



Date: 03/09/2023

Subject: Prescribed Fire Workshop (RT-300) Completion Memo

To: Local / Agency Training Representatives

The following individuals have successfully completed a RT-300 Prescribed Fire Workshop refresher on March 7th, 2023, hosted by the Intermountain Regional Office held virtually utilizing Microsoft Teams.

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Matt Ginder

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The Intermountain Region of the USFFS conducted a virtual Burn Boss Refresher (RT-300) on March 7, 2023. Core topics were interwoven into the various sections; core topics included 1) prescribed fire policy updates, 2) weather and climate expectations and trends. 3) smoke management requirements, modeling improvements, and techniques, 4) national, regional, tribal, state, and local issues of importance to prescribed fire practitioners. More specifically, the 16 cadre covered the following.

- Burn plan writing tools and other aids
- National Prescribed Fire Program Review
- Region 4 Prescribed Fire Program Review
- Prescribed fire risk management, and hazard mitigations; tools to help make informed decisions
- Prescribed fire agreements and multi-agency burn plans
- VIPR and other contracting in RX
- UAS operations, ordering, considerations
- Successes: Forest coordination calls and partnering
- Smoke: updates and requirements
- NWS outlook, weather, and fuels conditions
- Thunderbolt FLA

Instructors included: Mike Morello, Daren Turner (Lead), Pat Harty, Russ Ivie, Jeremy Nelson, Kelly Cornwall, Cathy Baird, Nate Wierwille, Brad Pietruszka, Deb Flowers, Jon White, Paul Corrigan, Seth Morphis, Gina Palma, Jeff Sanocki, and Dustin Doane (Lead).

This workshop meets the purpose of maintaining qualifications mandated by agency regulations and the above federal students were awarded the training competency in IQCS (RT-300 session **#00149**).

This completion memo will serve as supporting documentation; no certificates of completion have been issued. Questions regarding this course should be directed to Kim Osborn at 801-710-3664 or kimberly.osborn@usda.gov.

//s// Kim Osborn

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