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Date: 21 January 2025, 1300 – 1430 MST

IWDG Members: Jesse Bender, Chair | Aaron Thompson, Vice-Chair BLM | Chuck Russell, CGAC | Jon Black, IAFC | Dave Celino, IPSC | Jim Prevette, NASF | Russ Lane, NASF | Zeph Cunningham, ICAC | Colleen Gadd, AHIMTA | Melissa Wegner, GATR | Sean Peterson, NICC | Rich Harvey, IAFC | Steve Griffin, NIMSIC | Charles Evans, FEMA | Carol McElroy, FEMA | Joe Sean Kennedy, USFS | Patrick Pearson, RMCG | Cole Belongie, DMC | Nicki Johnston, Admin

Not Present: Shane Greer, ICSC | Hank Rowland, FEMA | Carl Schwope, SWCG

TOPIC

Agenda Items:

- Draft Response to NMAC L2024-12, Tasking Incident Management Team Configuration and Roster Negotiation Recommendations for 2025
 - o Task teams did a great job developing recommendations in a short timeframe.
 - o CIMT
 - Proposed minimum of 25 specific positions with mobilization roster of up to 75 positions and anything over 75 requiring documented negotiation.
 - No consensus from stakeholders on team configuration and roster negotiations.
 - Variety of concerns expressed, including some in direct conflict with others.
 - Some comments reflect a misinterpretation of the intentions. Feedback time was very short, which hampered the communications of the message.
 - Accountability continues to be a concern with having any requirement.
 - IROC could be used to create sideboards, if agencies determined that was appropriate.
 - Proposing NMAC determine the necessary outcome and right roster size.
 - o Type 3
 - Task team included Type 3 ICs from multiple GAs along with IWDG representatives.
 - Task team supports minimum of 10 specific positions with mobilization of up to 35 based on incident-specific needs. Anything over 35 must be documented approval by AA.
 - Standards apply only to Type 3 IMTs crossing GA boundaries; no intention of creating a Type 3 national rotation.
 - One form recommended for IMT pre-mob call with IC and AA that would document approved rosters above standard numbers, to be used for both CIMTs and Type 3 IMTs.
 - o Review updated draft, send any edits to Bender by 12pm MT January 22, 2025. Final will be sent to NMAC after that.
- Winter Meeting Agenda and Information
 - o Inviting charter governance bodies who are reviewing charter and membership.
 - o Coordination with CGAC Meeting for 1/29; meeting as IWDG and AA Subgroup on 1/30.
 - Agenda forthcoming and will include updates on open taskings as well as discussion on next efforts by IWDG and AA Subgroup.