Fire Management Board FMB Meeting Notes June 1, 2022

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| Second Redbook Errata Statement: | APPROVED errata statement. |
| • This edit is a response to the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) Iron 44 recommendation | |
| A-10-164. | |
| o To clarify the importance of glove dexterity which plays a significant role is functionality of | |
| seat belts and emergency exits. | |
| o Direct result of lessons learned. | 27/1 |
| National Predictive Services Oversite Group (PSOG) Update: | N/A |
| Concerns about the impacts of programmatic support for predictive services products. | |
| Short-term plan: | |
| o Focus on 7-Day National Fire Potential Outlook. | |
| Effects monthly and seasonal fire outlooks. | |
| o Identifying long term systems and staffing needs to produce predictive services products. | |
| o Currently many single points of failure. | |
| o All regions have successfully transitioned except Northwest and Southern. | |
| Northwest region will transition is July. | |
| • 7-Day Outlook still available. | |
| O Southern region will transition later this summer. | |
| o First two options for the transition plan were not viable. | |
| Weather Information Management System (WIMS) did not transition. - Investigating why the transition did not home at WIMS is still weathing. | |
| Investigating why the transition did not happen. WIMS is still working. All products relay on WIMS. | |
| Connected across multiple agencies. | |
| Still have foundational improvements that need addressed. | |
| Long-term plan: | |
| • Cong-term plan: • CAL Fire releasing survey on who utilizes and how they utilize predictive services products. | |
| Discover if the needs of the field are being met. | |
| Inform the long-term plan. | |

Additional information beyond these meeting notes (i.e., handouts, presentations, maps, etc.) will require a FOIA request to ensure proper privacy regulations are followed. Please request via FOIA Online website at https://www.doi.gov/foia/make-a-request

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| Disclaimer on the 7-Day Outlook for the Southern area until they are transitioned and for any region | |
| that has a more than two-day interruption of data. | |
| Strategic Risk Assessment (SRA): | Request that FMB representatives |
| • Time is right to consolidate and refine the multiple processes used by Incident Management Teams | socialize with respective agencies. |
| (IMTs) to communicate risk. | |
| Increase efficiencies, effectiveness, and improve communication. | |
| Original Tasking form National Multi-Agency Coordination Group (NMAC) to create consistency in how IMTs evaluate risks. | |
| Informed decision making throughout the duration of an incident as conditions evolve. | |
| • SRA: | |
| Tool to communicate risk between IMTs and Agency Administrators. | |
| Informs on critical values at risk and associated risk to responders. | |
| o Captures, displays, and documents risks and mitigations. | |
| Ingrates all Command and General Staff (C&G). | |
| Creates a visual for briefings. | |
| Creates opportunities to communicate about risk in a strategic way. | |
| Strategic Operations: | |
| Process for IMTs to formulate strategies based on human intelligence and analytic tools. | |
| Creates connection from risks to strategic planning using a structured analytical approach. | |
| Deliverables: | |
| Interactive map preloaded with data and analytics. | |
| Visual understanding as the fire progresses. | |
| • Plans for 2022: | |
| Socialize with agencies, Agency Administrators, and IMTs. | |
| Continue to learn from the field. | |
| SRA presentation at fall and spring S-520, Advanced Incident Management courses. | |