



Fire Prevention & Information Committee

AGENDA

Tuesday, July 19th

Conference Call # 1-877-791-5874, pass code 4928158#

0900 - AZ

1000 – NM

- ❖ Interagency Fire Restrictions
 - ❖ Implementation and lifting of restrictions
 - Some areas are starting to discuss the lifting of fire restrictions and some areas are waiting another week or so to see what the upcoming weather brings.
 - Overall there was good coordination and communication between agencies with fire restrictions this year.
- ❖ PLIA – Richard Atkinson
 - Due to the passing of Richard his son Kevin Atkinson will be the new face at PLIA, please use the following email address: katkinso@blm.gov
- ❖ National Fire Prevention Teams in NM
 - ❖ Effectiveness – Jennifer, Loretta, Fred and Dolores spoke on the 3 NFPTs that were mobilized this summer: 2 in Southern NM and 1 in SE AZ..Multiple individuals were re-qualified as PETMs and are looking at taking the PETL course.
 - ❖ Items generated from the teams will be posted on NMFIREINFO in the near future.
 - ❖ Conversation about which classes to get on the training schedule: P-301 or P-310. Additional discussion will happen offline.

- ❖ S-203 course this winter
 - Loretta will get with Lynn Lovelace and see about hosting another class at the Sierra Blanca Fire Academy.
 - Also, there is S-420, 520, 203, and 403 at other areas in the SW.
- ❖ FIREWISE Workshop –
 - October 25th thru 29th, 2011 will be the Firewise workshop – Backyards and Beyond in Denver, CO.
www.firewise.org
- ❖ 2011 SW Prevention and Information Conference in NM (November)
 - ❖ Location of event – BLM Learning Center in ABQ, NM- starting noon 11-1, all day 11-2 and close at 11-3 at noon.
 - ❖ Also, Jennifer is looking into reserving rooms at the Holiday Inn in ABQ..
 - ❖ Agenda items –
 - Social Media, Fire Restrictions, Prevention Campaigns
 - ❖ Breakout sessions
 - Have the Prevention and Information build their own agendas based on timeframes
- ❖ Additional items or Round-Robin
 - Have a meeting with local media outlets due the increase of issues and incidents this fire season, to help better education everyone as a whole.
- ❖ Next Conference call
 - Tuesday, September 20th

Your participation in these monthly calls is essential to our committee's success. Your time and expertise is appreciated.