Fire Management Board FMB Meeting Notes April 21, 2021

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 Interagency Fire Program Management (IFPM)- Tasking Memo Review: Ready to hand off to the standing group and then distribute to agencies. Objective- issues and recommendations provided by task team are thoroughly reviewed by each agency. Recommendations that are supported, the group will inform Fire Management Board (FMB) and update Standard and IFPM web page. Recommendations that are not supported, the group will elevate to FMB for resolution. Timeline- updates to FMB every month. Updates to Standards and a plan to update web page by December 2021. 	APPROVED- Memo and Attachment for distribution.
 Red Book Errata: Interagency Standards for Fire and Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations (Red Book) is revised annually. Changes outlined in Errata Statement. 	APPROVED- Changes to Red Book.
 Wildland Fire Medical and Public Health Advisory Team (MPHAT) Update: Prevention and mitigation recommendations getting feedback. Testing guidance draft should be out for FMB review in a week. COVID Surveillance- working with developer. Needs field tested. Then will brief National Multi Agency Coordinating Group (NMAC). Updated Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidance. Vaccine status does not currently apply in the workplace for wildland except in a quarantine scenario. Working on review of FMB comments to guidance. Discretion on using masks. Need to clarify if personnel are exposed to COVID can we ask vaccine status? 	N/A
 FireGuard: Hawkeye- complies information from multiple sources assesses consolidated input for indicators of a wildfire. Provides 30 minutes fire alerts to agencies via Forest Service. 	N/A

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 FireFly- provides information for sources on suspected wildfires to National Guard units. Which get analyzed and provides location to State and Geographic Coordinating Groups (GACC). FireGuard- National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC) and National Guard working together to improve wildfire detection and monitoring. Uses Hawkeye and FireFly together. California and Colorado National Guard stood up pilot project. Detection are categorized by date and time. Click on polygons to view data. Firefighters can update data with mobile devices. Mammoth Pools- FireGuard assisted in the evacuation of campers entrapped by showing escape routes available. All data will be stored and can be searched. FireGuard notifications can be SMS or email. Plan on integrating FireGuard further with existing planning and operational processes. 	
 Data Management EDG Update: Search terms by type or related concepts link and diagrams terms. Representation of data in our environment. Glossaries- show relationships and links between terms. Business rules are applied to terms. Tracible to applications and back to policy. Reference data- important to manage. Previously managed. IROC and IQCS will be able to read data from EDG. PMS 310-1 is in EDG. Shows position details, documentation with history. Shows relationships between State and Federal terms that are different but mean the same. Assists in the sharing of data. 	N/A