



## Fire Management Board

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FMB Memorandum No. 15-001

Date: 20 February 2015

TO: Dan Smith, Chair, National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG)

FROM: William Kaage, Chair, Fire Management Board

SUBJECT: NWCG Participation in the Interagency Plan for a Wildland Fire Aviation Strategy

The Fire Management Board (FMB) requests the support and participation of the NWCG National Interagency Aviation Committee (NIAC) to execute an Interagency Plan for a Wildland Fire Aviation Strategy, as described in the attached FMB Memorandum No. 14-005. We make this request to address the U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO) report titled *Wildland Fire Management: Improvements Needed in Information, Collaboration, and Planning to Enhance Federal Fire Aviation Program Success (GAO-13-684)*, as directed by the Fire Executive Council.

cc: Fire Management Board Members, Fire Executive Council