BACKGROUND
The Gap course curriculum was developed in 2008 in conjunction with the US Fire Administration to support the crossover from structural to wildland fire in four designated operational positions; reference Issue Paper #97 dated May 2, 2008. In order to be eligible to take a Gap course individuals must first meet NFPA 1001 for structural firefighter type 1 standards.

CURRENT STATUS
It has been determined that G-130 course does not significantly decrease the training time for structural firefighters to become qualified as wildland FFT2. S-130, S-190 and L-180 are also now available online. Therefore, the G-130 course is not being used as it was originally intended.

With the revision of S-130 and S-190, the content of the G-130 course is affected and, if kept as an NWCG course, would need significant revision.

RECOMMENDATION
Remove the G-130, Wildland Training (FFT2) for Structural Firefighters, course from the NWCG curriculum. Effective date for removal will be October 1, 2016.

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