

CHAPTER 30 CREWS

Crews will be ordered by a standard type. Three (3) types exist for National or interagency assignments. They are;

Type 1,
Type 2, and
Type 2 IA (with initial attack capability)
Camp Crew
Saw Crew

These resources will be statused accordingly in ROSS and ALL Crews, including camp crews, will be rostered in ROSS whenever they are sent out of the GPC zone.

Minimum Crew Standards for National Mobilization

For a detailed description of minimum crew standards see Interagency Standards for Fire and Aviation Operations, Chapter 13, Firefighter Training and Qualifications at:

<http://www.nifc.gov/PUBLICATIONS/redbook/2013/Chapter13.pdf>

Or

Wildland Fire and Aviation Program Management and Operations Guide,
Chapter 7, Crews

<http://www.bia.gov/cs/groups/xnifc/documents/text/idc013067.pdf>

See NMG 30 and RMG 30 for additional information

Ordering considerations for crews – Items to note in ROSS Special Needs

- Transportation needs (does it need to stay with the crew?)
- With tools
- Double lunched and sufficient water
- Self-sufficient/purchasing authority
- Break down capable
- Justification for T1 crew, values at risk

Type 1 Interagency Hotshot Crews (IHC)

For a complete list of all Type 1 Interagency Hotshot Crews, refer to the following web site: http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/people/hotshots/IHC_index.html

Refer to NMG 30 and RMG 30 for additional information.

Refer to RMG 30 for RMA IHC Crew Listings

RMA Type 1 Crew Rotation

The RMA will continue to implement an out-of-area rotation for RMA Type 1 (IHC) crews. Current guidelines are posted on the RMC web page under Crews. http://gacc.nifc.gov/rmcc/logistics/crews/ihc_oa_guidelines.pdf

Tatanka IHC

Crew is located south of Custer, SD and is available May thru October.

Contact: GPC Office: (605) 399-3160

Brandon Hess – Superintendent – 605-673-5965

Type 2 and Type 2 IA Crews:

Type 2 Crews will be ordered as Type 2 or Type 2 IA. In addition to the Type 2 minimum standards, Type 2 IA Crews can be broken up into squads and have three agency qualified sawyers.

Type 2 and Type 2IA Crews ordered through NICC **DO NOT** come with chain saws or hand tools when transported by air. If chain saws or hand tools are needed, they should be ordered separately as supply items.

Units sending Type 2 and Type 2 IA Crews will determine the ratio of crews to Crew Representatives (CREP) needed for a given assignment. Depending on the assignment, ratios of 1:1 to 1:4 may be appropriate. These responsibilities can be met by an Interagency Resource Representative (IARR) as well. A CREP assigned to Type 2 or Type 2 IA Crew will remain with the crew from the initial dispatch until the crew is released to home unit. CREPs are not required for agency regular crews.

Standard crew size is 20 people maximum and eighteen 18 people minimum (including Crew Boss, Crew Representative, and trainees). NMG Ch. 30

GPC Area Crews**Camp Crews**

Res Name	Provider Unit
CREW - CAMP - BOXELDER JOB CORP - CREW 1	SD-BKF
CREW - CAMP - BOXELDER JOB CORP - CREW 2	SD-BKF
CREW - CAMP - BOXELDER JOB CORP - CREW 3	SD-BKF
CREW - CAMP - BOXELDER JOB CORP - CREW 4	SD-BKF
CREW - CAMP - CHEYENNE RIVER - CREW 1	SD-CRA
CREW - CAMP - CHEYENNE RIVER - CREW 2	SD-CRA
CREW - CAMP - LOWER BRULE - CREW 1	SD-LBA
CREW - CAMP - NEBRASKA JOB CORP - CREW 1	NE-NBF
CREW - CAMP - NEBRASKA JOB CORP - CREW 2	NE-NBF
CREW - CAMP - NEBRASKA JOB CORP - CREW 3 (20 PERSON)	NE-NBF
CREW - CAMP - NEBRASKA JOB CORP - CREW 4	NE-NBF
CREW - CAMP - ROSEBUD - CREW 1	SD-RBA
CREW - CAMP - SISSETON - CREW 2	SD-SIA
CREW - CAMP - WINNEBAGO - CREW 1	NE-WIA

Type 2 Crews

Res Name	Provider Unit
CREW - T2 - BKF CREW 15	SD-BKF
CREW - T2 - BLACK HILLS INTERAGENCY - CREW # 1	SD-BKF
CREW - T2 - CHEYENNE RIVER - CREW #2	SD-CRA
CREW - T2 - DOC - CREW #1	SD-SDS
CREW - T2 - DOC - CREW #2	SD-SDS
CREW - T2 - GP REGS CREW 2	SD-BKF
CREW - T2 - LOWER BRULE - CREW #1	SD-LBA
CREW - T2 - NEBRASKA - CREW #1	NE-NBF
CREW - T2 - PINE RIDGE - CREW #2	SD-PRA
CREW - T2 - ROSEBUD - CREW #1	SD-RBA
CREW - T2 - ROSEBUD - CREW #3	SD-RBA
CREW - T2 - SISSETON - CREW #1	SD-SIA
CREW - T2 - SOLDIER CREEK - CREW #1	NE-NBF
CREW - T2 - STANDING ROCK - CREW #2	ND-SRA
CREW - T2 - WINNEBAGO - CREW #1	NE-WIA
CREW - T2 - YANKTON - CREW 2	SD-YAA

Type 2IA Crews

Res Name	Provider Unit
CREW - T2IA - BEAR MOUNTAIN	SD-SDS
CREW - T2IA - BKF CREW 15	SD-BKF
CREW - T2IA - BLACK HATS	SD-SDS
CREW - T2IA - BLACK HILLS INTERAGENCY - CREW # 2	SD-BKF
CREW - T2IA - CHEYENNE RIVER - CREW #1	SD-CRA
CREW - T2IA - GP REGS CREW 1	SD-BKF
CREW - T2IA - LOWER BRULE - CREW #2	SD-LBA
CREW - T2IA - NEBRASKA - CREW #2	NE-NBF
CREW - T2IA - NZ CREW 1	SD-BKF
CREW - T2IA - NZ CREW 8	SD-BKF
CREW - T2IA - PINE RIDGE - CREW #1	SD-PRA
CREW - T2IA - ROSEBUD - CREW #2	SD-RBA
CREW - T2IA - SOLDIER CREEK - CREW #1	NE-NBF
CREW - T2IA - STANDING ROCK - CREW #1	ND-SRA
CREW - T2IA - STANDING ROCK - CREW #3	ND-SRA
CREW - T2IA - WINNEBAGO - CREW #2	NE-WIA
CREW - T2IA - YANKTON - CREW 1	SD-YAA

Depending on configuration and available leadership, some units may only be able to mobilize one crew; Either Type 2 or Type 2IA but not both.

Misc. Crews

Res Name	Provider Unit
CREW - MISC - SAW - LOWER BRULE - CREW 3	SD-LBA
CREW - MISC - SAW - YANKTON	SD-YAA

Before GPC will status a crew as available, a current roster/manifest shall be on file. GPC will check the roster/manifest against ROSS and ensure that copies of current signed qualification cards (Red Cards) are on file. Any inconsistencies will be cleared up before the crew is made available in ROSS.

Great Plains Regulars, Interagency Crew

Twenty-person T2 or T2IA crews can be made up of individuals from any of the GPC signatory agencies and other cooperators.

Dispatch will be informed when a crew is available. A CRWB / CRWB-T will be responsible for configuring the crew and will provide a copy of the manifest to GPC.

Black Hills IA Crews

Twenty-person crews made up of US Forest Service members.

Dispatch will be informed when a crew is available. An FMO or designee will be responsible for configuring the crew and will provide a copy of the manifest to GPC.

Box Elder Job Corp Center – BKF Crew 15

One 20 person T2 or T-2IA crew and two 10 person camp crews.

Crews can be in Rapid City within 2 hours of call.

Jet Port – RAP

Contacts: Robert Cota – Crew Supervisor

Pine Ridge Job Corp Center – Soldier Creek

One 20 person T2 or T2IA crew and two 10 person camp crews

Crews can be in Rapid City, SD within 3 hours of call.

Jet Port – CRD or RAP

Contacts: Dalynn Parks – Crew Supervisor

Bureau of Indian Affairs crews

Coordination between the FMO and GPC is essential when ordering BIA crews.

Cheyenne River Agency (SD-CRA)

Jet Port – RAP

Fire Shop: (605) 964-2112 Shop Fax: (605) 964-1041

Lower Brule Agency (SD-LBA)

Jet Port – RAP, or PIR

Fire Shop: (605) 473-0405 Shop Fax: (605) 473-0720

Pine Ridge Agency (SD-PRA)

Jet Port – RAP or PIR

Fire Shop: (605) 867-5768 Office Fax: (605) 867-5052

Rosebud Agency (SD-RBA)

Jet Port – RAP or PIR

Fire Office: (605) 747-2700 Office Fax: (605) 747-4316

Standing Rock Agency (ND-SRA)

Jet Port – BIS or RAP

Fire Shop: (701) 854-7454 Office Fax: (701) 854-4745

Winnabago Agency (NE-WIA)

Jet Port – OMA

Fire Office: (402) 878-2424 Office Fax: (402) 878-2943

SD Division of Wildland Fire - Black Hats

The Black Hats Crew is based in Rapid City, SD.

Jet Port – RAP

Contacts: Via the State Duty Officer

SD Division of Wildland Fire - Bear Mountain

The Bear Mountain Crew is based in Rapid City, SD.

Jet Port – RAP

Contacts: Via the State Duty Officer

South Dakota Department of Corrections (DOC)

Four 20-person hand crews are available, in state only unless approved by the Governor. One DOC crew is located in Rapid City, SD and the SD Wildland Fire Division provides leadership for this crew (Crew 700). There are up to three crews located in Springfield, SD. Confirm with Incident Command Authority that Inmate crews are acceptable prior to ordering. Overhead Personnel may be needed for the crews that are located in Springfield.

Contacts: Via the State Duty Officer

DOC Rapid City

Rapid City Contact: Unit Manager

Control Room 605-394-5294

DOC Springfield

Springfield Contact: Control Room

Wyoming DOC Crews

Smokebusters are Wyoming Department of Corrections crews and can only be used in WY and within the Black Hills Forest Fire Protection District in SD. To order the Smokebusters place the order to Casper Interagency Dispatch Center. The crew can be ordered as squads or as a T2 handcrew.