

Wildland Urban Interface Mitigation Committee

Minutes – December 7, 2022

Time: 1200 MT 12/7/2022

Roll Call

Jolene Ackerman, Erin O'Connor, Sheryl Page, Ashley Whitworth, Faith Berry

Approve November Meeting Minutes

Will approve at the February meeting

Discussion/Follow-up Items

Dan will take over meeting notes in February

Resilience only one we had feedback on all other edits approved.

For resilience: We proposed changing to resilience from resiliency. Some feedback received that the definition is firmer and not uses words like may or tends to. Sheryl says take out may and tends to. It can also be other things, maybe push back on wishy washy. Erin and Faith put together and then share with group.

Mitigation actions we made some suggested changes to the post fire considerations. What is the reason for widening?

Risk assessment last glossary term where there was some comments, we have a couple of options.

We suggested combining qualitative and quantitative risk assessment into one definition. Are we going to put two terms together, then IAPC wants to take stewardship of the term? Reference a GTR re risk assessment, can we make a mitigation centric term. Let's look at risk management definition do they link. IAPC looks at risk management more for work safety we are looking at how wildfire can impact the homeowner. We don't talk about operational risk they talk more about overriding risk, this glossary term can be fine-tuned. Maybe invite someone to talk to group. Definition went through just determine stewardship.

• Glossary Terms – update/feedback

Wildland Urban Interface Mitigation Standard

- Maintenance and update schedule
- Clean draft sent via email Nov. 3 All liked the language no edit recommendations suggested.
- Erin will put in template in drive and attach the word document to get today.

Wildfire Mitigation Field Guide (Sheryl)

• Report-out and update will get to Sheryl at end of today and next share with Faith and Jolene for the voice and Annie. Check voice of the document. Make some notes like visual que good here then images can be added. We want to discuss text not too small and not too large so there are too many pages.

Field Guide Google Folder

WUIMC SOPs

Have committee SOP's, but many new folks don't know what is going on in the committee.

Put together one pager for the website about the history of committee.

Want to put together a group to update these. Way to hold people accountable.

Does NWCG have standard language we have to use? Yes, and committee has its own as well. The current WUI committee SOP is just for this committee.

Report-outs/Round Robin (All)

Meeting adjourned 1:10 MT

Next meeting: February 1, 2023, via Teams Video Conference