

INCIDENT WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT GROUP

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Date: 15 September 2020, 1000 MST

Attendance: Jesse Bender, Chair, NWCG | Dave Celino, IPSC | Coleen Gadd, AHIMTA | Walter Herzog, BLM | Dan O'Brien, CGAC | Jim Prevette, NASF | Cole Belongie, DMC | Michael Minton, ICAC

Not Present: Norm McDonald, NASF | Sean Flanagan, GATR | Mike Haydon, CGAC | Mike Mattfeldt, USFS | Karla Luttrell, NICC | Tawnya Brummett, M-582 | Shane Greer, ICAC

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Review Current Actions:	
Data Collection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We do have some data sets now to evaluate. Use at October workshop, include in Agency Administrator Memo, share with parents as appropriate, and identify means for continued updates to the data sets. 	Bender
NWCG Tasking Memo 20-001, RPL Standard <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Still in progress and on track. 	Celino
Memo 20-01 to ICAC / NMAC Tasking <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Covered under October Workshop. 	Minton
Memo 20-02 to CGAC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Covered under October Workshop. 	O'Brien
ICAP SME Task Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Herzog will be IWDG representative on Task Group, which hasn't met yet. Identify business needs and related benefits, including data collection. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draft briefing paper on IWDG perspective on data collection through ICAP – O'Brien. 	Herzog
October Workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memo has not been sent from NMAC to CGAC or ICAC yet. Minton will check in with Beth Lund on status. Discussions among ICs about changes in virtual environment and importance of capturing lessons learned and identifying successes, challenges, and opportunities for change. Use successes as baseline for best practices to align IMTs and Geographic Areas so NMAC can give consistent and actionable direction. Recommendation to shift focus of October Workshop from the recommendations and outcomes from Memos 20-01 and 20-02 and 	Bender

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instead provide a forum for discussion among several groups – including ICs, Agency Administrators, IMRR reps, DMC, and leadership – about the lessons learned from the 2020 fire season as a result of COVID-19 impacts.

- Contact chairs/leaders of other groups to identify whether or not a national AAR of this type is already planned and determine whether IWDG is most appropriate group to provide this forum – Bender.
 - Identify strategies with best chance of success to rationalize the proposals from IWDG. Consider drilling down to one or two of proposed topics from Memos 20-01 and 20-02, then make smaller proposals for action/change given the unforeseen circumstances of this year which have delayed intended plans and timelines.
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