

NWTZ Meeting notes October 30, 2009

The meeting was attended by James Holroyd (SUF / Chair), Jeff Nepstad (CTGR), Buddy Boggess (CRGNSA), Heather Glenn (ODF-NWOA), Shawn Parrish (NAFT/PCC), Sheila Barry (WIF/EUD), Nancy Ashlock (SAD/SUF), Roberta Runge (SAD), Karin Maguson (LBCC), on phone – Karen Hale (MHF) and Dianna VanCurler (PNT).

Discussed Conference calls versus meetings – Nancy brought up that the fall meeting needed to be a meeting to get the ball rolling.

Conference calls would work for the remainder of the year. This was agreed by the folks present at this meeting.

Went over the community collage MOU list No big changes or concerns.

Started looking at classes:

S260/261 – MHF putting on in early June – Vancouver

Siuslaw will look at having one earlier in the year.

L-280 – Siuslaw will put on with Willamette

Sheila had brought a list of Willamette classes so she went over them at this time

D-110 Dispatch Recorder – March 22-26, 2010 @ Willamette SO (Teri Youmans 541-225-6400)

S-234 Ignition Operations – April 27-28,2010@ Middle Fork RD (Jose Mercado 541-782-5259)

S-215 Fire Operations in Urban Interface – May 10-13,2010 @ McKenzie River Rd (Nick Beddow 541-822-7249)

S-212 Wildfire Power Saws - June @ Middle Fork RD (Opal Depue 541-782-5254)

S-211 Portable Pumps and Water Use – June @ McKenzie River RD (Daniel Preston 541-822-7273)

L-280 Follower to Leadership – June @ Middle Fork RD (Sequoia Gjerde 541-782-5259)

S-270 / S-271 / A-219 Refresher – Sheila brought up the concern that S-271 and A-219 refreshers did not match for meeting the needs in IQCS. Not all the training has even been worked out on what is needed in the refresher. She will write up a letter that we can pass on the concern.

S-131 – should be put on at Guard School and suggested for LBCC

S-200 – Siuslaw (Dave Andersen)

L-280 – Willamette & Siuslaw (Aaron Schneider)

S-211 – Willamette

S-215 – Willamette

S-234 – Willamette

S-260&S-261 – Siuslaw for one / Mt. Hood for another

S-270 – Siuslaw & Willamette (with S271/A219)? Also PCC April and May 2 classes if interest

I-200 – No longer will IS-200a work for this one

I-300 & I-400 May be possible to get this one put on through State by FEMA? Need to check on this possibility.

D-110 – Willamette & CCCC will be putting one on April 19-23 (ROSS/D-110)

ROSS – at this time no one was planning a ROSS class in this zone

S-216 – no longer a class

S-230 & S-231 – ODF – May – Heather will work on – could use help from feds with instructors

Area Engine Academy will be put on by the Mt. Hood

Diana's comments from the region

1. If someone is not completely qualified for a class, make sure that you include GOOD documentation on why their name is being submitted. This comes from stronger direction provided by NWCG.
2. If someone does not meet prerequisites and cannot keep up, they will be sent home and charged tuition for the class
3. Still looking for topics for the Training Officers Meeting.
4. New acronym for TWT, it is now the OWDC

Shawn brought up that there is a big push to get the NWCG certification for S-212 to the structural folks do to some new rulings coming down – this should be brought up at the meeting in Nov.

Will need to have the 2011 Needs Analysis in to Jim Holroyd by Feb 12, 2010

Next conference call will be Feb. 17, 2010 @ 1000

Need to have web updates to Roberta by Nov. 9, 2009