



## NATIONAL WILDFIRE COORDINATING GROUP

### NIAC-Interagency Aerial Supervision Subcommittee

IASS-23-02

**Date:** 7 September 2023  
**To:** Anthony Lascano, Chair, National Interagency Aviation Committee (NIAC)  
**From:** Jed Johns, Chair NIAC-Interagency Aerial Supervision Subcommittee  
**Subject:** 2024 Standards for Aerial Supervision review/approval

**Purpose:** The purpose of this memorandum is to request that your committee review the 2024 draft Standards for Aerial Supervision (PMS 505) for approval and adoption by NWCG partners.

**Background:** The IASS meets monthly to conduct business, to include the approval/denial of change requests to the Standards for Aerial Supervision (PMS 505). All requests and final edits to the SAS are completed during the September meeting to provide the NIAC and NWCG ample time to have the new version published by the beginning of the next calendar year.

**Recommendation:** On 6 September 2023, the IASS met and agreed to the final edits reflected in the attached 2024 draft of the *NWCG Standards for Aerial Supervision, PMS 505*. IASS recommends that the NIAC supports the recommended edits by the aerial supervision committee.

#### NIAC Decision

Approved:

Denied:

**Contact:** Please direct questions to IASS-Chair, Jed Johns at 208-871-7535 or [jjohns@blm.gov](mailto:jjohns@blm.gov)

**Reference:** NWCG Standards for Aerial Supervision, PMS 505

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