



# Northwest MAC Group

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## Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

**Decision 32**  
**September 14, 2023**

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>

### Strategic Intent:

- Continue to support initial attack, emerging incidents, and new IMT deployments.
- Prioritize critical missions that maximize opportunities to safely meet incident objectives and to augment local unit initial attack resources where needed.
- Keep existing incidents adequately staffed by replacing timed out resources as needed.

### PNW Incident Priorities (set daily):

<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	Anvil	OR-RSF	Shaw	Level 2 and 3 evacuations in place. Assessing suppression strategies after increased fire behavior overnight.
3	Camp Creek	OR-MHF	Quinones	Protecting resources and infrastructure within the Bull Run municipal watershed.
4	Lookout	OR-WIF	DeMasters	Level 1 and 2 evacuations in place. Planning firing operations on Lookout as conditions allow. Includes Horse Creek and Pothole. TOC to PNW2 at 0600 on 9/15.
5	Tyee Ridge Complex	OR-730S	Cline	Level 1 evacuations in place. Securing existing lines. Big Tom and Lighthouse fires are in mop-up and patrol status.
6	Brice Creek/Grizzly	OR-UPF	Albrecht	Level 2 evacuations in place for Bohemia mining community. Planning firing operations on Brice Creek as conditions allow. Long-term strategies for Grizzly.



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7	Chilcoot	OR-UPF	Albrecht	Area closures in place. Planning firing operations as conditions allow.
8	Cowlitz Complex	WA-GPF	Wakoski	Road and trail closures in place. Hunting season is increasing public presence. Active fires within the complex are Spencer Quartz, Snagtooth, and Grassy Mountain.
9	Flat	OR-RSF	Shaw	Level 1 evacuations in place. BAER and suppression repair efforts continue.
10	Bedrock	OR-WIF	DeMasters	Mop-up, patrol, and suppression repair. TOC to PNW2 at 0600 on 9/15.
11	Ridge	OR-UPF	Albrecht	Mop-up, patrol, and suppression repair.
12	Dinner	OR-UPF	Albrecht	Fire is in patrol status.

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