



# Northwest MAC Group

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## Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

**Decision 12**  
**July 28, 2024**

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>

### Strategic Intent

- Continue to support initial attack, emerging incidents, and new IMT deployments.
- Work with Agencies/IMT's to adjust strategy and tactics to align with existing resources and the likelihood of few additional resources coming into the Geographic Area.
- Planning and making deliberate decisions on limited replacement or reallocation of shared resources from NMAC.

### 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	Swawilla 1/Bridge Creek	WA-COA	Cowger	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Threats to residence, infrastructure and Tribal natural resource values. Threats to communities of Keller, Blue Lake, Buffalo Lake.
3	Falls/Telephone/Ritter	OR-MAF	McDonald	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Threats to communities and infrastructure.
4	Retreat	WA-SES	Olson	Level 3 evacuations. Threats to community of Yakima.
5	Battle Mountain Complex/Courtrock	OR-973S	Hessel/ McCarty	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Threats to community of Dale.
6	Badland Complex	OR-VAD	Hohn	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Threats to community of Durkee and infrastructure. Evaluating evacuation levels.
7	Durkee/Cow Valley	OR-VAD	Varnedoe	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Communities and infrastructure at risk. Primary focus on the northwest lines.

- Bureau of Land Management
- U.S. Forest Service
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- National Park Service

- Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Washington State Fire Marshal
- Washington State Association of Fire Chiefs
- Washington State Department of Natural Resources

- Oregon Department of Forestry
- Oregon Fire Chiefs Association
- Oregon State Fire Marshal



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8	Pioneer/Easy	WA-SES	Click	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Community of Stehekin threatened. Primary focus north line. Prepping Highway 20.
9	Diamond Complex	OR-UPF	LeFevre	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Threats to utility infrastructure.
10	Microwave Tower/Whisky Creek	OR-954S	McFarland	Level 3 and 1 evacuations. Microwave Tower fire primary focus with threat to Mosier.
11	0404 RV Lone Rock	OR-PRD	Loomis	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations.
12	Crazy Creek	OR-OCF	Gesser	Level 3 and 1 evacuations. Assessing and engaging incidents
13	Chalk/Moss Mountain	OR-WIF	Dallas	Level 1 evacuation. Primary focus Moss Mtn., Coffee Pot.
14	Cougar Creek	WA-SES	Gales	Level 3, 2, 1 evacuations. Primary focus north half. Reducing threats to communities of Anatone, Grouse Flats and Troy.
15	Homestead Complex	OR-UPF	Ingram	Engaging fires in the complex.
16	Red/Wickiup/Jackpine	OR-DEF	Jenkins	Level 1 evacuations for Red Fire.
17	Cottage Grove	OR-771S	Cheek	Level 1 evacuations
18	Ore	OR-WIF	Orr	Continued road prep for indirect line.
19	Pyramid/Slate	OR-WIF	Mueller	Primary focus keeping fire north of private timber on Pyramid.

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