

TASK FORCE MEETING
January 14 and 15, 1981
CDF Fire Academy
Ione, CA

Attendance:

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| M. Barrows, USFS | D. Perry, VNC |
| M. Scherr, OES | H. McElwee, SBC |
| R. Creel, LAC | S. Brown, CDF Fire Academy |
| C. Creasey, LDF | J. McFadden, CDF Fire Academy |
| A. Masoner, USFS PO | T. Haney, TEMJAM |
| J. Monesmith, USFS PO | L. Lathrop, CDF Fire Academy |
| R. Hall, USFS RO Training | B. Griffin, CDF Training Specialist |

1. Mike Renslow gave a short update on the FIREScope mapping project. On schedule and going good. Some of the more significant accomplishments are:
 - o Santa Barbara County's response booklet will be out in March for use this fire season.
 - o Ventura County's response booklet will be out in February and the county will take care of the maintenance.
 - o The 1:24000 Ortho-Photo maps will be out to all agencies within the FIREScope region by fire season.
 - o Prototype response booklet for OES Area C, Region 1 in Los Angeles County will be out by fire season.

2. Steve Brown explained what Larry Lathrop is doing in regards to a course (lesson plan) to cover material in the OSD. Steve said there is a need for this type of course between General Familiarization and unit training. This course will cover what every individual needs to know to function in the ICS. This will also eliminate having to cover this type of material in unit training. The course should be completed in the next couple of months so we will be able to use it before the upcoming fire season.

3. Steve Brown conducted a tour of the CDF Fire Academy facilities for the people who had not been there before. Task Force members met the Logistics work group that was there for the week and got an update of their progress. Steve also gave an update on the planning group progress. Agency participation in the work groups has been good and Arnie was asked to write the agencies and let them know, by name, how important their man is to the success of the program

Meeting schedule for the Planning and Logistics work groups was handed out (attached).

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4. Steve Brown discussed what they (work groups, academy personnel and USFS training officer) are doing with the ICS qualification standards. There is a definite need for this to be done and approved before the ICS courses are completed, especially what training courses are required before an individual is qualified to fill a ICS position. This should be ready for Task Force review and recommendation for approval in February.
5. Terry reported the new Form 209 and instructions are done. He will hand them out at the next meeting. (attached)
6. The group discussed what is needed and what we can do on multi-agency training, and who would be responsible to get it done before fire season. The Task Force feels there is a definite need in some functions for multi-agency training this spring. The training people still believe we should, to some degree, wait until the ICS courses (how to do) are complete and use them and not the transfer lesson plans. Major ICS and MACS problems of the 1980 fire season were discussed that had been identified by the Task Force.

The group tentatively agreed to the following type of training needs:

1. Incident Commanders Training
2. Agency Administrators ICS Seminar
3. Planning/RESTAT Unit Training
4. Communication Unit Training
5. MACS Training, both Dispatcher and Agency Type Training
6. Computer Training

The Task Force will, at their January 21 & 22 meeting, finalize a recommended action to go to the Operations Team.

7. The group discussed the selection criteria for technical content groups and agreed with the one the Logistics work group put together (attached). Also, there is a need to know how much time will be needed for each group. Steve Brown will give Marty an estimate on time before the Operations Team of January 26 & 27, 1981.
8. The group discussed what the tasks would be if an S&R Section work group was formed to develop courses for line (S&R Branch, Division, S/T Leader) and air positions in the S&R Section. It was agreed that you could develop some courses for positions in S&R like we did for Logistics and Planning, but for the most part we would need direct from the agencies on what they want. Terry Haney said he would prepare a problem statement on this for the Task Force to review at their next meeting.

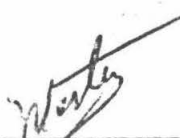
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Meetings

Task Force	Jan. 21 & 22, Ventura Co. Fire Dept. Headquarters Jan. 28 & 29, Los Angeles Co. Fire Dept. Camp 2
Operation Team	Jan. 26 & 27, CDF Riverside R-VI
Mapping Group	Jan. 27, Los Angeles Co. Fire Dept., Camp 2
Training Group	Jan. 29, Los Angeles Co. Fire Dept., Training Center

Special Meeting

Task Force, Pro- February 25 & 26, USFS Riverside Fire Lab
gram Office,
Service & Support
Manager & Special
Group & Work
Group Chairman



Submitted by
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