

NWCG Data Standard Request

The purpose of this document is to submit a request to create, update or remove an NWCG data element or geospatial data layer standard. This request document is required; however, additional information to support the request may be attached.
Request Date

Requestor's Contact Information

Name

Phone Number

Email Address

Affiliation with NWCG (Check and provide specific name for each that apply to request)

NWCG Committee

NWCG Subgroup

Agency/Bureau

Company

Other

Type of Request (check one and enter the name of the standard)

Create New Standard

Update Approved Standard

Remove Approved Standard

Other

Data Standard Request (enter a detailed explanation of the need or purpose of your request)

Source Documentation (include title, version, author, publisher or link if available)

Instructions for Completing the Data Standard Request

Form Field	Instructions and Helpful Hints
Request Date	Enter the date that you are making the request (mm/dd/yyyy).
Requestor's Contact Information	
Name	Enter your first and last name.
Phone Number	Enter your primary contact phone number.
Email Address	Enter your email address.
Affiliation with NWCG	Check your affiliation with NWCG and then enter the name of the group you are representing.
Type of Request	
Create New Standard	Check this box if you are requesting a new data element or geospatial data layer standard. Enter a proposed name for the data standard.
Update Approved Standard	Check this box if you are requesting an update to an approved data standard. Enter the name of the standard being updated.
Remove Approved Standard	Check this box if you are requesting that an approved standard be removed. Enter the name of the data standard to be removed.
Other	Check this box if your request is not any of the above and then explain the nature of your request. Include the name of the data standard if applicable.
Data Standard Request	
Data Standard Request	Enter a detailed explanation of the data standard request. Include as much information about the impact within the wildland fire environment as possible. If this is a request to create a new data standard, describe how it will assist potential users. If it is a revision to an existing data standard, describe the need for the revision and how your request meets that need.
Source Documentation	
Source Documentation	Identify any document(s) or publications that support this request. Include title, version, author, publisher, or link if available.

Please submit your proposal via email to BLM_FA_NWCG_DATA@blm.gov

For additional information on NWCG glossary terms, reference the *NWCG User Guide for Development and Maintenance of Data Standards and Terminology* that can be downloaded from www.nwcg.gov. Click Publications then Glossary.