

National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group

3833 South Development Avenue; Boise, ID 83705

NMAC NOTES

October 9, 2025

1000-1130

Topic	Presenter(s)	Purpose
CIMT Draft AAR Agenda	NMAC Representatives	Discussion
PL Discussion	NMAC Representatives	Discussion
Standardization of GA Procedures	NMAC Representatives	Discussion
Winter Work	NMAC Representatives	Discussion

Attendees:

☐ Chair: Shane McDonald	☐ Co-Chair: Chuck Russell	☐ MAC Coordinator:
☒ FWS/AK/SA: Kevin Conn	☒ USFS/EA/SW: Russ Long	☐ USFA/FEMA/NR: Aitor Bidaburu
☒ BLM/GB: Brian Achziger	☒ NASF/RM: Greg Smith	☒ NPS/CA: Jesse Bender
☒ BIA/NW: Josh Simmons	☒ NICC: Sean Peterson	☐ Weather: Jim Wallmann
☒ OWF: Steve Shaw	☐ Fuels: Steve Larrabee	☐ Intel: Megan Kephart
☒ Note-taker: Nicki Johnston		

Additional Attendees: Shane Santos, Maegan Maughan, Kat Sorenson, Morgan Alexander

NEXT MEETING:

Working Meeting: Tuesday, 14 October 2025, 1000-1100

Check-In: Friday, 17 October 2025, 1000-1100



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Admin Topics

CIMT Draft AAR Agenda

Welcome – Greg Smith and Fire Directors

Update to “Systemic Challenges to CIMT Participation and Response”.

Chuck and Shane will determine social activity. Recommend The Warehouse.

Recommend recapping topics from last year’s AAR.

Review agenda, challenges and successes to discuss and finalize.

Collect any outlying feedback.

Revisit October 14 from 1000-1100.

The validity of the IWDG Story Board 5 objectives should be considered with the current Fire Director’s direction.

Reaffirm the support of CIM and principles/objectives from the Fire Directors.

Clarification of objective specifics and actionable items may be required.

Jesse will compile a document surrounding the objectives for review.

PL Discussion

All GAs are currently utilizing their own algorithm to assign PL despite having some overlapping criteria.

All GAs should have the same criteria for comparing GA PL and subsequently deciding national PL.

Potential for new Intelligence group to work on this in January 2026.

Revisit.

Standardization of GA Procedures

Revisit.

Winter Work

Identify key winter work topics and priorities.

CIMT program improvement.

NMAC AAR scheduled for October 31.

