flank moving slowly. Level I, II and III evacuations.
9	Maple	WA-OLF	Lawson	810 acres, 5% contained. Area closures. Timber and recreation threatened.
10	Angel Springs	WA-NES	Langford	Level II evacuations. Making good progress. Entering mop up mode.
11	Snowy Mountain	WA-OWF	Harrod	One mile north of the Washington border. Steep, inaccessible terrain.
12	South Valley Road	OR-954S	Cline	TOC to local unit Friday (8/10) at 0800.

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