

Great Basin Coordinating Group Conference Call Notes

Date: 08/15/2016 **Time:** 0800 Mountain / 0900 Pacific

Facilitator: Derrek Hartman

Agenda Items:

Predictive Services Update: Moisture continues to move into eastern portions of the Great Basin by midweek for daily afternoon showers and thunderstorms, mainly over the higher terrain and across the south. Western Nevada and western Idaho look to remain fairly dry during the period, but could possibly see some isolated dry thunderstorms late in the work week. Strawberry Incident – expect gusty high winds

Gina McGuire

GB Coordinating Center Update:

- Light IA. 16 new for 272 acres
- Large Fire Growth: 4523 acres
- Down to 17 IHCs in the GB. Five from out of Area.
- National and IA resources within the GB are heavily committed. Competition for resources is substantial.
- In the GB: 2 MAFFs, 2 Scoopers, 3 AT, 21 SEATS (2 D/O), 2 LP, 2 ASM, 4 loads of Smokejumpers at 4 Bases.
- Helos Committed: 16 T1, 15 T2

Gina Dingman

NMAC:

- Nothing to report
- IHC Rotation: Hold strong to schedule. Not a lot of requests for IHC. Stick to your plans – stick to rotation.

Jeff Arnberger

Derrek Hartman

Priorities from last night and IC Call:

1. Pioneer
2. Strawberry
3. Shooting Fire
4. Rough
5. Overland
6. Box Canyon

Whitehorse: NV BLM, WMC, no 209, 850 acres.

Sue: Briggs Fire, Fishlake NF, in brief for T3 Team today, 200+ acres, 3 miles from ski area and homes.

GBCG supports the priority list.

GB MAC: Shad Sitz

- Aviation:
 1. Four extraction short-haul available in GB and on incidents
 2. Identified Ready Reserve (Surge): 1 T1, 1 T2, 1 T3 available to hand to a team or local unit for emerging fires

- FAST: In-briefing today at 1400. No conference call set-up. Rowdy will be on IC call every morning.
- IHCs: 17 in the GB, 5 from out of Area. Next couple of days, a few coming back. Bonneville available today and Black Mountain tomorrow. Will keep these available for IA.
- IC Call: Four minute script. Will draft another memo explaining from MAC to stick to script to keep calls clean.
- Today is my last day on calls. Dennis Terry will start on calls Wednesday morning.

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Name	Agency Update	Notes
Sue Stewart	USFS Region 4: Nothing to Report	
Carlos Nosie Jr.	BIA Western Region: No Report. In Ely as IARR for SW Crews.	
Cameron Dingman	Utah BLM: Nothing to Report	
Paul Petersen	Nevada BLM: No Report	
Eric	Idaho BLM: Nothing to Report	
Aaron	Arizona BLM: No Report	
Matt Snider	State of Utah: Nothing to Report	
JT Wensman	State of Idaho: Nothing to Report. Question: Will the IHC Rotation be tweaked due to Lolo and Helena IHC gone? Derrek: No. Needs help from home units to keep to schedule.	
Mike Friend	State of Nevada: Nothing to Report	
Kim VanHemelryck	FWS: Nothing to Report	
Steve Sorensen	NPS Intermountain Region: Nothing to Report	
Matt Johnson	NPS Pacific West: Strawberry Incident within an Incident in place in Ely. Thanks for the support.	
Date and Time of Next Call: 8/16 @ 0800 MT / 0900 PT		