

# 2023 Alaska Interagency Fall Fire Review Agenda (10.17 update)

October 24-26, 2023

Dena'ina Center - Ballroom E (600 W. Seventh Avenue · Anchorage, AK 99501)

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<b>Tuesday, Oct 24</b>		
Moderator: Norm McDonald	Bin Items: L. Weddle	Virtual coordinator: Zav Grabinski
0830 – 0900	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b> (30 mins)	Norm McDonald
0900 - 0930	<b>2023 National Perspectives</b> (30 mins)	NMAC – Shane McDonald USFS – Alex Robertson BLM – Rob Berger NPS – Chris Wilcox
0930 - 0950	<b>2023 Fire Season Numbers</b> (20 mins)	AICC
0950 – 1015	Break (20 min)	
1015 – 1045	<b>2023 Alaska Protection Agency Updates</b> (~10 mins each / 30 min total)	BLM / AFS – Jake Dollard DOF – Norm McDonald USFS -Tyler Andersen
1045 - 1145	<b>2023 Alaska Regional/Jurisdictional Updates</b> (5-10 mins each / 1 hour total)	BLM -Jake Dollard BIA – Chris Friar DOF -Norm McDonald USFS -Tyler Anderson NPS – Chuck Russell USFWS -Bob Narus
1200 – 1315	Lunch (1 hr. 15 min)	
1315 – 1345	<b>AWFCG Member Updates</b> (5-10 mins each / 30 mins total)	ADF&G - Doug Beattie DEC – Frank Morgan TCC – Clinton Northway Chugachmiut - Paige Peterson AVCP, Anchorage FD
1345 – 1415	<b>Incident Commander Reports / CIM</b> (30 min)	McDonald, Sanford, Butteri
1415 – 1440	Break	
1445 – 1500	<b>Employee Health and Wellness</b>	
1500 – 1615	<b>2023 Fire Season Sectional Focus -</b> Season Highlights / Successes / Challenges, action items for 2024.	<b>Operations</b> (30 min) J Livingston, E Sanford, T Anderson <b>Safety</b> (15 min) Tom Greiling, AFS <b>Aviation</b> (15 min), Rob Hoecher, Tom Kubichek <b>Information</b> (15 min) Coyle, B. Ipsen
1615 – 1630	Bin Items (10 min)	McDonald / All

<b>Wednesday, Oct 25</b>		
Moderator: Clinton Northway	Bin Items: DOF	Virtual coordinator: USFS
0830 – 0840	<b>Welcome / Housekeeping</b> (10 min)	Clinton Northway
0840 - 0850	<b>AICC Update</b> (10 min)	Ray Crowe
0850 – 0940	<b>AAR Canada</b> (50 min.) – Lessons Learned	B Petersen, Hilary Shook, H Plass
0940 – 1000	Break (20 min)	
1000 – 1020	<b>Predictive Services</b> (20 Min)	Heidi Strader
1025 – 1045	<b>AFSC Fire Weather Research</b> (20 Min)	Cecelia Borries-Strigle
1050 – 1100	<b>NWS / IMETs</b> (10 Min)	Ben Bartos (NOAA)
1100 – 1120	Break (20 min)	
1120 – 1140	<b>Governor’s Carbon Initiative</b> (20 min)	Rena Miller
1145 – 1215	<b>Exploring carbon and fire management options in a changing fire environment</b>	Jimmy Fox / Jake Dollard / Alison York / Lisa Saperstein
1215 – 1330	Lunch (1hr 15min)	
1330 – 1430	<b>AFSC News and Updates</b> (1 hour) AFSC updates (Alison York) SAFRR project updates (Jen Schmidt and Nick Link) Prevention and Mitigation projects in Yukon (Jennifer Sharp and Zoe Westerby)	Alison York
1430 - 1500	Break (30 min)	
1500 – 1600	<b>AWFCG Committee Report-Outs</b> (5-10 min each / 1 hour total)  <i>What they do, who they are, and what is being worked on?</i>	Air Quality and Smoke Management – Morgan Frank AK Incident Business – Susan Vincent/Sarah Burnett Data Management – Mike Butteri Dispatch – Katie Kelley Invasive Species – Lisa Saperstein Fire Danger (FDOP) – Hilary Shook / L. Weddle

<b>Thursday, Oct 26</b>		
Moderator: Bob Narus	Bin Items: P Butteri	Virtual coordinator: NPS
0830 – 0840	<b>Welcome / Housekeeping (10 min)</b>	Bob Narus
0840 - 0920	<b>AWFCG Committee Report-Outs (Cont.)</b> (5-10 min each / ~40 min total)	Fire Modeling and Analysis – Brian Sorbel Fire Research Development Apps – J. Barnes Fire Training and Qualifications – A Skraba Fire Weather – Heidi Strader Fuels Management - Paige Peterson Operations – Ben Pratt (r) Safety and Health - Education and Prevention - Beth Ipsen
0930 – 1000	<b>Non-Standard Responses (30 min)</b>	Peter Butteri (Agency Administrators, Regional and Area/Zone FMOS)
1000 - 1020	<b>Break (20 min)</b>	
1020 – 1040	<b>Agency Administrator / ISAP (20 min)</b>	Peter Butteri / Kevin Meany
1040 – 1120	<b>Fuels / Rx Challenges and Successes (40 min)</b>	D. Finley, C Boespflug, I. Hull
1120 – 1140	<b>Bin Items / Closing Remarks (20 min)</b>	Norm McDonald
1200 – 1330	<b>Lunch (1 hr 30 min)</b>	
1330 – 1430	<b>AWFCG AAR (1 hr)</b>	AWFCG Members / Alternates