



ASSIGNMENT OF COURSE TITLE AND NUMBER TO RESOURCE ADVISOR, FIRELINE COURSE

BACKGROUND

The Resource Advisor, Fireline (REAF) position will be included in the *NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Position Qualifications*, PMS 310-1 in 2026. In preparation for this a position analysis was completed, during which the Incident Position Description (IPD) was evaluated, and Incident Position Standards and a Next Generation Position Task Book (PTB) for REAF were created. During the analysis, subject matter experts (SMEs) identified a need for a position-specific training course to develop skills needed by a REAF. This course of action was supported and approved by the position steward committee.

CURRENT STATUS

The *NWCG Incident Position Standards for Resource Advisor, Fireline*, PMS 350-112 and *NWCG Position Task Book for Resource Advisor, Fireline (REAF)*, PMS 311-112 have been approved. The curriculum for the REAF course, M-280, Resource Advisor, Fireline, has been reviewed and approved by the position steward committee, with imminent certification pending.

RECOMMENDATION

Assign the following course number and title to the new REAF course:

M-280, Resource Advisor, Fireline.

Stewardship for the course is assigned to the NWCG Resource Advisor Subcommittee. The effective date will be the date of certification for the new course.

APPROVED

Incident and Position Standards Committee Chair	Date
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