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To: Geographic Area Coordinating Group Chairs
From: National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group
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Rowdy Muir and Joe Stutler have been selected as an Area Commanders for the National Area Command Teams. Tim Sexton continues as an Area Commander. And we thank Dugger Hughes and Bill VanBruggen for their leadership as an Area Commanders.

All nominations submitted this year were for highly qualified, well respected individuals. We believe the selected individuals will provide strong leadership in the most complex situations. We thank all those for submitting a nomination, as it provided us a strong candidate pool from which to choose.

We encourage all qualified to continue to participate in Area Command assignments. Your service is important to the growth and future of the program.

Area Commanders will select and finalize their individual teams. This should be accomplished within the next several weeks.

Please contact Susie Stingley-Russell, the National MAC Group Coordinator, at 208-387-5662 or [sstingley@fs.fed.us](mailto:ssingley@fs.fed.us) with any questions.

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