

APRIL 2023 MEETING MINUTES

FIRESCOPE UAS SUBCOMITTE

1. Attendance

- a. In Person
 - 1. Matt Menard, Chris Wilson, Jeff Ring, Frank Granados, Ted Kalnas, Chris Landry, Sky Bonillo,
- b. Zoom
- 1. Craig Little
- c. Intros
 - i. Chief Intro
 - ii. Chief Brian Martin will review and update smartsheets
 - 1. Direction to get document sent directly to Chief Martin
- d. Update Webpage
 - i. Bios
 - ii. New Members
 - iii. Rosters, Meeting minutes, meeting flyers
 - iv. Agency Support Letter. Annual Requirement

2. Legislative Bill

- a. AB 955
 - i. Impact that it will create to remove all DJI Drones
- b. AB740
 - i. By Jan 1, 2025 remove all national security drones banned
- c. Prohibit use of unmanned aircraft or unmanned aircraft systems that are manufactured by an entity included on the Entity List as designated by the United States Secretary of Commerce.
- d. ALTA X with Proper Ariel Ignition can be Blue Listed
 - i. Blue List 1.0 and 2.0
 - 1. Skydio's X2-D
 - 2. Parrot's Anafi USA

- 3. Altavian's M440 Ion
- 4. Teal Drones' Golden Eagle
- 5. Vantage Robotics' Vesper
- 6. X2D (new configuration), by Skydio
- 7. Edge 130, by Flightwave
- 8. H6 HE, H6 Hydrone and H6, by Harris Aerial
- 9. Osprey Hexacopter, by Easy Aerial
- 10. IF750 and IF1200, by Inspired Flight
- 11. Intense Eye V2, by BlueHalo
- 12. WingtraOne, by Wingtra
- 13. Spirit, by Ascent AeroSystems
- 14. eBee Tac, by senseFly, an AgEagle company
- 15. AltaX, by Freefly Systems
- e. Do we have to let agencies know the direction of AB 740

LUNCH BREAK

- 1) Discussing
 - a) NWCG S-373 Course: All Risk
 - i) The importance of have integrated 373 so training and standard will be equal across the board
 - ii) Plan to integrate local government. Each year we get more people signed off.
 - b) IAT A-450 Course:
 - c) Part 107 requirements
 - d) Fire Traffic Area (FTA)
 - i) Coordinating the space so we can operate safely.
 - e) Qualifications to go out on incident (Cal Fire or Fed Incident)
 - i) Next year the potential to shut down non-qualified personnel and non-blue listed drones
- 2) Chief Vail Discussion
 - a) Long Term Plan to continue the training curriculum.
 - i) 373 and 450
 - b) Recommendation to code or request UAS as Tech Specs on OES Response