

FMB Members in Attendance: Adam Mendonca (USFS), Jason Fallon (NPS), Ken Schmid (BLM), Joe Majewski (OWF), Aaron Baldwin (BIA)
Staff: Johanna Ostling (coverage for Executive Secretary)
Guests: Coleen Haskell JFSP, Chris Marks, & Dave Haston.

FMB 2024 Topics of Focus

- IWDG
- IFPM
- PSOG
- Workforce Development
- Health & Wellbeing

Topic & Notes	Decision
<p>National IHC Preparedness Plan Discussion initiated from NMAC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • USFS voicing concerns about resources from elsewhere in the country being done for the season by the fall fire season in California • Suggestion is to have interagency support to have resources stagger their start times by a few pay periods to extend resource availability • Symptomatic of larger issues? Ie. Fire year vs. Fire season and how to deal with fatigue • Looking to implement changes within IHC availability no earlier than 2026 season 	<p><i>FMB supports with a request to look into how to manage and if it needs to be a formal tasking. Likely needs to be under FMB oversight with NMAC input.</i></p> <p><i>Support from BLM, BIA, NPS</i></p>
<p>National Interagency Prescribed Fire Training Center (NIPFTC) Charter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PFTC is requesting support to charter as a national program given its increased scope, significance, and geographic influence. • Expanded to include training in prescribed fire, fuel planning, and leadership. • JFSP supports and has a program to bring non-fireline practitioners to PFTC programs. 	<p><i>FMB supports signing the charter with the addition of signature lines for the fire directors by agency.</i></p> <p><i>Action item: Add to FMB schedule for recurring update.</i></p>
<p>Future NWCG Joint Sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not discussed. 	<p><i>Tabled until January meeting when Aitor can be present.</i></p>

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