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To: Geographic Area Coordinating Group Chairs,
Geographic Area Coordination Center Managers

From: National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group

Subject: Use of the Incident Command Application Program

During the development of the new version of the Incident Command Application Program (ICAP) some issues have been identified that warrant further analysis and correction prior to full implementation. At this time, the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group (NMAC) is not asking for use of ICAP for 2023 Incident Management Team (IMT), including Complex Incident Management Team (CIMT), nominations and selections.

Moving forward, the plan is for the developers to work with a group of Geographic Area (GA) representatives to correct the issues identified and move into a testing phase in early 2023. This should allow for a smooth transition into required use of ICAP for the 2024 recruitment season.

Please work with the representative from your GA if you have any questions.

Background: In 2018, the Fire Management Board (FMB), National Multi-Agency Coordination Group (NMAC), and National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG) jointly chartered the Incident Workforce Development Group (IWDG). One of the primary objectives of IWDG is to develop incident workforce data into useful decision support information. IWDG took part in the redevelopment of ICAP to ensure that it would capture meaningful and useful data, particularly as it pertains to the implementation of Complex Incident Management.

/s/ Ken Schmid, Chair, NMAC

