

NIMS-IC Monthly Teams Meeting

22 March 29

Roll Call

Mike Mattfeldt	Steve Griffin X	Jason Steinmetz	Gordy Sachs AC
Paul Hannemann X	Shawn Burt AC	Shelley Pelcher X	Jeff Soule X
Ken Kehmna X	Barbara Geringer AC	Zeph Cunningham X	Deb Fleming X
Hank Rowland AC	Brent Ruggles X	James Christian X	Heath Cota
Shawn Nagle	Joe Sean Kennedy	Rodney Redinger X	

AC = Another Commitment

Discussion and Updates

Endorsement Tasking Update – All

- Review and approve Logistic positions endorsement to move forward.
 - o NIMSIC Reviewed and approved moving recommendations forward for further review and approval.
- Operations and Air Operations Update.
 - o Operations Meeting April 4.
 - o Air Operations Meeting April 12.

Status Check-in form and Planning update – Deb

- Planning positions for endorsements will be emailed to NIMSIC for review and approval so that they can be consider by IPSC and the Executive board at the same time.
- Review electronic check-in form from the planning committee.

WUI Conference update – Ken

- Wildfire Initiative (WFI) – to work on a western version based on the I-Chief’s version.
- I-chiefs and Western Fire Chiefs met together to create alignment.
- Refocus strategic vision moving forward.
- Using RPL and endorsement to access all-hazard personnel, although quals are working out, the mechanism, agreements and such still needs work for access across the spectrum.

NIMS Alerts

James Christian (FEMA)

- Mar 1 NIMS Alert: National Engagement for EOC Management Support Team
 - o Link: [FEMA Seeks Public Feedback on Emergency Operations Center Resource Type | FEMA.gov](#)
 - o Includes updated references to the recently released EOC Skillsets and EOC How-To-Quick Reference Guide

- Mar 15 NIMS Alert: Final Publication of Chemical Operations Support Specialist
 - RTLT Link: [View Position Qualification - RTLT \(fema.gov\)](#)
 - Includes position for a state and local SME that can bridge together response and chemical knowledge to minimize the impact of an incident as a result of hazardous chemicals
- Mar 22 NIMS Alert: PIB released National Engagement for Local & Elected Officials Guide
 - Link: [Local Elected and Appointed Officials Guide \(fema.gov\)](#)
 - Mar 31 Webinar @ 2pm EST: [Local Elected and Appointed Officials Guide Webinar 3 \(connectsolutions.com\)](#)
 - Apr 11 Webinar @ 4pm EST: [Local Elected and Appointed Officials Guide Webinar 4 \(connectsolutions.com\)](#)
 - Apr 20 Webinar @ 1pm EST: [Local Elected and Appointed Officials Guide Webinar 5 \(connectsolutions.com\)](#)
- Apr 5 NIMS Alert: Final Publication: Fire Management Suppression Documents
- Radio Direction Finding Team TBD with National Engagement in the next couple of months
- On Track for Canine Detection Team – Explosives and Canine Handler – Explosives RT documents
- NIB presented at NEMA mid-year Forum this week relating to Hazard Mitigation RTs
- Hank & Shelley presenting NQS / NRH / OR at National Preparedness Symposium May 10-12 at CDP
- NCG Main Group meeting for May 10-12, Location TBD

Wrap-up and Next Meeting

Tuesday April 26, 2022 @ 1500EST

Microsoft Teams meeting

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