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**MEMORANDUM**

Reference: Memo # 1-15

From: Chair, Information Technology Advisory Board

To: Fire Directors, NMAC Chair, NICC Center Manager,

Date: January 6, 2015

Subject: NIFC FTP Site Update

The NIFC FTP Site (<http://ftpinfo.nifc.gov/index.htm>) will continue to be available for storing official wildland fire incident documents and data in 2015 subject to the directions and procedures specified at <http://ftpinfo.nifc.gov/help.html>. Note that some types of data, including Personally Identifiable Information (PII), are prohibited. This site is managed by the US Forest Service, and security issues from last year have been addressed.

In the longer term, there is a need to find a better and more secure means for sharing incident data. Initial work on a replacement is underway, and specific interagency incident data business requirements will be identified in the upcoming Wildland Fire Information Technology (WFIT) Line of Business Review, and will be used to improve tools to share incident data in the future.

Please contact Darrin Crisp (208-387-5166) for additional information regarding the NIFC FTP site.

cc: WFIT Program Board

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