Fire Prevention Education Team (FPET) Subcommittee

Meeting Minutes: 03/17/2022

Attendees

Present: Zach Ellinger (BLM/Co-Chair), Fred Turck (NASF/Co-Chair), Maureen Brooks (USFS), Mark Thibideau (USFS), Jim Funk (Other), Kate Roesch (NPS), Karen Curtis (USFS), Jeff Moyer (BIA), Deb Fleming (NWCG liaison)

Absent: Chris Derman, Bruce Woods

Old Business

Zach – P310/410 Request for Change (RFC) update: The request was approved, and the requirement will take effect soon. Persons who are already qualified will not be required to take the training to maintain the qualification but will be encouraged to attend if possible. Trainees and people opening new taskbooks will be required to take the training before their taskbook can be recommended for certification.

A discussion about making P410 a requirement next year for the National FPET Schedule was had and the group decided to table the discussion for next meeting. We will do a IQCS report to see how many federal responders would be affected by this. Also, a survey for the webinar could be used to capture the non-fed folks.

New Business

All – Start Planning this year's webinar May 18th topic, save the date, 1.5 hour long. Topics: use of trainees, digital libraries, ordering stuff, predictive services, training updates P-310 and P-410, IWI,2022 key messages, Covid Protocols.

Action Items

Fred/Maureen/Zach – Email blast with save the date for Webinar. Getting the courses on the learning portal.

Other Business

Mark – P-310 in person course, 12 people completed. Challenges with test (needs work) and power points lacking engagement. The students want the course in the learning portal.

Fred- They are working on getting the P-101 to where it can be provided through the learning portal.

Fred – We would support a Wildland Fire Prevention Network - Prevention team webinars and coordinate with other groups like Investigation, WPSAPS, and WUI.

Andy – FL FS will be putting on P410 in November in person. More details to follow.

All – A general discussion about continuing training and opportunities to model the Incident Management Remote Response (IMRR) PIO Call. Monthly prevention calls to facilitate best practices, share ideas, and connect people with resources. CEPC could take the lead and the FPET SC would provide support. This would help build a communication, mitigation, trespass and prevention network.

Next Call & Agenda Items April 21, 2022 0800 PDT