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INCIDENT ACTION PLAN

SMITH RIVER COMPLEX

CA-SRF-000968

P5EK11



OPERATIONAL PERIOD

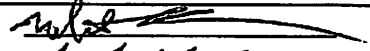

8/19/2023 0700

to

8/20/2023 0700




INCIDENT OBJECTIVES (ICS 202)

1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX		2. Operational Period:	Date From: 8/19/2023	Date To: 8/20/2023
			Time From: 0700	Time To: 0700
3. Objective(s):				
<u>Strategic Direction</u> The Smith River Complex is being managed with a full suppression strategy. Personnel on the incident will implement risk-based decision making in all considerations. Firefighting operations will implement tactics that offer the highest probability of success to achieve the strategy of suppressing the fire, preventing unnecessary suppression related damage, and protecting values at risk. Values include the safety of the public and firefighters; privately and tribally held timberlands; the communities and outlying areas near Gasquet, Pioneer, Lower Jones Creek, Washington Flat, Siskiyou Fork, French Hill, Coon Creek, Rock Creek, and Crescent City, as well as water resources, transportation routes, electrical infrastructure, and natural and cultural resources.				
<u>Leader's Intent</u> All resources assigned to the incident will work together as a team to provide a high level of service, safety, and protection. All resources will ensure transparent, timely, and accurate communication at all levels of the incident while working to strengthen relationships with each other and with cooperators. All incident personnel should be prepared to take appropriate actions regarding safety, including the identification and mitigation of hazards to yourself and others through timely and thoughtful risk-based decision making. Personnel will manage fatigue by maintaining work/rest cycles. CALIMT 15 expects professional behavior, conduct, and effective communication from all assigned personnel.				
<u>Management Objectives</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Provide for firefighter and public safety through hazard recognition and application of the risk management process.- Coordinate public information to provide timely and continuous situation updates to affected agency partners, cooperators, and public.- Coordinate suppression and repair activities with READs to minimize impacts on natural and cultural resources.- Effectively manage and track costs for all incidents identified within the Smith River Complex.- Close coordination with Region VI fire leadership to ensure effective and efficient management of firefighting resources.				
<u>Control Objectives</u> Implement a suppression strategy that keeps the fires: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- East of the Six Rivers National Forest boundary- West of the Six Rivers and Klamath National Forest boundary- North of the 15N01 Forest Road- South of the Rouge Siskiyou National Forest boundary				
5. Site Safety Plan Required?		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Approved Site Safety Plan(s) Located at:				
6. Incident Action Plan				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 203	<input type="checkbox"/> ICS 215A	<input type="checkbox"/> ICS 205 A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> READ Message	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 204	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 220	<input type="checkbox"/> Training Message	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 214	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 205	<input type="checkbox"/> Facility Maps	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travel Map	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 206	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Weather Forecast	<input type="checkbox"/> Demob Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 208	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire Behavior	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finance Message	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Prepared By: Robert Kovach	Position/Title: PSC	Signature: 		
8. Approved by Incident Commander:	Tom Clemo/Jon Lucas	Signature: 		
ICS 202				

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ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 203)

1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX		2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/19/2023		Date To: 8/20/2023	
		Time From: 0700		Time To: 0700	
3. Incident Commander(s) and Command Staff:			7. Operation Section:		
IC/UC's	Tom Clemo / Stephen Fillmore(t)	Day Operations	Scott Grasmick / Nick Cleary(t)		
Deputy	Jon Lucas	Strategic Operations	Travis Ederer		
Safety Officer	R. Bertram / P. Cockrum / S. Davis(t)	Planning Operations	Tom Himmelrich / Mike Milkovich		
Information Officer	T. Stokesberry / T. Engberg / L. Walker				
Liaison Officer	R. Cablayan / J. Jones / B. Neumann / A. Widling	Branch	V	Shaun Craig / Erick D'Amico(t)	
		Division/Group	B	Rick Dykhouse / Scott Roeber(t)	
4. Agency/Organization Representatives:		Division/Group	H	Rick Dykhouse / Scott Roeber(t)	
Agency/Organization	Name	Division/Group	K	Rick Dykhouse / Scott Roeber(t)	
SRF Forest Supervisor	Ted McArthur	Division/Group		JERE CLASSAY	
Rogue/Siskiyou AREPs	D. Quinones / J. Winn / A. Watson	Division/Group			
SRF Agency Admin	K. Allen / A. Skowlund	Branch	XX	Joe Tieso	
CAL OES (ESC)	Beck Blair	Division/Group	MM	Ron Oatman	
CAL OES FIRE	Van ARROYO	Division/Group	PP	Corey Stowe	
CAL Fire	Garrett Dean	Division/Group	SS	Unstaffed COREY STOWE	
CHP	Lt. Pete Roach	Division/Group	VV	Jere Classay COREY STOWE	
Del Norte CO. OEM	Deborah Ottenberg	Division/Group			
Crescent City Manager	Eric Wier	Branch			
SRF Sheriff Office	Jennifer Wooley	Division/Group			
Del Norte Sheriff LELO	Jon Maxwell	Division/Group			
Crescent City Police Chief	Richard Griffin	Division/Group			
Crescent City Fire Chief	Kevin Carey	Division/Group			
NPS LEO	Daniel Owens	Branch			
Tolowa Tribe	Amanda O'Connell	Division/Group			
Red Cross	Mary Dormind	Division/Group			
5. Planning Section:		Division/Group			
Chief	John Germanetti	Division/Group			
Deputy	Robert Kovach	Division/Group			
Resource Unit	A. Hudley / J. Roberts / A. Nahas(t)	Branch			
Situation Unit	M. Held / J. Hunter / Z. Jackson(t)	Division/Group			
Documentation Unit		Division/Group			
Demobilization Unit		Division/Group			
GISS	Emily Dolhanski / Dianna Beasley	Division/Group			
FBAN	Nic Elmquist / Jennifer Anderson(t)	Division/Group			
IMET	James White	Air Operations Branch	Director:	John Crotty	
Training Specialist		Air Support Group Supervisor	Al Driesbach		
Check-In Recorder	David Charron(t)	Air Tactical Group Supervisor			
6. Logistics Section		Helibase Manager			
Chief	Bob Feldtz / Mike Farmer(t)				
Supply Unit		8. Finance/Administration Section			
Facilities Unit	Cassie Buckley(t)	Chief	Lisa Dow		
Ground Support Unit	Kevin Palm	Time Unit	Amanda Folendorf		
Communications Unit	Glendon Chan / Chris Oliver(t)	Personnel Time	Ryan Bridgen / Terese Toomey(t)		
Medical Unit	Josh Fudge	Comp/Claims Unit	Tina Weaver		
ITSS	Marty Cohn	Cost Unit	Sandra Tarvin		
Prepared By: Name:	Robert Kovach	Position/Title:	PSC	Signature:	
ICS 203		Date/Time:	8/18/2023 2300 hours		



Fire Weather Forecast



FORECAST NO: 2
PREDICTION FOR: Saturday-Sunday
DATE: August 19th, 2023
FORECAST ISSUED: 1800 August 18th, 2023

FIRE: Smith River Complex
UNIT: CA-SRF-968
IMET: James White (240-778-5316)
SIGNED: *James White*

WEATHER DISCUSSION: * Valley elevations = 400ft (Gasquet), Ridgetop elevations = 3500 ft (Cold Springs) *
 Poor RH recoveries overnight above 2500 ft will kick off an extended burn period today. Otherwise, conditions will be very similar to yesterday with heavy smoke settling over the fire. Smoke will help keep temperatures cooler in the 70s with RH dropping into the 30s. Winds will remain gentle and terrain driven except on higher ridgetops where westerly gusts near 20 mph are possible. Compared to yesterday, lower mixing heights will likely contribute to slower smoke clearing. A chance of thunderstorms will remain possible, though the vast majority of activity will remain to the south and east.

TODAY:

WEATHER: Scattered clouds. Heavy smoke in valleys near and east of the fires. Very slight (10%) chance of thunderstorms

MAX TEMP:	Valleys: 72-77°F (Little Change)	MIN RH:	Valleys: 45-50% (10-15% ↓)
	Ridgetops: 75-80°F (1-3°F ↑)		Ridgetops: 30-35% (5-10% ↓)
CHC WTG RAIN: 0%	LAL: 2	SFC VIS: 1-2 miles in smoke east of fire, higher west	

WINDS: **Valleys:** Morning downslope 1-3 mph, afternoon upslope 2-5 mph.
(20 feet) **Ridgetops:** Morning northeast 4-8 mph, afternoon west 6-10 mph gusts to 18 mph.

MIXING HEIGHT: Rising to 4,000 ft by 1400. **TRANSPORT WIND:** West 8-12 mph.

TONIGHT:

WEATHER: Clear. Very strong thermal belt 2500 to 4000 ft.

MIN TEMP:	Valleys: 60-64° (1-3°F ↑)	MAX RH:	Valleys: 85-90% (Little Change)
	Ridgetops: 60-70° (Little Change)		Ridgetops: 40-50% (Little Change)
CHC WTG RAIN: 0%	LAL: 1	SFC VIS: 1-2 miles all around	

WINDS: **Valleys:** Downslope 2-4 mph.
(20 FEET) **Ridgetops:** Northeast 4 to 8 mph. Infrequent gusts to 14 mph.

MIXING HEIGHT: Dropping to 1,500 ft by 2200. **TRANSPORT WIND:** Northeast 4-8 mph.

SUNDAY:

WEATHER: Scattered clouds. Heavy smoke in valleys near and east of the fires. Slight chance (20%) of isolated thunderstorms. Any thunder will bring dangerous lightning and erratic outflow winds to 40 mph.

MAX TEMP:	Valleys: 70-75°F (1-3°F ↓)	MIN RH:	Valleys: 50-55% (4-8% ↑)
	Ridgetops: 73-78°F (1-3°F ↓)		Ridgetops: 35-38% (2-4% ↑)
CHC WTG RAIN: 0%	LAL: 2	SFC VIS: 1-2 miles in smoke east of fire, higher west	

WINDS: **Valleys:** Morning downslope 2-4 mph afternoon upslope 2-5 mph.
(20 feet) **Ridgetops:** Morning northeast 2-5 mph, afternoon west 8-12 mph gusts to 20 mph.

MIXING HEIGHT: Rising to 7,000 ft by 1100. **TRANSPORT WIND:** West 5-9 mph.

EXTENDED OUTLOOK: Hurricane Hilary moving into central California early next week continues to add very high uncertainty to the forecast. Overall, the system looks to bring a gradual cooling and moistening trend to the area through early next week. There remains a 20% of very light wetting rain around next Tuesday.


→ Nearby Weather Observations



FIRE BEHAVIOR FORECAST		
Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX	Operational Period: Date From: 8/19/23 Date To: 8/20/23 Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700	
Forecast Number: 02	Type of Fire: Wildfire	Unit: Six Rivers National Forest - Gasquet District
INPUTS		
WEATHER SUMMARY: ***See Fire Weather Forecast***		
FUELS SUMMARY: Due to the below normal amount of precipitation, live fuel moisture levels did not recover this spring, making the shrubs readily available for consumption. There are abundant snag patches within the fire scars; Biscuit (2002) Coon (2015), and Eclipse Complex (2017). The 1000-hour fuels are ranging from 9-13%, below critical levels. Given the dryness of the dead ground fuels, there is abundant fuel to continue growth of all uncontained fires within the complex.		
OUTPUTS		
FIRE BEHAVIOR		
GENERAL: Overall, expected fire behavior will moderate due to lower temperatures, increased RH, and heavy smoke. Fire behavior in higher elevations (> 3500') will be more active due to drier fuels, poorer RH recovery, and breezier conditions. Fire behavior below 3500' will be lower but should increase in the afternoon as the inversion lifts. In areas of dead and down ground fuels, expect intense radiant heat and isolated tree torching. Short-range spotting will occur with roll-out on the steep slopes. <div style="text-align: center;"> Fire Danger Indices – 2022 IRPG Page 39 Energy Release Component (ERC): 90th August Average ERC Percentile: 85th 2002 Biscuit Fire Large growth days ERC Percentile: 90th & 97th Peak Burn Period - Probability of Ignition (PIG): 40% (shaded), 60% (unshaded) </div>		
SPECIFIC: Branch V: The Holiday fire continues to burn northwards within the Biscuit footprint (2002) and to the east into heavy timber towards Shelly Creek. Expect increased fire behavior as it moves upslope. Diamond and Corral are completely burning within the Biscuit footprint with pockets of interior heat. Expect fire behavior to increase in areas exposed to the afternoon westerly winds. The Kelly fire (north of Hwy 199) appears to be well established in the Monkey Creek drainage as it made a strong northerly push yesterday afternoon. This portion of the fire will back down east of Monkey Ridge, likely impacting Hwy 199 in the area north of Idlewild. Branch XX: On the Kelly fire (south of Hwy 199), expect moderated fire behavior from the main body of the fire as it moves downslope towards Kelly Creek and increased fire behavior on the spots to the west as they move upslope. The Coon fire continues to burn through heavy timber and into the Coon footprint (2015) consisting of patchy fuels. Expect fire behavior to be more wind driven in the open areas. The Hurdy Gurdy could experience some upslope runs east of the NF16N02. The Prescott & Island are burning partially in the Eclipse footprint (2017) which will moderate fire behavior.		
AIR OPERATIONS: Sunrise 0559, Last Light 2040 (Daylength: losing 2 min, 31 sec each day)		
Smoky conditions will continue throughout the day, with clearing occurring around 1400 on the western side of the complex due to the increase in westerly flow.		
SAFETY:		
Given the dynamic conditions, know where you are relative to all the fires within the complex. Maintain situational awareness (fuel, weather, and topography) for changing conditions, especially as you move locations.		
Prepared by Fire Behavior Analyst: Nic Elmquist/Jenn Anderson (t)		Signature: <i>Nic Elmquist/Jenn Anderson</i>
		Date/Time: 8/18/23 at 1800

ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 204 WF)

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1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX		2. Operational Period: Date From: 08/19/23 Date To: 08/20/23 Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700				3. Branch V		Division K	
4. Operations Personnel: Operations Section Chief: Scott Grasmick / Nick Cleary(t) Branch Director: Shaun Craig / Erick D'Amico(t) Division/Group Supervisor: JERE CVASSAY Rick Dykhouse / Scott Roeber(t)		Night Ops: Tom Himmelrich / Mike Milkovich Branch Safety: Air Attack:				Page 1 of 1		Kilo	
5. Resources Assigned:		** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	ALS	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location		
HC2 NORTH PACIFIC FORESTRY C-2		8/30	ANDREW KENT	12	C-2	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
TASK FORCE 1		9/1				0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
HC2 PVT PACIFIC OASIS C91		8/23	JAMES SPAIGGS			0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
ENG4 E408		8/29	MIKE MISEK			0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
ENG6 E403		8/26	DAVID BRYANT			0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
WTS2 PVT DARRAH LOGGING 4		8/29	BOB CRETTON	1	E-4K	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
TFLD LAMBERT		8/23	MIKE LAMBERT	1		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
EMTF WILSON		9/1	TIM WILSON	1	O-101	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station		
HC2 LAVA RIVER FOR. C-11 ↳ share w/ DIV B		9/1	BERTHA CHAVEZ		C-23				
EMPF QUINTANAR	X	9/1	ARMEN QUINTANAR	1	O-94				
6. Work Assignments: Construct direct handline where feasible to maximize suppression efforts. Identify targets of opportunity for direct and indirect tactics to minimize the impact to the transmission lines and Highway 199.									
7. Special Instructions: Be aware of retardant avoidance areas, mine shafts and naturally occurring asbestos. Safety Officer(s) assigned to Branch V: Shaun Davis									
8. Communications									
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes	
SRF 12	4	COMMAND	172.3750	0.0	164.1750	(T12) 127.3	A	SRF TONE 12, GORDON MTN	
VFIRE 24	12	TACTICAL	154.2725	(T6) 156.7	154.2725	(T6) 156.7	A		
CALCORD	15	TACTICAL	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	A	EMS AIR COORDINATION	
A/G TAC	14	A/G TAC	169.4875	0.0	169.4875	0.0	A		
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A		
9. Prepared by: Name:		A. Hudley / J. Roberts / A. Nahas(t)				RESL			
ICS 204		Date/Time: 8/18/2023 2200				Signature: 		Personnel Count: 15	

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1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX		2. Operational Period: Date From: 08/19/23 Date To: 08/20/23 Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700			3. Branch XX		Division MM	
4. Operations Personnel: Operations Section Chief: Scott Grasmick / Nick Cleary(t) Branch Director: Joe Tieso Division/Group Supervisor: Ron Oatman					Operations: Tom Himmelrich / Mike Milkovich Branch Safety: Air Attack:			
5. Resources Assigned:					** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **			
Resource Identifier	ALS	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location	
EST3 XNA 2100C **24hrs**	X	9/1	ERIK MORTIMORE	22	E-88	0700 - 0700	Gasquet Ranger Station	
EST3 OES 0803C		9/1	PETE GONZALEZ	18	E-87	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
ENG3 SRF E312 → PP		8/28		5		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
ENG3 GENESEE FIRE 932		8/30	JOSH BOYLES	5	E-1	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
ENG6 SMITH RIVER 9167		8/28	STEVE WILLIAMS	2		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
ENG6 SMITH RIVER 9267		8/28	LISA TRIP	2		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
WTT2 GASQUET WT76		8/28	GUY LATHAM	2		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
WTT2 AZ FIRE MEDICAL AUTH WT106		8/27	JUSTIN MITTON	2	E-6	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
FMOD MOEN FALLERS		9/2	MICHEAL MOEN	2	O-116	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
FMOD CHARLIE FALLERS		9/1	JOSIAH CLAYBORN	2	O-117	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
EMPF PETERS	X	9/1	DUSTIN PETERS	1	O-92	0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station	
ENG4 IDAHO TRAILBLAZERS 157		9/1	SCOTT LEFFLER	3	E-157			
ENG4 IDAHO TRAILBLAZERS 158		9/1	OSVALDO ARENAS	3	E-159			
ENG3 SRF 31		8/31	JOE RIVIERA	5	E-2			
ENG6 WHISPERING PINES E66		8/30	GABE DONEY	3	E-3			
WTT2 GASQUET WT75		8/28	WALTER FRYE	2				
EMPF MUNDS	X	9/1	NOAH MUNDS	1	0-91			
EMTF KORTEKAAS		9/1	JOSHUA KORTEKAAS	1	0-99			
6. Work Assignments: Take suppression efforts where feasible to minimize impact to structures and Highway 199. Prepare and defend structures in the areas of Patrick Creek and Washington Flat. Conduct damage assessment in areas that the fire has impacted.								
EMTF HAPKE		9/1	MIKE HAPKE	1	0-105			
FMOD CHARLIE FALLERS 154		9/1	DAN KECK	2	0-154			
7. Special Instructions: TFD EMM 8/30 KEVIN EMM 1 0-1K								
Be aware of retardant avoidance areas, mine shafts and naturally occurring asbestos.								
Safety Officer(s) assigned to Branch XX: Patrick Cockrum and Keith Aggson								
8. Communications								
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
SRF 12	4	COMMAND	172.3750	0.0	164.1750	(T12) 127.3	A	SRF TONE 12, GORDON MTN
NIFC T4	8	TACTICAL	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	A	
CALCORD	15	TACTICAL	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	A	EMS AIR COORDINATION
A/G TAC	14	A/G TAC	169.4875	0.0	169.4875	0.0	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	
9. Prepared by: Name: A. Hudley / J. Roberts / A. Nahas(t) RESL								
						Signature:		
ICS 204		Date/Time: 8/18/2023 2200			Personnel Count: 63			

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4. Operations Personnel:		Page 1 of 1	Sierra-Sierra
Operations Section Chief: Scott Grasmick / Nick Cleary(t) Branch Director: Joe Tieso Division/Group Supervisor: Unstaffed		Night Ops: Tom Himmelrich / Mike Milkovich Branch Safety: Air Attack:	

5. Resources Assigned: ** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	ALS	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location
PT SRF 13		8/28	WILL SOWELL	1		0700 - 1900	Gasquet Ranger Station

6. Work Assignments: Monitor fires and develop plans as resources become available.

7. Special Instructions: Be aware of retardant avoidance areas, mine shafts and naturally occurring asbestos. Safety Officer(s) assigned to Branch V: Shaun Davis
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8. Communications								
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
SRF 12	4	COMMAND	172.3750	0.0	164.1750	(T12) 127.3	A	SRF TONE 12, GORDON MTN
NIFC T6	10	TACTICAL	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	
CALCORD	15	TACTICAL	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	A	EMS AIR COORDINATION
A/G TAC	14	A/G TAC	169.4875	0.0	169.4875	0.0	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	

9. Prepared by: Name: A. Hudley / J. Roberts / A. Nahas(t) RESL	Signature:
ICS 204	Date/Time: 8/18/2023 2200 Personnel Count: 1

HEALTH AND SAFETY MESSAGE

Day \ Night Operations August 19, 2023

INCIDENT: SRF Smith River Complex	Day: Saturday Shift: Day \ Night
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Major Hazard and Risk:

- **Hazard Tree Safety:** Hazard trees, both dead snags and live green trees, are one of the most common risks encountered on the fireline. All firefighters should frequently survey their work area for potential hazards trees. **This includes your sleeping areas in camp!**
- **Extended Extraction Times:** Be familiar with the medical plan. Develop a plan on how you would get an injured firefighter out timely. Factor in how smoke inversions will reduce the likelihood of utilizing helicopters for extraction.
- **Hazardous Roads:** Narrow roads, steep drop-offs, erratic drivers, and operator fatigue are all prevalent on this and other assignments. If road conditions are an issue, contact your Division Supervisor to report.
- **Heat Related Injuries:** Stay hydrated, eat properly, drink fluids in a 3:1 ratio of water to sports drink, take frequent breaks, and pay attention to your body. This applies to personnel working in ICP/camp as well.

Narrative: This incident presents many complexities. Many of those are due to lack of staffing. Please be patient and do not extend yourself farther than your resources can support you on your assignment. Endure you have good communications with your resources.

Heat Related Injury

Symptoms of heat injuries are many times easy.

- Profuse sweating with warm, cool, clammy skin leading to hot and dry skin.
- Muscle cramps, weakness and dizziness
- Vomiting, rapid and weak pulse
- Decreased mental status and unconsciousness

These are very serious conditions that can lead to rhabdomyolysis which is an acute medical problem.

- Immediately reduce work output and seek shade
- Loosen clothing and move away from heat
- Seek medical attention from line medics\EMT

Snags

Stay alert for snags. Falling snags uphill can slide along way down the mountain onto a road or your line.



Remember to park in areas that are free of tree hazards and maintain awareness of burn times. Sometimes places you think are a safe area can easily be severely impacted by a large tree.

Safety Officers:
 Rick Bertram 805-471-8076
 Patrick Cockrum 916-220-0335
 Shaun Davis 805-205-0918
 Keith Aggison 805-748-9403

Prepared: August 18, 2023



ICS 205 - INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

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1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX Incident Channels			2. Date/Time Prepared Date: 08/18/2023 Time: 1930			3. Operational Period: Date From: 08/19/23 Date To: 08/20/23 Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700			
4. Communications									
Ch#	Function	Name	Assigned To	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
1	FUTURE	NIFC C3	NOT IN USE	170.4250	(T3) 131.8	168.0750	(T3) 131.8	A	FUTURE USE
2	FUTURE	NIFC C34	NOT IN USE	173.9750	(T3) 131.8	164.8625	(T3) 131.8	A	FUTURE USE
3	FUTURE	NIFC C35	NOT IN USE	173.8625	(T3) 131.8	163.8250	(T3) 131.8	A	FUTURE USE
4	COMMAND	SRF 12	ALL DIVS	172.3750	0.0	164.1750	(T12) 127.3	A	SRF TONE 12, GORDON MTN
5	COMMAND	SRF 4	ALL DIVS	172.3750	0.0	164.1750	(T4) 136.5	A	SRF TONE 4, SHIP MTN
6	TACTICAL	NIFC T1	B	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	A	
7	TACTICAL	NIFC T3	H	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	A	
8	TACTICAL	NIFC T4	MM	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	A	
9	TACTICAL	NIFC T5	PP	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	A	
10	TACTICAL	NIFC T6	SS	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	
11	TACTICAL	VFIRE 22	VV	154.2650	(T6) 156.7	154.2650	(T6) 156.7	A	
12	TACTICAL	VFIRE 24	K	154.2725	(T6) 156.7	154.2725	(T6) 156.7	A	
13	A/G CMD	A/G CMD	ALL DIVS	173.8500	0.0	173.8500	0.0	A	BRANCH AND DIVISION USE
14	A/G TAC	A/G TAC	ALL DIVS	169.4875	0.0	169.4875	0.0	A	AIR TO GROUND TACTICAL
15	TACTICAL	CALCORD	ALL DIVS	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	156.0750	(T6) 156.7	A	EMS AIR COORDINATION
16	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY
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19									
20	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY
5. Special Instructions									
CURRENT CLONE: SRC818									
6. Prepared by (Communications Unit Leader): Name: CHRIS OLIVER COML(t)						Signature: <i>Chris Oliver</i>			
ICS 205 - CONTROLLED UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION//BASIC					NIMS IAP	Date/Time: 08/18/23		1930	

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FINANCE MESSAGE

1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX	2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/19/2023 Time From: 0700	Date To: 8/20/2023 Time To: 0700
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CTR and Shift Tickets:

-If you have the ability to scan a QR code with your smartphone, scan the QR code at the bottom this page to get a fillable CTR or shift tickets. Using a .pdf format, you can scan and fill, then email to your Supervisor on the incident for signature and submission.

-Another option is to complete a paper CTR / Shift Ticket, get it signed by your supervisor on the fire, and take a picture of it.

E-mailing CTRs and Shift Tickets

Subject line: TIME

Email to: 2023.smithrivercomplex.finance@firenet.gov

-This email can be used to submit finance check-in documents too, like manifests, copies of resource orders, AD casual hire forms, receipts, etc. Be sure to include your Resource Order number somewhere in the body of the email.

-You're encouraged to submit time every two days if possible to stay current, and...

REMEMBER, HARD PAPER COPIES OF DOCUMENTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TOO!!

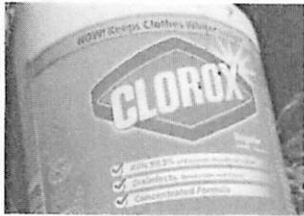
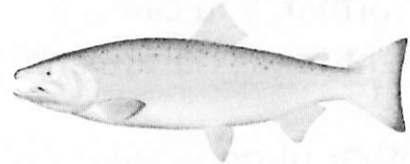


Smith River Complex Incident: Resource Advisor Message

Resource Advisors are Available in all Divisions. The goal is to support the mission of containing this wildfire, while minimizing resource damage. Utilize READ/REAFs for cultural and environmental resource concerns.

Fish Screens: Coho Salmon Critical Habitat

Most rivers and streams in this area are considered critical habitat for Threatened Coho salmon. Please ensure that Mark 3 and Engine/Tender suction hoses have the appropriate screen attached. Talk to a READ if you think you need a screen!



Port Orford Cedar root disease

Some local drainages are infected with a root disease that spreads via mud and water. To prevent spreading this disease to uninfected areas, all water tenders and engines will apply bleach to their tanks in a 1 to 1000 ratio (using bleach with 6.0 % Sodium hypochlorite). Talk to a READ if you need some bleach!

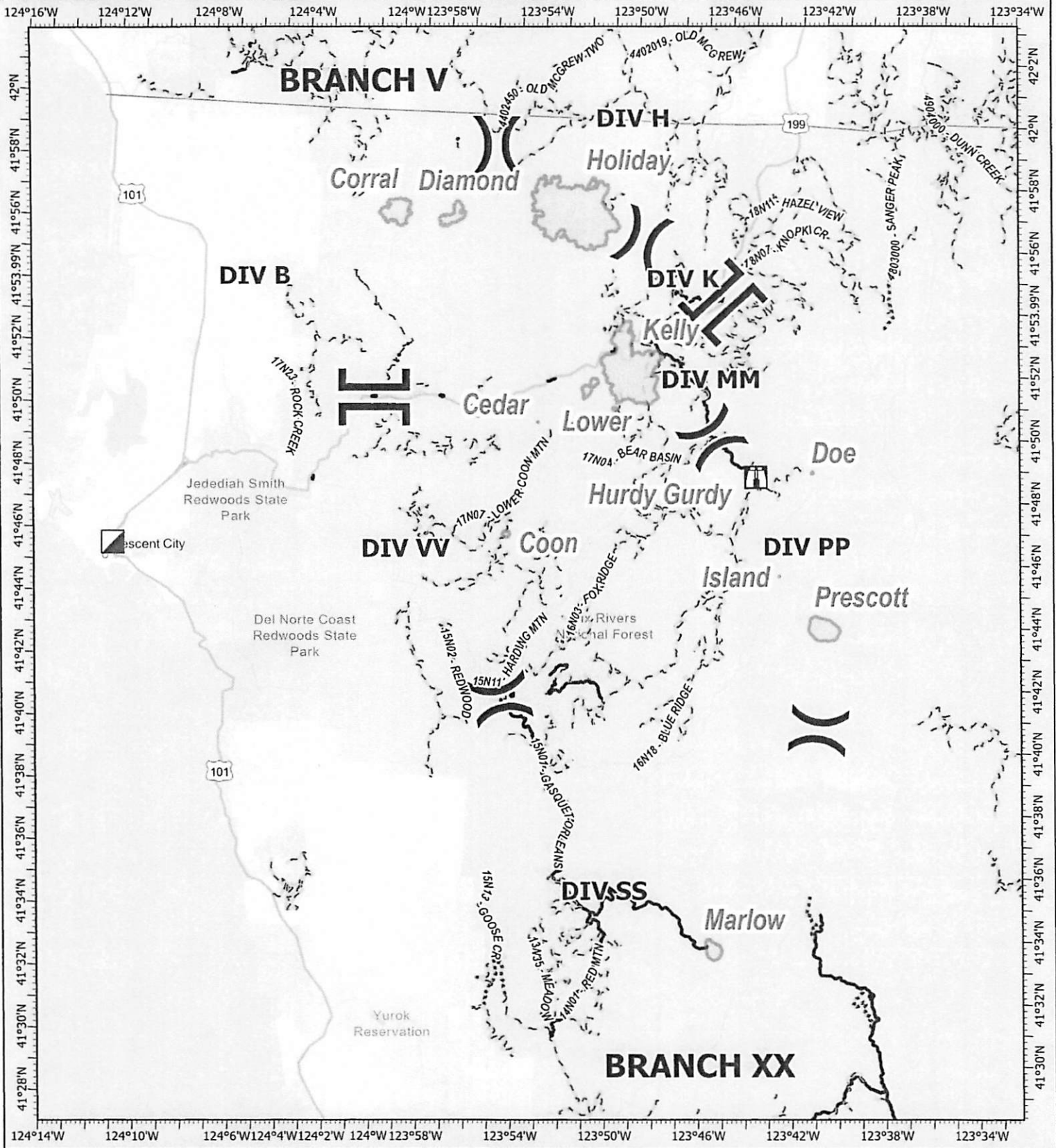
Cultural and Heritage Resources:

The area you are working in is rich in cultural and heritage resources which may be encountered while fighting fire. When potential cultural or heritage resource are encountered, that they are not disturbed.

- GPS its location and take a photo, but do not remove or collect anything. Work with your division to notify a READ for recommendations on how to proceed.
- Some cultural resources present hazardous conditions, such as mining shafts. Be attentive to these potential hazards when working around known mining areas or in rocky areas.
- Known resources may be flagged ahead in work areas.
- Finding of cultural resources should not be reported over the radio.
- Coordinate with READs on all dozer operations to minimize impacts to cultural and heritage sites. Limit dozer operations to pre-existing dozer lines and limit widths to the extent possible.



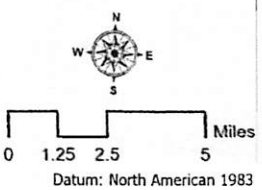
TRANSPORTATION



SMITH RIVER COMPLEX

CA-SRF-000986
August 19, 2023 DAY

- Wildfire Daily Fire Perimeter
- Division Break
- Branch Break
- Incident Command Post
- Lookout
- Dirt Road, Suitable for Passenger Car
- Gravel Road, Suitable for Passenger Car
- Paved Road
- Road, Not Maintained for Passenger Car



UNIT LOG (ICS 214)

1. Incident Name:
SMITH RIVER COMPLEX

2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/19/23 Date To: 8/20/23
Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700

3. Unit Name/Designators

4. Unit Leader (Name and ICS Position)

5. Personnel Assigned/Designators

NAME	ICS POSITION	HOME BASE

6. Activity Log (Continue on Reverse)

TIME	MAJOR EVENTS

7. Prepared By: _____ Date/Time: _____

MEDICAL PLAN (ICS 206)

1. Incident Name: SMITH RIVER COMPLEX	2. Operational Period Date From: 8/19/23 Time From: 0700	Date To: 8/20/23 Time To: 0700
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3. INCIDENT MEDICAL AID STATIONS		
MEDICAL AID STATIONS	LOCATION	R.N. & EMT
		YES NO

4.a. AIR AMBULANCES				
NAME	LOCATION	CONTACT	PARAMEDICS	
			YES	NO
Air Ambulance / Type 3	Medford, OR	Smith River Communications	X	
CHP (Daytime only Hoist) / Type 3	Redding, CA	Smith River Communications	X	
Coast Guard (Day/Night Hoist) / Type 3	Humbolt Bay, CA	Smith River Communications		X
Air Ambulance / Type 3	Redding, CA	Smith River Communications	X	
Cal Fire (Hoist)	Kneeland, CA	Smith River Communications	X	

4.b. GROUND AMBULANCES & REMS				
NAME	LOCATION	PARAMEDICS		
		YES	NO	
Ambulance 1 (Mountain Medics)	Gasquet Ranger District Office (Hwy 199)	X		
Ambulance 2 (Mountain Medics)	Patrick Creek Lodge (Hwy 199)	X		

AMBULANCE 3 (EMERG. RESPONSE) 5. HOSPITALS GPS DATUM - WGS 84 PATRICK CREEK LODGE (HWY 199) X

NAME	ADDRESS	TRAVEL TIME		PHONE LAT, LONG	HELIPAD		BURN CENTER	
		AIR	GRND		YES	NO	YES	NO
Sutter Coast Hospital (Level 4 Trauma Center)	800 E. Washington Blvd. Crescent City CA.		25 min.	707-464-8888 Lat: 41 46.454 Long: 124 11.537		X		X
Rogue Regional Medical (Level 2 Trauma Center)	2825 E Barnett Rd. Medford, OR	35 min.	4.5 hrs	541-789-7178 Lat: 42 19.10 Long: 122 49.50	X OR99			X
Mercy Medical Center (Level 2 Trauma Center)	2175 Rosaline Ave. Redding, CA	55 min.	4.5 hrs.	530-225-6000 Lat: 40 34.14 Long: 122 23.97	X 7CA3			X
UC Davis Medical Center (Level 1 Trauma & Burn)	2315 Stockton Blvd. Sacramento, CA	1.5 hr.	7 hrs.	916-734-3636 Lat: 38 33.20 Long: 121 27.28	X 3CLO		X	

6. MEDICAL EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

<p>LINE "MEDICAL EMERGENCY" PLAN:</p> <p>Crew Supervisor to contact Division Supervisor/Operations with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient Complaint, Condition and Location via Tactical or Command Frequency. Priority 1/Red & 2/Yellow patients • <u>Triggers</u> Incident within Incident (IWI) <p>Division Supervisor/*POC contacts Smith River Communications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division Supervisor or *POC will run "Medical-Emergency" on Command Frequency. • Division Supervisor or *POC to use "Medical Plan (ICS 206 WF)" worksheet in the IAP or IRPG. • Communications contacts Medical Unit Leader on the Command Frequency or cell phone (909-559-5196) <p>*POC (Point of Contact)</p>	<p>LINE "NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENT" PLAN:</p> <p>Crew Supervisor to contact Division Supervisor with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient Complaint, Condition and Location via Tactical or Command Frequency. Priority 3/Green Patients • <u>Does not</u> trigger Incident within Incident (IWI). <p>Division Supervisor/POC Contacts Smith River Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division Supervisor or *POC will run "Non-Emergency Incident" on the Command Frequency. • Division Supervisor or *POC to use "Medical Incident Report" worksheet on back of this page or in IRPG. • Communications contacts Medical Unit Leader on the Command Frequency or Cell Phone (909-559-5196) <p>IN-CAMP – 24 HOUR MEDICAL</p> <p>Contact Smith River Communications with: Patient Complaint, Condition, and Location via phone "911" or Command Frequency</p>
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ICS 206	7. PREPARED BY: (Medical Unit Leader) Josh Fudge <i>Josh Fudge</i>	8. REVIEWED BY: (Safety Officer) Rick Bertram <i>Rick Bertram</i>
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MEDICAL PLAN (ICS 206 WF)

Controlled Unclassified Information//Basic

Medical Incident Report					
<p>FOR A NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENT, WORK THROUGH CHAIN OF COMMAND TO REPORT AND TRANSPORT INJURED PERSONNEL AS NECESSARY.</p> <p>FOR A MEDICAL EMERGENCY: IDENTIFY ON-SCENE INCIDENT COMMANDER BY NAME AND POSITION AND ANNOUNCE "MEDICAL EMERGENCY" TO INITIATE RESPONSE FROM IMT COMMUNICATIONS/DISPATCH.</p>					
<p>Use the following items to communicate situation to communications/dispatch.</p>					
<p>1. CONTACT COMMUNICATIONS / DISPATCH (Verify correct frequency prior to starting report) <i>Ex: "Communications, Div. Alpha. Stand-by for Emergency Traffic."</i></p> <p>2. INCIDENT STATUS: Provide incident summary (including number of patients) and command structure. <i>Ex: "Communications, I have a Red priority patient, unconscious, struck by a falling tree. Requesting air ambulance to Forest Road 1 at (Lat./Long.) This will be the Trout Meadow Medical, IC is TFLD Jones. EMT Smith is providing medical care."</i></p>					
Severity of Emergency / Transport Priority	<input type="checkbox"/> RED / PRIORITY 1 Life or limb threatening injury or illness. Evacuation need is IMMEDIATE <i>Ex: Unconscious, difficulty breathing, bleeding severely, 2^o - 3^o burns more than 4 palm sizes, heat stroke, disoriented.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> YELLOW / PRIORITY 2 Serious Injury or illness. Evacuation may be DELAYED if necessary. <i>Ex: Significant trauma, unable to walk, 2^o - 3^o burns not more than 1-3 palm sizes.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> GREEN / PRIORITY 3 Minor Injury or illness. Non-Emergency transport <i>Ex: Sprains, strains, minor heat-related illness.</i>				
Nature of Injury or Illness & Mechanism of Injury			<i>Brief Summary of Injury or Illness (Ex: Unconscious, Struck by Falling Tree)</i>		
Evacuation Request			<i>Air Ambulance / Short Haul/Hoist Ground Ambulance / Other</i>		
Patient Location			<i>Descriptive Location & Lat. / Long. (WGS84)</i>		
Incident Name			<i>Geographic Name + Medical (Ex: Trout Meadow Medical)</i>		
On-Scene Incident Commander			<i>Name of on-scene IC of Incident within an Incident (Ex: TFLD Jones)</i>		
Patient Care			<i>Name of Care Provider (Ex: EMT Smith)</i>		
<p>3. INITIAL PATIENT ASSESSMENT: Complete this section for each patient as applicable (start with the most severe patient)</p>					
<p>Patient Assessment: See IRPG PAGE 106</p>					
<p>Treatment:</p>					
<p>4. EVACUATION PLAN:</p>					
<p>Evacuation Location (if different): (Descriptive Location (drop point, intersection, etc.) or Lat. / Long.) Patient's ETA to Evacuation Location:</p>					
<p>Helispot / Extraction Site Size and Hazards:</p>					
<p>5. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES / EQUIPMENT NEEDS:</p>					
<p><i>Example: Paramedic/EMT, crews, immobilization devices, AED, oxygen, trauma bag, IV/fluid(s), splints, rope rescue, wheeled litter, HAZMAT, extrication</i></p>					
<p>6. COMMUNICATIONS: Identify State Air/Ground EMS Frequencies and Hospital Contacts as applicable</p>					
Function	Channel Name/Number	Receive (RX)	Tone/NAC *	Transmit (TX)	Tone/NAC *
COMMAND					
AIR-TO-GRND					
TACTICAL					
<p>7. CONTINGENCY: <u>Considerations:</u> If primary options fail, what actions can be implemented in conjunction with primary evacuation method? Be thinking ahead.</p>					
<p>8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Updates/Changes, etc.</p>					
<p>REMEMBER: Confirm ETAs of resources ordered. Act according to your level of training. Be Alert. Keep Calm. Think Clearly. Act Decisively.</p>					