

CHAPTER 30 - CREWS

CREWS

All sending dispatch centers within the Great Basin shall provide a roster in IROC or be able to forward a crew manifest via electronic means for all types of crews, Type 1, Type 2 or Type 2 Initial Attack.

- **MINIMUM CREW STANDARDS FOR NATIONAL MOBILIZATION**

See National Interagency Mobilization Guide

- **TYPE 1 INTERAGENCY HOTSHOT CREWS** See National Interagency Mobilization Guide

- **Great Basin Type 1 Crews**

The GBCC will implement an out-of-area rotation for the 12 Great Basin Type 1 crews. Current guidelines are posted on the GBCC website at <https://gacc.nifc.gov/gbcc/crews.php>.

Type 1 crews will be notified if they are being held within the Great Basin due to drawdown levels and/or due to GBCG or GBMAC decisions. The procedures in the Standards for Interagency Hotshot Crew Operations in regards to crew training will be utilized. This guide can be found at the following website: https://www.nifc.gov/policies/pol_ref_hotshotOps.html

Type 1 Interagency Hotshot Crews	
Idaho	Host Dispatch Center
Boise	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Idaho City	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Snake River	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Sawtooth	South Central Idaho Interagency Dispatch Center
Nevada	
Ruby Mountain	Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
Black Mountain	Sierra Front Interagency Dispatch Center
Silver State	Sierra Front Interagency Dispatch Center
Utah	
Cedar City	Color Country Interagency Fire Center
Alta	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Bonneville	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Logan	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Lone Peak	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center

- **TYPE 2 AND TYPE 2 IA CREWS** See National Interagency Mobilization Guide

- **Crew Standard**

Prior to assignment, it is the responsibility of the host/home unit to ensure that T2IA and T2 crews meet the minimum crew standards for national mobilization that is outlined in the Interagency Standards for Fire and Aviation Operations, chapter 13.

- **Great Basin Type 2 IA / Type 2 Crews**

Type 2 and Type 2 IA crews ordered through NICC do not come with chainsaws or hand tools when transported by air. If chainsaws and hand tools are needed the resources will be ordered as Supply items.

- **IARR Crew Support**

Any time GBCC has committed four or more crews outside of the geographic area, mobilization of an IARR should be considered. GBCC is responsible for the mobilization, demobilization and proper notification to the receiving GACC when an IARR is mobilized. IARR will be self-sufficient.

Great Basin Type 2 Initial Attack Crews	
Idaho	
Boise Regulars Crew 3, 5 and 8	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Patrick Environmental NCC 13A *	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Patrick Environmental NCC 13B *	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Payette Regulars	Payette Dispatch Center
Central Idaho	Central Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Targhee Regular Crew	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Shoban #1	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Centennial	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Chloeta Fire NCC 14*	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Southern Idaho Interagency	South Central Idaho Dispatch Center
Nevada	
BIA Sho-Pai 1	Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
BIA Eastern Nevada 1	Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
BLM Vegas Valley Handcrew	Las Vegas Interagency Communication Center
TDOX Zephyr	NV Dept. of Emergency Management Dispatch
Sierra Front Regulars	Sierra Front Interagency Dispatch Center
Slide Mountain Handcrew	NV Dept. of Emergency Management Dispatch
Utah	
Color Country	Color Country Interagency Dispatch Center
Fishlake Regulars	Richfield Interagency Fire Center
Red Rock Regulars	Moab Interagency Fire Center
Northern Utah Regulars	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Salt Lake County 1	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Southern Paiute Agency	Color Country Interagency Dispatch Center
Twin Peaks	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Utah County 2	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Crew 6-1	Northern Utah Interagency Fire Center
Wyoming	
Teton Crew	Teton Interagency Dispatch Center
Great Basin Type 2 Crews	
Idaho	Host Dispatch Center
Southern Idaho Correctional Institute	Boise Interagency Dispatch Center
Sawtell Blazers	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Shoban 2	Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center
Nevada	
BIA Sho-Pai 2	Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
BIA Eastern Nevada 2	Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
Rifle Peak Handcrew	NV Dept. of Emergency Management Dispatch
Utah	
BIA Southern Paiute	Color Country Interagency Dispatch Center
Dromedary Peak	Northern Utah Interagency Dispatch Center

* National Contract Crew

- **CAMP CREWS**

Camp crews are located within the dispatch centers indicated. Camp crews shall be ordered through normal dispatch channels using the designated Crew request in IROC.

- Idaho**

- Central Idaho Interagency Fire Center
 - Eastern Idaho Interagency Fire Center

- Nevada**

- Elko Interagency Dispatch Center
 - Sierra Front Interagency Dispatch Center

- Utah**

- Northern Utah Interagency Dispatch Center
 - Richfield Interagency Fire Center
 - Color Country Interagency Dispatch Center

- Wyoming**

- N/A

- **DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS INMATE RESOURCES WITHIN THE GREAT BASIN**

Department of Corrections' (DOC) hand, camp, and kitchen crews fall under the jurisdiction of their respective state's Governor. DOC hand, camp, and kitchen crews may be utilized within the states of Nevada, Idaho, Wyoming and Arizona. DOC inmate crew movement across state lines may not be done without both state governor's office approval.

The state of Utah does not accept DOC crews from out of state in any capacity.

- **Standard Naming Convention**

- All DOC resources must be identified by a standard naming convention to make their status as inmates clear to IMTs, dispatch and other fire management personnel. This will be accomplished by adding "DOC" for Department of Corrections to all crew and module names in the resource ordering system.

- **Supervision Ratio and Oversight**

- There must be eyes-on supervision of all inmate crew members at all times. The supervisors may be Corrections Officers or agency personnel with clearly defined supervision responsibilities.

- Ratio for fire-line hand crews: 1 supervisor per 10 crew members

- Ratio for camp / kitchen crew: 1 supervisor per 5 crew members during work shift hours. There must be eyes-on supervision of all incident base inmate camp / kitchen crew members or modules during work shift hours.

- **Visible / Identifiable Clothing**

- Camp crews and kitchen personnel must wear clothing that clearly identifies them as an inmate crew resource where their status is apparent from a distance of at least 50 feet. This can be accomplished with bright colored shirts, sweatshirts or jacket; this standard may not be yellow or hidden by yellow Nomex or brush coats.

- **Notification of Receiving Unit**

- When a DOC resource is mobilizing and crossing state boundaries, the sending unit will notify the GACC for notification to the receiving State Duty Officer.

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