



**RMC Members Present:** Ted Mason (BLM), Mike Noel (USFS), Kathy Komatz (NPS), Wesley Keller (NASF), Colby Jackson (Training Liaison). Adrian Grayshield (BIA), Miranda Stuart (NPS). Bill Troup (FEMA), John Truett (NASF), Kelly Woods (NPS-LLC), Corey Butler (DOI), Tess McCarville (USFS), Mack McFarland (NPS), Joe Domitrovich (USFS), Darci Drinkwater (Executive Secretary), Chris Marks (NWCG Coordinator), Mark Goeller (NASF), Eric Fransted (RMC- Chair).

**Guests:** Kaili McCray, Kathleen Navarro, Ben Iverson, Corey Berkebile, Katie Wood, Erik Apland, Joe Sol

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<b>SAFENET Proposal:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Suggest adding “The NWCG Risk Management Committee approves these requests.” To What Happens Next section on the SAFENET homepage.</li><li>Suggest deleting, “This may be done unilaterally by the agency representative or in conjunction with the submitter.” Protocols page.</li><li>Suggest adding, “The SAFENET administrator will request the NWCG Risk Management Committee approve any delayed or denied posts.” Protocols page.</li><li>Suggested updates are brief and to the point.</li></ul>	APPROVED: Updates to SAFENET website. Fransted and Karma Hope will get it changed.
<b>PMS 212 Chainsaw Standards:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed new Complexity chart for Complexity chapter of PMS 212.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Proposes questions to evaluate external factors for cutting.</li><li>Draft of Complexity chart will be sent out to RMC members.</li></ul></li><li>Each agency will submit comments to Mack and Corey by June 25<sup>th</sup>.</li><li>Final draft will be submitted to NWCG publications by first week in July.</li><li>Next step in training depends on PMS 212 being finalized.</li></ul>	Action item- Submit comments on PMS 212 to Mack or Cory ASAP, no later than June 25 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>Supplemental Food Proposal:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Update of current 2016 document.</li><li>Incident Business Committee (IBC) has reviewed. But feel RMC should review and issue.</li><li>Receive lots of questions each year from commercial businesses about getting on the list.</li><li>Draft will allow for more products to be available for purchase.</li><li>Allows crews to purchase pre-season and then restock with supply numbers.</li><li>Appendix 2 pro/cons<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>IBC concerned that the cons column is too subjective. Could confuse buying team members.</li><li>RMC sees benefits is pros and cons column.</li></ul></li><li>Document is currently guidance. Should it be made a Standard?<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Buying teams use to make informed decisions.</li><li>Discuss with IBC about making a Standard.</li></ul></li><li>Ask Emergency Medical Committee (EMC) to review.</li></ul>	Action items- Discuss with IBC about making a Standard. EMC review.  APPROVED- Move forward with document as is.



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<b>Updating NWCG Position Standards and References:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>NWCG Webmaster requests RMC to review for currency and accuracy.</li><li>RMC response:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>SOF1 should be “Position-Specific” along with SOF2 and SOFR for Incident Response Pocket Guide (IRPG).</li><li>Add PMS 503- Aviation Mishap Response Guide, RMC 01- Six Minutes for Safety, PMS 477- Smoke and Roadway Safety Guide, PMS 512- Helo Extraction Source List.</li><li>Discuss with NWCG Webmaster about adding ICS- 215A.</li></ul></li></ul>	Action item- Fransted will send RMC response to NWCG Webmaster.
<b>Safety Gram:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two recent additions: Eicks fire fatality and off-duty fatality in Mississippi.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Historically travel status fatalities have been counted.</li></ul></li><li>LA County fatality.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Happened in a fire station but is LA County considered a Wildland fire resource when not in direct support of fire?</li><li>Need to keep database consistent.</li><li>Revisit criteria for Safety Gram. What is the intent of Safety Gram? Add standby to criteria?</li></ul></li></ul>	Action item- NWCG Executive Board (EB) wants briefing and to participate in decision on LA County fatality.  Revisit Safety Gram criteria, discuss with your EB rep.  Vote at July meeting.
<b>RMC Website Updates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Homepage: needs more current information, esp. hot topics.</li><li>Post links to Safety Stand Down and Week of Remembrance.</li><li>NWCG added new objective on standardization of IT systems.</li><li>Preparedness Guide for Firefighters and Their Families<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Unexpected feedback when first published.</li><li>Interest for RMC and Mental Health Subcommittee (MHSC) to take back document.</li></ul></li></ul>	Action items- Discuss with NWCG EB about Preparedness document. Remove from RMC website for now.  Look over updated RMC roster.
<b>NWCG Updates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Finishing Week of Remembrance product.</li><li>IBC completed guidance on NERV rentals, AD travel, and incident finance file mgt.</li><li>Air Tanker Base Operations published.</li><li>PMS 425 Fire Weather Forecasts Guide published.</li><li>FI 210 updated.</li></ul>	Action item- NWCG EB would like briefing by RMC on 6MFS move to LLC.
<b>National Training and Development Program (NTDP) and National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Update:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fitness and Work Capacity Document:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Update content and delivery.</li><li>Modernize, The Black would be a good starting point. Will be working with NWCG and IT.</li></ul></li><li>NIOSH Wildland Firefighter Exposure and Health Effects Study:</li></ul>	Action items- Joe Domitrovich will research web options for presenting fitness and health info.  Kat Navarro will send NIOSH briefing paper to RMC and share summary on smoke regulations.



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Acute exposures and health effects. Pulmonary function and inflammation. Noise induced hearing loss.</li><li>○ Currently in data analysis and write up phase. Group of pilot projects.</li><li>● OSHA Smoke Regulations:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ California state regulations say Firefighters are exempt.</li><li>○ Must take hazards training.</li><li>○ These regulations differ greatly from OSHA regulations.</li><li>○ When air quality index (AQI) is above 500 N95 masks must be provided and are required. Need to clarify who this applies to.</li><li>○ Reach out to Equipment Technology Committee (ETC) and Smoke Committee about N95 masks.</li></ul></li></ul>	<p>Fransted will ask Dave Haston and Pete Long about N95 masks and assess RMC's need to engage on this topic.</p>