

NIMS-IC Conference Call Meeting Notes

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Roll Call

Mike Mattfeldt	Steve Griffin	Jason Steinmetz	Gordy Sachs
Paul Hannemann	John Ford	Tiffany Hudgins	Jeff Soule
Ken Kehmna	Hank Rowland	Zeph Cunningham	Jeff Hughes
Deb Fleming	Barbara Geringer	Brian Sabin	

Beginning Discussion

- General updates:
- Revisit- NIMS Alert: 41-19 Community Lifelines Toolkit 2.0; *expect this to remain as a method to organize information and reporting.*
- Revisit- Using the Resource Typing Library Tool (RTLTL): possible overview from our FEMA NIC colleagues; *summary of how the process works from Hank. Can be swift or extended depending on how many stakeholders are affected by a change.*
- Revisit- NIMS-IC is now the Parent of the PMS 200: NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Resource Typing; *standards for heavy equipment have been recently updated, expect the standards for aircraft to be updated soon.*

Assignments and Updates

- Update of the NQS by SME groups; has anyone made progress with the FEMA NIC effort? *Heard a little from the PIO Subcommittee Chair who is involved with this effort; he has recommended that the PIO Type 4 be established; Logistics SME group met and found there to be potential conflict regarding fitness standards; Liaison Officer Group met and found very few conflicts.*
- NWCG All Chairs; *updated audience on the work of our committee. Mentioned both the FEMA NIC assistance and the Endorsements process.*
- Volunteer to attend one of the webinars associated with NIMS Alert 03-20; Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP) Doctrine. *Still need a volunteer.*

Follow-on discussion

- WFCIA Wildfire Initiative- update from Ken Kehmna; *looking for contributors to assist with the incident workforce succession planning problem as it concerns western fire chiefs association.*
- Type 3 IMT Tiered System; *concept paper has received not outright resistance, look for development of a standard for implementation in the next few months. Jeff Soule is presenting the concept to several groups over the next couple months.*
- Proposals for where and when we could meet face-to-face; possible activity to organize around. *Idea to make the next face-to-face concurrent with the AH-IMT-A Symposium.*