

INCIDENT ACTION PLAN



Ridge

MT-FNF-000518

P1QGT5 (0110)

Doris Point

MT-FNF-000496

P1QJ61 (0110)

Tin Soldier

MT-FNF-000535

P1QGH4 (0110)



OPERATIONAL PERIOD

AUGUST 18, 2023

0600 – 1800



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ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 203)

1. Incident Name: RIDGE FIRE		2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/18/2023 Time From: 0600		Date To: 8/18/2023 Time To: 1800	
3. Incident Commander(s) and Command Staff:			7. Operation Section:		
IC/UC's	Rocky W. Opliger / Jake Cagle(T)	Operations	David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)		
Deputy	Mike Nobles	Tin Soldier Operations	Joe Gonzalez		
Safety Officer	Michael Alforque / Mike Huneke(T)	Night Ops			
Information Officer	Stephanie Bishop / Sean Collins / Darren McMillin / Derek Tisinger / Sonny Saghera / Thanh Nguyen / Nick Arnett	Staging Area			
Liaison Officer	Jason Collier / Sam Willbanks	Branch			
HRSP	Adam Alvarez	Division/Group	A	Grahm Rice / Mike Greer	
4. Agency/Organization Representatives:		Division/Group	M	Todd Ruzicka	
Agency/Organization	Name	Division/Group	R	Joe McGinn / Jace Schekla(T)	
MT-FNF AA	Carol Hatfield	Division/Group	W	Dave Soldavini / Ron Brewer(T)	
MT-FNF AA	Kim Pearson	Division/Group	Contingency	Adam Booth	
IBA MT-FNF	Biddy Simet	Division/Group	Structure	Carrie Thaler / Nathan Basford(T)	
Flathead County Sheriff	Bian Heino	Division/Group	DD	Ryan Regelin	
NPS Glacier	David Roemer	Division/Group	CCC	Cache Gibbons / Joe Schwantes(T)	
IARR	Matt Dillon	Division/Group	NNN	Ryle Benke	
IARR	Dan Anerino	Division/Group	Staging		
Coram Experimental Forest	David Wright	Division/Group			
CCC AREP	Miguel Diaz	Branch			
5. Planning Section:		Division/Group			
Chief	Jeremy Camacho(T)	Division/Group			
Deputy	Thomas Reaves(T)	Division/Group			
Resource Unit	Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T)	Division/Group			
Situation Unit	Michael Hoose / Damian Guillian / John Hamer / Daniel Eiszele	Branch			
Lead READ	Chris Hoge	Division/Group			
Documentation Unit	RIST (Virtual)	Division/Group			
Demobilization Unit	Brian Talbott	Division/Group			
GISS	Matthew Eister / Erin Opliger / Travis Coughlin / Chris Barrett	Division/Group			
FBAN	Diondray Wiley	Air Operations Branch		Director:	Staci Dickson
IMET	Bob Hoenisch	Air Support Group Supervisor		Rita Clipperton / Roger Caballero(T)	
Air Resource Advisor	Margaret Key	Air Tactical Group Supervisor		Jay Walter	
Training Tech Spec	Emil Picchi (Virtual)				
ITSS	James Whiteside / Darren Howard				
SCKN	Matthew Valley / Ben Turcea(T)				
6. Logistics Section					
Chief	Cheryl Raines / Jennifer Wells(T)				
Supply Unit	Jennifer Armstrong	8. Finance/Administration Section:			
Facilities Unit	Martie Hale / Adam Briggs(T)	Chief	Judy Reynolds / Vicki Wilson		
Ground Support Unit	Jeff Burch	Time Unit	Sheila Miner		
Communications Unit	Salvador Bonilla Jr. / Kevin Janes	Procurement Unit	Craig Ericson		
Medical Unit	Erick Williams / Jeffrey Brooks(T) / Samuel Crenshaw(T)	Comp/Claims Unit	Scott Parsons		
Security Manager	Kevin Arnold	Cost Unit	Tami Monahan		
RCDM	Aron Levin / DeQuincy Gordon(T)	EQTR	Loni Holt / Evelyn Trujillo (Virtual)		
Prepared By: Name: Ryan Da Rosa		Position/Title: RESL		Signature: _____	
ICS 203		Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2300 hours			



Ridge Fire Weather Forecast

FORECAST NO: 9
PREDICTION FOR: Thursday
SHIFT DATE: 08/17/23
FORECAST ISSUED: 08/16/23 at 2100 MDT

NAME OF FIRE: Ridge
UNIT: MT-FHA
SIGNED: Bob Hoenisch - **Incident Meteorologist**
text/email obs: 406-899-4112/robert.hoenisch@noaa.gov

**...Critical Combination of Heat, Very Low RH and Increasing Wind This Afternoon and Evening...
Fire Weather Watch for Gusty Winds and Low RH Friday**

WEATHER DISCUSSION: A very warm and dry airmass remains in place across the region with afternoon humidity below 20% and poor overnight humidity recovery outside of drainage bottoms/valleys. West to southwest winds increase this afternoon with ridgetops and areas with terrain alignment likely to see gusts to 25 mph while areas with less exposure see a few afternoon gusts of 15-20 mph. Clouds and moisture aloft begin to increase tonight with an isolated overnight shower or thunderstorm possible. Winds increase further on Friday with only slight improvement to temperature and humidity.

TODAY:

SKY/WEATHER: Partly cloudy. High clouds with late afternoon cumulus.
Max Temperature: 95-100 lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 87-93 mid-slopes to ridges.
Min RH: 14-19%.
20 ft WINDS: **Slope/Valley** – Upslope/up-drainage 3-7 mph, becoming west to southwest 5-10 mph after 1300. Late afternoon gusts to 20 mph in areas with exposure and terrain alignment.
Ridgetop-West 5-10 mph increasing to 10-15 mph in the afternoon with gusts to 25 mph.
LAL: 1 **Chance of Wetting Rain (0.10"):** Zero **HAINES INDEX:** 4 (Low)

TONIGHT:

SKY/WEATHER: Partly cloudy. An isolated shower or thunderstorm possible overnight.
Min Temperature: 54-59 valleys and drainage bottoms, 60-65 mid-slopes to ridgetops.
Max RH: 60-65% valleys and drainage bottoms, 35-40% mid-slopes to ridgetops.
20 ft WINDS: **Slope/Valley** - Becoming downslope/down-drainage 3-8 mph by 2100.
Ridgetop - West 6-12 mph. Gusts 15-20 mph through the overnight period.
LAL: 2 **Chance of Wetting Rain (0.10"):** Zero

Outlook for FRIDAY:

SKY/WEATHER: Mostly cloudy in the morning then partly cloudy in the afternoon.
Max Temperature: 85-90 lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 80-85 mid-slopes to ridges.
Min RH: 15-20% lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 21-26% mid-slopes to ridges
20 ft WINDS: **Slope/Valley** - Southwest 5-10 mph, increasing to 8-12 mph with gusts up to 25 mph in the afternoon.
Ridgetop - Southwest 6-12 mph increasing to 12-16 mph with gusts to around 30 mph. Isolated gusts to 35 mph possible on ridgetops above 6000 ft.

Extended Forecast Discussion: More noticeable moderation in temperature and humidity occurs this weekend as additional moisture moves into the area for increased cloud-cover and a return to seasonal temperatures. Thunderstorm potential also increases late Friday through Saturday with chances for wetting precipitation increasing Sunday and Monday.

8/16/2023 observations thru 2000	Min Temp	Max RH	Max Temp	Min RH	Peak Wind	Precipitation
IRAWS46-Desert Mtn (6360')	67	37%	84	23%	WSW 23 mph	0.00"
IRAWS45-Firefighter Mtn (5683')	70	35%	88	21%	SW 19 mph	0.00"
West Glacier RAWS (3165')	57	84%	97	19%	WSW 10 mph	0.00"
Hungry Horse RAWS (3123')	57	79%	98	16%	NW 19 mph	0.00"

FIRE BEHAVIOR FORECAST

FORECAST NUMBER: 10	TYPE OF FIRE Wildfire
FIRE NAME: Ridge	OPERATIONAL PERIOD Friday August 18, 2023
DATE ISSUED Thursday August 17, 2023	TIME ISSUED 2100
UNIT MT-Flathead National Forest	SIGNED Diondray Wiley, Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)

INPUTS

WEATHER SUMMARY *****RED FLAG WARNING FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW RH**
WEATHER: Mostly cloudy in the morning then partly cloudy in the afternoon
MAX TEMP: Below 4500ft 85-90° mid-slope and ridge tops 80-85°.
Humidity: 15-20%
20 FOOT WINDS: Valleys/Lower Slope: SW 8-14 mph increasing to 12-18 mph with G to 25 in the Afternoon.
Ridge/Upper slope: SW 8-14 mph, increasing to 12-18 mph with gust to 30 mph Gust to 40 mph possible on ridgetops above 6000'.
Haines 4 LAL 1
FUELS: The major fuel types, found in and around the fire area include compact timber stands, timber Understory, brush and heavy down and dead.
Ignition Receptiveness: **ERC:** 45 at the 97th percentile. **Burn Index:** 38 at the 97th percentile.
Probability of Ignition: 86-89% **Spotting distance:** Ridge top timber .4 mile, brush .2 mile
Dryness: Dead and down fuel moistures: **1 hour** – 3% **10 hour**-10 %, **100 hour** -11%, **1000 hour**-14%.

FIRE BEHAVIOR

*****RED FLAG WARNING***** High risk burn environment due to critical fire weather, gusty winds and low RH. With clear air, expect fire behavior to increase. Anticipate fire behavior (group torching, surface fire, spotting) to increase in Div Mike, Romeo and Whiskey. Emery Creek from DP10 North to DP8 has channeled West winds into a South to North orientation. Much stronger Westerly winds predicted, Northern and Eastern areas of the incident will most likely be effected. Interior islands may be a source for casting embers over control lines.

SPECIFIC FIRE BEHAVIOR:

Division A: Minimal fire activity, interior smoldering and creeping. West winds should help reinforce control lines.
Division M: Moderate fire behavior, interior smoldering and creeping. Potential for flare-ups, roll-out and spotting into Emery Creek.
Division R: Active fire behavior, interior smoldering and creeping. Anticipate backing, torching and spotting into Highline Loop on the leeward side of Hungry Horse Mountain. Interior islands will continue to be consumed. Expect fire intensity to increase once the inversion has lifted.
Division W: Active fire behavior, interior smoldering and creeping. Backing (near 38 rd.). Potential for roll-out and flare-ups near control lines. Expect an increase in fire behavior in fuels treatment areas (type converted fuel beds). Plan for the strong West winds to materialize in the Hungry Horse Creek drainage. Anticipate fire intensity to increase once the inversion has lifted.
Division DD: Doris Fire, Moderate fire behavior, The North flank will continue to move towards the summit against the wind, flanking into Doris Creek (North) and Lost Johnny drainage (South). The East flank will continue to move toward the reservoir.

Aviation Safety/ Watchout:

How can high altitudes and/or high temperatures affect helicopter performance capabilities?

Safety Message/ Watch Out Situations:

Building indirect fireline, or unburned fuel remains between you and the fire.

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1. Incident Name:		2. Operational Period:				3. Branch		Division	
RIDGE FIRE		Date From: 08/18/23		Date To: 08/18/23		A		Alpha	
		Time From: 0600		Time To: 1800					
4. Operations Personnel:						Page 1 of 2			
Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)				Night Ops:					
Branch Director:				Branch Safety:					
Division/Group Supervisor: Grahm Rice / Mike Greer				Air Attack: Jay Walter					
5. Resources Assigned:		** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location		
CRW1 LEWIS & CLARK IHC	RID	8/24	WYDRA, NICHOLAS	22	C-14	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW1 ALTA IHC	RID	8/21	BOGDANOFF, BRYAN	22	C-11	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2IA TETON IHC	RID	8/21	KULLA, TYLER	22	C-8	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2IA MIDEWIN	RID	8/25	HOFFMAN, JERRY	19	C-16	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2IA KEYSTONE	RID	8/20	NOVITSKY, JACOB	21	C-7	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 MARLETTE PEAK	RID	8/27	FOSTER, JASON	23	C-9	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 WEST COAST 33	RID	8/30	GONZALEZ, LUIS	20	C-33	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 PNW FIRE	RID	8/28	ESQUIBEL, MIGUEL	20	C-20	0600-0600	Ridge ICP		
ENG3 AAA FORESTRY	RID	8/25	MIX-CATRON, JEFF	3	E-112	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
ENG3 LL MEADOW WILDFIRE	RID	8/25	GRACIE, REED	3	E-109	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
ENG3 CASTLE MOUNTAIN	RID	8/25	TILLER, JOHN	3	E-111	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
ENG3 SOLOMON	RID	8/23	SOLOMON, TODD	3	E-97	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
ENG6 MOMTF E611	RID	8/20	CORTES, BRANDON	3	E-120	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTT2 WEBER FD	RID	8/20	SEXTON, THOMAS	2	E-56	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTT2 BONNEVILLE COUNTY	RID	8/30	CORDON, MATT	2	E-130	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTT2 UCON FD	RID	8/23	NORMAN, KENDALL	2	E-99	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTS2 MARTIN CITY	RID	8/24	TORPIN, TOM	2	E-61	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTS2 ROCKY MOUNTAIN	RID	8/19	LODGE, CRAIG	1	E-63	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
6. Work Assignments:									
Mop-up and secure control lines to the extent necessary to keep the fire in its current perimeter.									
7. Special Instructions:									
Before doing work in the Coram Experimental Forest, coordinate with REAF David Wright (406) 531-0980.									
FOBS may be conducting work in division and will check in with DIVS prior to conducting work.									
REAFs will be working throughout all divisions. REAFs and READs will contact Division when they enter and exit divisions.									
SOFR Martin will be working in divisions Alpha and Whiskey. SOFR Martin will contact DIVS when entering and exiting divisions.									
8. Communications									
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes	
NIFC C3	1	COMMAND	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP	
TAC 4	4	TACTICAL	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	A		
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY	
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A		
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A		
9. Prepared by: Name:			Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T)			RESL		Signature: _____	
ICS 204		Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200			Personnel Count: 193				

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WTS2 WALKING Y4	RID	8/16	MUTCHLER, CHRIS	1	E-27	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
SKG3 SCHLEGEL	RID	8/29	HUNT, NATHAN	2	E-89	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
HEQB RABLIN	RID	8/25	RABLIN, EDWARD	1	O-101	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
FMOD DRAGONHEAD	RID	8/18	STINGER, CODY	2	O-14	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMPF SOWELL	RID	8/27	SOWELL, MICHAEL	1	O-111	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMTF KNOPP	RID	8/26	KNOPP, BRADLEY	1	O-115	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMPF SMITH	RID	8/27	SMITH, ROBERT	1	O-110	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMTF FURRH	RID	8/26	FURRH, CALEB	1	O-113	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMPF SCHMIDT	RID	8/24	SCHMIDT, RODNEY	1	O-96	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMTF GRIFFITH	RID	8/25	GRIFFITH, HAYDEN	1	O-116	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMPF FOX	RID	8/26	FOX, JAMES	1	O-109	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
EMTF PRUNIER	RID	8/27	PRUNIER, ASHLEY	1	O-114	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
AMB1 KALISPELL	RID	8/25	KINZER, JESSICA	2	E-114	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
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Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)	Night Ops:
Branch Director:	Branch Safety:
Division/Group Supervisor: Todd Ruzicka	Air Attack: Jay Walter

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CRW1 PLUMAS IHC	RID	8/20	SHERMAN, MIKE	19	C-10	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
CRW2 IRON MOUNTAIN 6	RID	8/29	SANTANA, ISRAEL	20	C-19	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
CRW2 R&R CONTRACTING	RID	8/30	ROCHA, CRISTOBAL	20	C-30	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
ENG3 MISSOULA CITY	RID	8/25	WILLIAMS, JEREMY	3	E-96	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
*ENG4 MT-FNF-E462	RID		BARCLAY	3		0600-1800	Ridge ICP
*ENG6 MT-FNF-E671	RID		SIROIS	3		0600-1800	Ridge ICP
ENG6 EAST MISSOULA	RID	8/25	FERGUSON, TANNER	2	E-94	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
ENG6 DENNISON LOGGING	RID	8/20	DENNISON, CURTIS	2	E-42	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
ENG6 SOMERS/LAKESIDE 582	RID	8/17	KIENAS, ROBERT	4	E-62	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
WTS2 R2K ENTERPRISES	RID	8/29	FISH, BRITNEY	1	E-26	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
SOF2 CAROTHERS	RID		CAROTHERS, COUGAN		O-97	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
AMB2 WILDERNESS MEDICS	RID	8/21	MACARTHUR, AMANDA	2	E-58	0600-1800	Ridge ICP

6. Work Assignments:
Construct direct line from Emery Ridge to Emery Creek.
Mop-up and secure control lines to the extent necessary to keep the fire in its current footprint.

7. Special Instructions:
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TAC 6	6	TACTICAL	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	A	
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	
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9. Prepared by: Name: Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T) RESL
Signature: _____
ICS 204 Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200 Personnel Count: 79

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ENG3 SHERIDAN	RID	8/25	SHERIDAN, BOB	4	E-110	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
ENG6 UTASF E611	RID	8/19	BELGE, ZACHARY	5	E-41	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
DOZ2 CATCH INC	RID	8/24	ONEIL, Jr., DAN	2	E-108	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
DOZ2 SIDERIUS	RID	8/14	SIDERIUS, DAN	2	E-1	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
DOZ3 YEAGER	RID	8/22	YEAGER, DOUG	2	E-91	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
MAST2 J3 CONTRACTING	RID	8/21	GRANT, WILLIAM	2	E-84	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
FEL1 TAMARACK	RID	9/1	MILLER, ROB	1	E-21	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
FEL2 GRIZZLY LOGGING	RID	8/22	GLAIZER, HAROLD	2	E-100	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
HETF SIDERIUS	RID		SIDERIUS, DAN	7	E-2	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
LOGL SLACK	RID	8/18	SLACK, JAMIE	1	E-34	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
LOGL SIDERIUS	RID		CLOUSE, BRANDON	1	E-35	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
LOGT MATHENY LINE	RID	8/30	MATHENY, TIMOTHY	1	E-132	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
LOGT RONKOSKI TRUCKING	RID	8/30	KOSKI, RON	1	E-133	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
TFLD MECHAM	RID	8/27	MECHAM, BODE	1	O-138	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
TFLD(T) REYNOLDS	RID	8/18	REYNOLDS, CLIFFORD	1	O-24	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
MEDV UTV MEDICS 1	RID	8/21	SPEARS, JUSTIN	2	O-63	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
SOFR MAGUIRE	RID	8/30	MAGUIRE, TROY AL	1	O-157	0600-1800	Ridge ICP				
6. Work Assignments:											
Scout and plan for direct/indirect control lines.											
Install control lines where appropriate to prevent fire spread to the North and East.											
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ICS 204			Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200				Personnel Count: 54				

ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 204 WF)

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1. Incident Name:		2. Operational Period:				3. Branch		Division	
RIDGE FIRE		Date From: 08/18/23		Date To: 08/18/23		W		Whiskey	
		Time From: 0600		Time To: 1800					
4. Operations Personnel:						Page 1 of 1			
Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)				Night Ops:					
Branch Director:				Branch Safety:					
Division/Group Supervisor: Dave Soldavini / Ron Brewer(T)				Air Attack: Jay Walter					
5. Resources Assigned:		** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location		
CRW1 LOLO IHC	RID	8/28	FAIELLA, SHAWN M	24	C-22	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW1 SMITH RIVER IHC	RID	8/24	DENLINGER, DOUGLAS	21	C-15	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2IA PATRICK 17	RID	8/22	BEARD, BENJAMIN	20	C-17	0600-0600	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 IRON MOUNTAIN 18	RID	8/29	CHIPREZ, JESSE	20	C-18	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 WEST COAST 31	RID	8/30	OLMOS, JULIO	20	C-31	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
CRW2 WEST COAST 32	RID	8/30	MARTINEZ, BENJAMIN	18	C-32	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
ENG6 BIGFORK 382	RID	8/28	REFFNER, SEAN	4	E-60	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTT1 CEDAR CITY	RID	8/29	SMITH, JORDAN	2	E-123	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
WTT1 MOAPA VALLEY	RID	8/31	HASKELL, ALAN	2	E-131	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
DOZ2 SIKES Logging	RID	8/24	SIKES, GREGORY	2	E-107	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
SKG2 DENNISON	RID	8/23	DENNISON, LARRIK	2	E-90	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
SKG3 ROCKY MOUNTAIN	RID	8/21	MEYER, JUELLA	2	E-67	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
HETF TOUGH GO	RID	8/18	MILLER, RUSS	6	E-50	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
LOGL BAZCO	RID	8/23	REIBER, BRANDON	2	E-92	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
LOGL BAZCO #1	RID	8/23	HAYNES, COLTON	2	E-93	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
HEQB JENKINS	RID	8/26	JENKINS, ANDREW W	1	O-141	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
HEQB(T) ROVA	RID	8/26	ROVA, LEIF	1	O-152	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
MEDV WILDERNESS MEDICS	RID	8/30	OSIADACZ, ADAM	2	E-129	0600-1800	Ridge ICP		
6. Work Assignments:									
Scout and construct direct/indirect control lines.									
Install control lines where appropriate to prevent fire spread to the South and East.									
7. Special Instructions:									
FOBS may be conducting work in division and will check in with DIVS prior to conducting work.									
REAFs will be working throughout all divisions. REAFs and READs will contact DIVS when they enter and exit divisions.									
SOFR Martin will be working in divisions Alpha and Whiskey. SOFR Martin will contact DIVS when entering and exiting division.									
8. Communications									
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes	
NIFC C3	1	COMMAND	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP	
TAC 8	8	TACTICAL	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	A		
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY	
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A		
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A		
9. Prepared by: Name:									
Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T) RESL									
Signature: _____									
ICS 204		Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200				Personnel Count: 151			

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1. Incident Name: <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">RIDGE FIRE</p>	2. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/18/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800	3. Branch Division <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">Contingency</p>
4. Operations Personnel:		Page 1 of 1

Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T) Branch Director: Division/Group Supervisor: Adam Booth	Night Ops: Branch Safety: Air Attack: Jay Walter
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5. Resources Assigned:	** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location	
ENG6 BRENTESON RANCH	RID	8/23	RIPHENBURG, SHAUN	3	E-95	0600-1800	Ridge ICP	
WTT1 MADISON FD	RID	8/28	JAMESON, ETHAN	1	E-122	0600-1800	Ridge ICP	
HETF EQUIPMENT TECH	RID	8/24	MAYO, MATT	8	E-101	0600-1800	Ridge ICP	

6. Work Assignments:
Continue implementation of contingency control lines from H4 to Halfmoon Flats Road.

7. Special Instructions:
Before doing work in the Coram Experimental Forest, coordinate with READ David Wright (406) 531-0980.

8. Communications

Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
NIFC C3	1	COMMAND	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP
TAC 9	9	TACTICAL	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	STR / CONT / DIV DD
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	

9. Prepared by: Name: Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T) RESL

Signature: _____

ICS 204
Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200
Personnel Count: 12

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1. Incident Name:	2. Operational Period:	3. Branch	Division
RIDGE FIRE	Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/18/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800		Structure
4. Operations Personnel:			Page 1 of 1

Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)	Night Ops:
Branch Director:	Branch Safety:
Division/Group Supervisor: Carrie Thaler / Nathan Basford(T)	Air Attack: Jay Walter

5. Resources Assigned:	** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **						
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location
ENG3 HUNGRY HORSE 1532	RID		LACOUSIERE, JUSTIN	2	E-66	0600-1800	Ridge ICP
ENG6 HUNGRY HORSE 1581	RID		LAKO, JARED	2	E-46	0600-1800	Ridge ICP

6. Work Assignments:
Continue Structure assessment and coordinate with local agencies.

7. Special Instructions:

8. Communications								
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
NIFC C3	1	COMMAND	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP
TAC 9	9	TACTICAL	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	STR / CONT / DIV DD
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	

9. Prepared by: Name:	Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T)	RESL	Signature: _____
ICS 204	Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200	Personnel Count: 4	

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1. Incident Name: DORIS POINT FIRE	2. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/18/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800	3. Branch Division DD
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4. Operations Personnel:		Page 1 of 1	Delta-Delta
Operations Section Chief: David Pereira / Kyle Jacobson / Drew Graham / Kerri Williamson(T)	Night Ops:		
Branch Director:	Branch Safety:		
Division/Group Supervisor: Ryan Regelin	Air Attack: Jay Walter		

5. Resources Assigned:		** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **					
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location

6. Work Assignments:
Maintain confinement, containment, and point protection strategy in coordination with the Flathead National Forest.

7. Special Instructions:
Use screens on all pump/draft hoses in Hungry Horse Reservoir.
Turn WX Observations in to IMET>
Make notes in CTR's: Work performed in DIV DD.

8. Communications

Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
NIFC C3	1	COMMAND	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP
TAC 9	9	TACTICAL	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	STR / CONT / DIV DD
A/G PRI	13	A/G PRI	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	

9. Prepared by: Name: Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T) RESL
Signature: _____

ICS 204 Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200 Personnel Count: 0

ICS 205 - INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

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1. Incident Name: <p style="text-align: center;">RIDGE FIRE Incident Channels</p>	2. Date/Time Prepared Date: 08/17/2023 Time: 1900	3. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/19/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800
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4. Communications									
Ch#	Function	Name	Assigned To	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
1	COMMAND	NIFC C3	ALL DIVS	170.4250	0.0	168.0750	OST	A	COMMAND TO ICP
2	COMMAND	NIFC C6	FUTURE	168.4750	0.0	165.4000	OST	A	
3		BLANK	FUTURE						
4	TACTICAL	TAC 4	DIV A	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	168.0500	(T3) 131.8	A	
5	TACTICAL	TAC 5	FUTURE	168.2000	(T3) 131.8	168.2000	(T3) 131.8	A	
6	TACTICAL	TAC 6	DIV M	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	168.6000	(T3) 131.8	A	
7	TACTICAL	TAC 7	DIV R	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	166.7250	(T3) 131.8	A	
8	TACTICAL	TAC 8	DIV W	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	166.7750	(T3) 131.8	A	
9	TACTICAL	TAC 9	STR / CONT / DIV DD	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	168.2500	(T3) 131.8	A	STR / CONT / DIV DD
10	FOREST RPT	DESERT	ALL DIVS	173.1125	0.0	164.3750	(T10) 107.2	A	KALISPELL DISPATCH
11	MUTUAL FD TAC	RED	MUTUAL FIRE TAC	154.0700	0.0	154.0700	(T6) 156.7	A	LOCAL FD TACTICAL
12	ROADS	ROADS	ALL DIVS	151.5050	0.0	151.5050	(T26) 94.8	A	LOGGING TRAFFIC CONTROL
13	A/G PRI	A/G PRI	ALL DIVS	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	AIR TO GROUND PRIMARY
14	A/G SEC	A/G SEC	ALL DIVS	171.8250	0.0	171.8250	0.0	A	AIR TO GROUND SECONDARY
15	MEDICAL A/G	TAN	ALL DIVS	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	MEDICAL A/G
16	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT
17									
18									
19									
20	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT

5. Special Instructions
 * LAST CLONE 8/15/2023
 COMMUNICATION PHONE NUMBER 208-850-2701

6. Prepared by (Communications Unit Leader): Name: Sal Bonilla Jr. / Kevin Janes	Signature:
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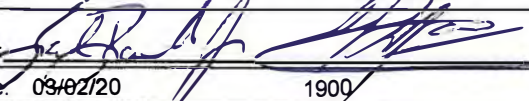
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1. Incident Name: Initial Attack Page 2	2. Date/Time Prepared Date: 08/17/2023 Time: 1900	3. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Time From: 0600 Date To: 08/19/23 Time To: 1800
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4. Communications									
Ch#	Function	Name	Assigned To	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
1	TACTICAL	TAC 1.		172.2250	(T10) 107.2	172.2250	(T10) 107.2	A	
2	TACTICAL	TAC 2.		172.3750	(T10) 107.2	172.3750	(T10) 107.2	A	
3	TACTICAL	TAC 3		154.3025	(T10) 107.2	154.3025	(T10) 107.2	A	
4	TACTICAL	FNF WRK 1		168.1625	0.0	168.1625	(T7) 167.9	A	
5	COMMAND	CMD DIR	RIDGE COMMAND DIR	167.2500	(T10) 107.2	167.2500	(T10) 107.2	A	
6	COMMAND	CMD RPT	RIDGE COMMAND RPT	167.2500	(T10) 107.2	162.2625	(T10) 107.2	A	
7	FOREST DIR	FNF DIR	FOREST DIRECT	173.1125	0.0	173.1125	(T2) 123.0	A	
8	FOREST RPT	DESERT	FOREST REPEATER	173.1125	0.0	164.3750	(T10) 107.2	A	
9	A/G	FNF A/G	FOREST A/G	169.1250	0.0	169.1250	(T7) 167.9	A	
10	A/G	RIDGE A/G	ALL DIVS	173.8375	0.0	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	A	
11	A/G	AREA A/G	3 A/G52	168.3875	0.0	168.3875	(T2) 123.0	A	
12	MUTUAL FD TAC	MAROON	MUTUAL FD PRI	154.2800	0.0	154.2800	(T6) 156.7	A	
13	MUTUAL FD TAC	SCARLET	MUTUAL FD SEC	154.2950	0.0	154.2950	(T6) 156.7	A	
14	MUTUAL FD TAC	RED	MUTUAL FD IA	154.0700	0.0	154.0700	(T6) 156.7	A	
15	MEDICAL A/G	TAN	MT MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	MEDICAL A/G
16	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT
17									
18									
19									
20	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT

5. Special Instructions

* LAST CLONE 8/15/2023
COMMUNICATION PHONE NUMBER 208-850-2701

6. Prepared by (Communications Unit Leader): Name: Sal Bonilla Jr. / Kevin Janes	Signature: 
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Tin Soldier



Tin Soldier Fire Weather Forecast

FORECAST NO: 01

PREDICTION FOR: Friday

SHIFT DATE: 08/18/23

FORECAST ISSUED: 08/17/23 at 2100 MDT

NAMES OF FIRES: Sullivan, Bruce

UNIT: MT-FHA

SIGNED: Bob Hoenisch - Incident Meteorologist

text/email obs: 406-899-4112/robert.hoenisch@noaa.gov

Red Flag Warning for Gusty Winds and Low RH Through This Evening

WEATHER DISCUSSION: Critical fire weather conditions are expected again today as west to southwest winds increase further by this afternoon in combination with low afternoon humidity. Temperatures will not be as hot as the last several days but continue above seasonal averages. Afternoon wind gusts to 25 mph or more are likely across most areas with gusts over 30 mph over exposed locations with terrain alignment. A few gusts as high as 40 mph are possible over the highest ridgetops above 6000 ft. Winds will turn to the northwest this evening then decrease and turn northerly overnight as a cooler airmass moves into the area.

TODAY:

SKY/WEATHER: Mostly cloudy in the morning then partly cloudy in the afternoon.

Max Temperature: 82-86 lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 77-82 mid-slopes to ridges.

Min RH: 18-23% lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 24-29% mid-slopes to ridges.

20 ft WINDS: Slope/Valley - Southwest 5-10 mph, increasing to 8-12 mph with gusts up to 25.

Ridgetop - Southwest 8-14 mph increasing to 12-18 mph with gusts to 30 mph. Gusts to 40 mph possible on ridgetops above 6000 ft.

LAL: 1 **Chance of Wetting Rain (0.10"):** Zero **HAINES INDEX: 4 (Low)**

TONIGHT:

SKY/WEATHER: Partly cloudy.

Min Temperature: 47-52 valleys and drainage bottoms, 53-58 mid-slopes to ridgetops.

Max RH: 65-75% valleys and drainage bottoms, 55-60% mid-slopes to ridgetops.

20 ft WINDS: Slope/Valley – Northwest 6-12 mph with gusts to 25 mph, turning north and diminishing to 5-10 mph around midnight.

Ridgetop - Northwest 8-14 mph with gusts to 30 mph, becoming north and diminishing to 6-12 mph around midnight.

LAL: 1 **Chance of Wetting Rain (0.10"):** Zero

Outlook for SATURDAY:

SKY/WEATHER: Mostly sunny in the morning then partly cloudy in the afternoon.

Max Temperature: 78-83 lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 72-77 mid-slopes to ridges.

Min RH: 23-28% lower elevations (below 4500 ft) and 29-34% mid-slopes to ridges

20 ft WINDS: Slope/Valley – Becoming up-slope/up-drainage 4-9 mph by 1200.

Ridgetop - North 5-10 mph with gusts to around 15 mph.

Extended Forecast Discussion: More seasonal daytime temperatures and humidity follow for the weekend. The risk for showers and thunderstorms increases Saturday night through the weekend with potential for more widespread showers and isolated thunderstorms in the late Sunday through Monday period as deeper moisture moves into the area from the south and southwest.

8/17/2023 observations thru 2000	Min Temp	Max RH	Max Temp	Min RH	Peak Wind	Precipitation
Spotted Bear Lookout (7202')	63	45%	82	20%	SSW 32 mph	0.00"
IRAWS46-Desert Mtn (6360')	66	43%	86	19%	WNW 25 mph	0.00"
IRAWS45-Firefighter Mtn (5683')	66	44%	88	18%	SSW 28 mph	0.00"
Spotted Bear RS (3725')	49	87%	95	16%	W 19 mph	0.00"
West Glacier RAWS (3165')	53	94%	99	14%	WSW 19 mph	0.00"
Hungry Horse RAWS (3123')	60	76%	100	14%	WNW 23 mph	0.00"

FIRE BEHAVIOR FORECAST

FORECAST NUMBER: 1	TYPE OF FIRE Wildfire
FIRE NAME: Tin Soldier	OPERATIONAL PERIOD Friday August 18, 2023
DATE ISSUED Thursday August 17, 2023	TIME ISSUED 2100
UNIT MT-Flathead National Forest	SIGNED Diondray Wiley, Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)

INPUTS

WEATHER SUMMARY

*****RED FLAG WARNING FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW RH**

WEATHER: Mostly cloudy in the morning then partly cloudy in the afternoon

MAX TEMP: Below 4500ft 85-90° mid-slope and ridge tops 80-85°.

Humidity: 15-20%

20 FOOT WINDS: Valleys/Lower Slope: SW 8-14 mph increasing to 12-18 mph with G to 25 in the Afternoon.

Ridge/Upper slope: SW 8-14 mph, increasing to 12-18 mph with gust to 30 mph
Gust to 40 mph possible on ridgetops above 6000'.

Haines 4 LAL 1

FUELS: The major fuel types, found in and around the fire area include compact timber stands, timber Understory, brush and heavy down and dead.

Ignition Receptiveness: **ERC:** 45 at the 97th percentile. **Burn Index:** 38 at the 97th percentile.

Probability of Ignition: 86-89% **Spotting distance:** Ridge top timber .4 mile, brush .2 mile

Dryness: Dead and down fuel moistures: **1 hour** – 3% **10 hour**-10 %, **100 hour** -11%, **1000 hour**-14%.

FIRE BEHAVIOR

*****RED FLAG WARNING***** High risk burn environment due to critical fire weather, gusty winds and low RH. With clear air, expect fire behavior to increase, anticipate single/group torching, surface fire and spotting. Topographical features will increase wind and/or create eddy effects.

SPECIFIC FIRE BEHAVIOR:

Sullivan Fire: Active fire behavior, West Flank, surface runs, torching and spotting. Flanking into Branch Creek, Westerly movement on both sides of the ridge. North Flank, backing and spotting into Ball/Branch Creek. East Flank, potential for short crown runs and spotting onto the leeward side of Kah Mt. South Flank, backing into Sullivan Creek and possible slope reversal. Anticipate active fire behavior in the South Fork Connector drainage.

Bruce Fire: Active fire behavior. West Flank, backing. North and East Flank, single/group torching, spotting and surface runs on Stony Hill. South Flank, backing into Bruce Creek and potential for slope reversal.

Aviation Safety/ Watchout:

How can high altitudes and/or high temperatures affect helicopter performance capabilities?

Safety Message/ Watch Out Situations:

Building indirect fireline, or unburned fuel remains between you and the fire.

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1. Incident Name:			2. Operational Period:				3. Branch		Division	
TIN SOLDIER FIRE			Date From: 08/18/23		Date To: 08/18/23		NNN			
			Time From: 0600		Time To: 1800					
4. Operations Personnel:							Page 1 of 1		November/November	
Operations Section Chief: Joe Gonzalez					Night Ops:					
Branch Director:					Branch Safety:					
Division/Group Supervisor: Ryle Benke					Air Attack: Jay Walter					
5. Resources Assigned:			** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **							
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location			
CRW1 BITTERROOT IHC	TIN	8/21	GIBBONS, CACHE	19	C-3	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
TFLD WOOD	TIN	8/21	WOOD, JAMIE	1	O-32	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
CRW2IA ILLINOIS	TIN	8/26	LEWIS, RICH	20	C-2	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
ENG4 BOSKET	TIN	8/30	MILLER, REX	3	E-15	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
ENG5 EVERGREEN	TIN	8/22	THOMAS, JUSTIN	2	E-22	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
WTS2 CONLEY	TIN	8/26	CONLEY, OWEN	1	E-14	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
TFLD PARMENTIER	TIN	8/21	PARMENTIER, ZACHARY		O-19	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
WFM1 SPOTTED BEAR	TIN		REED, SCOTT	9		0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
SMOD MI-HIF	TIN	8/27	SHALLEY, DELLAN	6	O-18	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
EMPF HARPER	TIN	8/29	HARPER, TRENTON	1	O-17	0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
BRUCE LOOKOUT			IDENTIFIED DAILY			0600-1800	Spotted Bear RS			
6. Work Assignments:										
Point protection of values at risk.										
Be prepared for defensive firing if fire behavior requires this tactic.										
Continue fuels reduction, structure prep, set up/test pump sprinklers at Heinrude and Tin Creek Bridge.										
7. Special Instructions:										
Ensure proper bear safety and food storage.										
Wilderness Lodge, Spotted Bear Ranch and Diamond R have no public present as of 8/16.										
Monitor LOGR2-ML.										
Use Baptiste Lookout as appropriate.										
8. Communications										
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes		
CMD SOUT	P3.5	COMMAND	173.1875	(T7) 167.9	164.3875	(T7) 167.9	A	SPOTTED BEAR LOOKOUT - CMD LINK		
TAC 2	P3.2	TACTICAL	168.2000	(T7) 167.9	168.2000	(T7) 167.9	A			
TIN A/G	P3.3	A/G	169.2625		169.2625	(T7) 167.9	A	TIN AIR TO GROUND		
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A			
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A			
9. Prepared by: Name:			Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T)				RESL		Signature: _____	
ICS 204		Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200				Personnel Count: 62				

ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 204 WF)

CONTROLLED UNCLASSIFIED
INFORMATION//BASIC

1. Incident Name: <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">TIN SOLDIER FIRE</p>	2. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/18/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800	3. Branch Division <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">Staging</p>
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Page 1 of 1

4. Operations Personnel:		
Operations Section Chief: Joe Gonzalez	Night Ops:	
Branch Director:	Branch Safety:	
Division/Group Supervisor:	Air Attack: Jay Walter	

5. Resources Assigned:		** Resources Below in Bold are 12 Hour **						
Resource Identifier	INC	LWD	Leader	Personnel	Request #	Hours	Reporting Location	

6. Work Assignments:

7. Special Instructions:

8. Communications								
Name	Ch	Function	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
CMD SOUT	P3.5	COMMAND	173.1875	(T7) 167.9	164.3875	(T7) 167.9	A	SPOTTED BEAR LOOKOUT - CMD LINK
R1 TAC	P3.11	TACTICAL	167.1125		167.1125	(T7) 167.9	A	
TIN A/G	P3.3	A/G	169.2625		169.2625	(T7) 167.9	A	TIN AIR TO GROUND
TAN	15	MEDICAL A/G	155.3400	0.0	155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	
AIRGUARD	16	AIRGUARD	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	

9. Prepared by: Name:	Sergio Arjonilla / Ryan Da Rosa(T) / Jeff Oliver(T) / Dwayne Preston(T) RESL	Signature: _____	
ICS 204	Date/Time: 8/17/2023 2200	Personnel Count: 0	


ICS 205 - INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

CONTROLLED UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION//BASIC

1. Incident Name: <p style="text-align: center;">Tin Soldier Fire Page 3</p>	2. Date/Time Prepared Date: 08/17/2023 Time: 1900	3. Operational Period: Date From: 08/18/23 Date To: 08/19/23 Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800
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4. Communications									
Ch#	Function	Name	Assigned To	Rx Freq	Rx Tone	Tx Freq	Tx Tone	Mode	Notes
1	TACTICAL	TAC 1	DIV CCC	168.0500	(T7) 167.9	168.0500	(T7) 167.9	A	
2	TACTICAL	TAC 2	DIV NNN	168.2000	(T7) 167.9	168.2000	(T7) 167.9	A	
3	A/G	TIN A/G	ALL DIVS	169.2625		169.2625	(T7) 167.9	A	TIN AIR TO GROUND
4	TACTICAL	FNF WRK 1		168.1625	0.0	168.1625	(T7) 167.9	A	
5	COMMAND	CMD SOUT	COMMAND	173.1875	(T7) 167.9	164.3875	(T7) 167.9	A	SPOTTED BEAR LOOKOUT - CMD LINK
6	COMMAND	CMD NORT	COMMAND	168.1125	(T7) 167.9	163.2875	(T7) 167.9	A	BAPTISTE LOOKOUT - CMD LINK
7	A/G	FNF A/G		169.1250	0.0	169.1250	(T7) 167.9	A	
8	FOREST RPT	DESERT	BACKUP TO ICP	173.1125	0.0	164.3750	(T10) 107.2	A	HUNGRY HORSE AREA FOREST - LINKED
9	FOREST RPT	LOOKOUT		173.1125		164.3750	(T11) 114.8	A	SPOTTED BEAR AREA - FOREST LINKED
10	FOREST RPT	BAPTISTE		173.1125		164.3750	(T13) 141.3	A	MIDDLE RESERVOIR AREA - FOREST LINKED
11	TACTICAL	R1 TAC	STAGING	167.1125		167.1125	(T7) 167.9	A	
12	MUTUAL FD TAC	RED		154.0700	0.0	154.0700	(T6) 156.7	A	
13	TACTICAL	LOGGER2		151.5050	(T26) 94.8	151.5050	(T26) 94.8	A	
14	TACTICAL	LOGGER1	DO NOT USE	151.9250		151.9250		A	DO NOT USE
15	TACTICAL	TAN / MED	ALL DIVS	155.3400		155.3400	(T6) 156.7	A	MEDICAL A/G
16	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD	ALL DIVS	168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT
17									
18									
19									
20	AIRGUARD	AIRGUARD		168.6250	0.0	168.6250	(T1) 110.9	A	EMERGENCY CONTACT

5. Special Instructions
 * LAST CLONE 8/15/2023
 COMMUNICATION PHONE NUMBER 208-850-2701

6. Prepared by (Communications Unit Leader): Name: Sal Bonilla Jr. / Kevin Janes	Signature: 
ICS 205 - CONTROLLED UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION//BASIC	Date/Time: 03/02/20 1900

AIR OPERATIONS SUMMARY ICS-220						Time Prepared 1800	Date Prepared Thursday, August 17, 2023	Prepared By Staci Dickson														
Incident Name / Number RIDGE FIRE / MT-FNF-000518		Sunrise 6:32	Startup 7:02	Cutoff 20:17	Sunset 20:47	Shutdown 21:17	Operational Period - Date Friday August 18, 2023		Operational Period - Time 0700-1800													
General Remarks, Safety Notes, Hazards, Air Operations Special Equipment, etc. Backcountry Air Traffic Freq 122.9 Be deliberate with mission objectives and exercise patience with expectations regarding aircraft use, emphasize missions/tactics with the best probability of success. Most Aircraft listed below are prepositioned in the area and may be available as needed. After August 15, all federal aircraft will cease tactical operations by sunset. Ferry flights allowed for 30 minutes after sunset. This is due to reduced visibility caused by topography.						Helibase Information Name Ridge Latitude 48 27.734N Longitude 113 59.416W Name Latitude Longitude (use page 2 if needed)		TFR Information NOTAM Ridge 3/6587 Polygon: NM Altitude: 10,000 MSL Frequency 126.825 NOTAM Tin Soldier 3/8173 Altitude: 12,000 MSL Frequency 127.2500 http://tfr.faa.gov/tfr2/list.html		Rescue Ship Information <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Hoist</th> <th>Short Haul</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Name Two Bear</td> <td>CMH ShortHaul</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Phone -911</td> <td>Dispatch</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Make/Model Bell 429</td> <td>H-125</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Location GPI</td> <td>S27</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Request Procedure for These Aircraft: Incident Communications See Medical Plan For Additional Info			Hoist	Short Haul	Name Two Bear	CMH ShortHaul	Phone -911	Dispatch	Make/Model Bell 429	H-125	Location GPI	S27
Hoist	Short Haul																					
Name Two Bear	CMH ShortHaul																					
Phone -911	Dispatch																					
Make/Model Bell 429	H-125																					
Location GPI	S27																					
Frequencies	TX	Tone	RX	Tone	AM / FM	Position	Name	Phone	Trainee	Phone												
Ridge Command	168.0750	(T3) 131.8	170.4250	(T3) 131.8	FM	AOBD	Staci Dickson	530-277-5153														
Ridge Primary A/G	173.8375	(T2) 123.0	173.8375	0.0000	FM	ASGS	Rita Clipperton	530-575-9906	Roger Caballero	530-277-6804												
Ridge Secondary A/G	171.8250		171.8250		FM	HEBM																
Ridge TFR	126.8250		126.8250		AM	HMGB 4BH	Angie Bealka	218-290-7252	Caitlin Marquez	805-260-1408												
Ridge RW A/A	132.1500		132.1500		AM	HMGB 4CK	Rex Sundstrom	530-559-3370														
Tin Soldier Command (S)	164.3875	(T7) 167.9	173.1875	(T7) 167.9	FM	UAS Mngr	Nate Harrison	406-897-3037														
Tin Soldier A/G	169.2625		169.2625		FM	ATGS/HLCO	Jay Walter Ridge	(623) 696-8532														
Tin Soldier TFR	127.2500		127.2500		AM	ATGS	Matt Counts Tin Soldier	406-270-7437														
Medical A/G	155.3400	156.7 (6)	155.3400		FM	HLCO	Luke Abell	808-345-6979														
AIRGUARD - Emergency Only	168.6250	110.9 (1)	168.6250		FM																	
HELICOPTERS																						
FAA #	Type	Make/Model	Helibase	Avail	Start	Remarks	FAA #	Type	Make/Model	Helibase	Avail	Start	Remarks									
234BH	3	AS 350 B3	Ridge		0800	Assigned Short Haul																
624CK	1	S61A	GPI		0800	On Loan Tanked	9125M	1	CH54B	S27		0800	Tanked									
							950CH	1	CH47D	GPI		0800	Tanked									
							17FH	1	UH60A	HHH		0800	Bucketed									
47KT	HLCO-319	Bell 407	GPI		0800	Tin Soldier/A	301HP	2	UH1H	HHH		0800	Tanked									
							114NS	3	AS 350 B3	HHH		0800	EU Forest Ship									
							350HQ	3	H-125	S27		0800	Short Haul									
FIXED WING						UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS																
FAA #	Type	Make/Model	Base	Avail	Start	Remarks	FAA #	Type	Model	Call Sign	Avail	Start	Remarks									
281		CL-415BAE	GPI		900	Scooper	FA3LMKR939	T-3		UR-31		Varies										
282		CL-415BAE	GPI		900	Scooper																
N76WA	AA-104	AeroCmdr	GPI		800	Tin Soldier																
Notes: What was considered the first operational air tanker? When did it first fly?																						

Ridge / Tin Soldier Fire – Safety Message

INCIDENT #MT-FNF-000518

DATE: 8/18/2023 TIME: 0600-1800 Day Shift

Situational Awareness

In the wildland fire environment, "SA" is a requirement

- Driving: Maintain safe driving practices
- Trees: Gravity always wins. Look up, down and around
- Steep Terrain: Look for rolling material
- Fatigue: Monitor your health and that of those around you
- Concentrate: Stay focused on the task at hand
- Communications: Be clear, be concise, be accurate
- Smoke: Recognize the effects of long-term smoke exposure and mitigate

General Safety Concerns

- Driving – Narrow dusty roads, others driving faster than we do... HEADS UP!
- New Resources – Conduct more specific briefings on potential fire behavior.
- Hazardous Conditions – Use all available assessment tools; Heads up for fire behavior, Ensure LCES is in place; Take extra time to ensure it is safe to engage! Use extra caution all the time.
- All trees can be dangerous – They don't have to be leaning, dead, burned or gnarly. Perform adequate assessments and minimize exposure to risk around all trees.
- Line Construction – Use all of the safety protocols concerning line construction. Watch the spacing, footing and other firefighters down slope.

End of assignment watch outs

- Not mentally engaged in the task at hand
- Your driver is driving faster than when you got here
- Not giving good, thorough briefings
- Your hardhat and web gear are still on the truck
- Assuming all is good because you worked this piece of ground yesterday
- All the conversations are about what you are going to do when you get home
- You and your folks are tripping and stumbling more than usual
- It is taking you longer to get out of camp and out to the line
- No AAR after each shift

Factors that contribute to fatigue

- Carbon Monoxide
- Dehydration
- Heat Stress
- Poor fitness level can reduce resistance to fatigue.
- 24 hours awake affects your decision-making capability like .10 blood alcohol content


Prepared by:

CIIMT 4 Safety Group



INCIDENT RISK ANALYSIS

ICS (215A) DAY SHIFT

BR/DV	HAZARDOUS ACTIONS – CONDITIONS	MITIGATIONS – WARNINGS – REMEDIES
ALL	WEATHER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain continuous Situational Awareness based on the fire environment, observed fire behavior, hazards, and incident objectives. Take weather throughout the shift to get timely and accurate information. Is what we predicted what you are observing? Request spot weather forecasts if you notice a notable change in the weather. Communicate any weather changes with your crew and adjacent resources.
ALL	FIRE BEHAVIOR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Are you seeing what we have predicted? Conduct thorough assessments before starting work. Ensure LCES is in place. Plan & communicate your exit strategy with your crew and adjacent resources. Provide additional briefing for new resources and maintain communications.
ALL	HEAT RELATED ILLNESS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Progress work levels gradually. Monitor fluid intake especially if work duration is long, hot and intense. Monitor signs of heat exhaustion (excessive sweating, nausea, headache, vomiting, muscle cramps, rapid breathing) and seek medical treatment when warranted.
ALL	TRAFFIC HAZARDS AND DRIVING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take extra precautions when entering or exiting the roadways. Maintain high visibility when in the operational area and use warning lights when working on roads or traveling in smoke. Many roads are narrow and mid-slope, with soft shoulders. Allow heavy vehicles to pass on the uphill side. Use spotters when backing or turning around. Be alert for wildlife. Dusk to dawn poses the greatest potential for accidents. Be aware of and take precautions around logging truck traffic.
ALL	STEEP TERRAIN & ROLLING DEBRIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain 8'-10' spacing when working & walking. Do not work above any personnel. Evaluate the necessity to send personnel into areas with limited access.
ALL	HAZARD / DANGER TREES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow Hazard Tree Safety Guidelines (IRPG p.20) Limit the number of personnel around snags and their exposure time. Fallers must be qualified for the trees being felled. Be alert around hazard trees during wind events, even green trees. The hazard zone extends a minimum of 2½ tree lengths. Avoid parking vehicles or taking breaks under or near hazard trees.
ALL	DIRECT/ INDIRECT FIRELINE CONSTRUCTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish and maintain LCES. Utilize favorable locations when constructing control features; i.e. lighter fuels, natural or existing barriers, and ridgelines. Watch out if there is unburned fuel between you and the fire. Monitor weather conditions and fire behavior.
ALL	HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure communications are established with operators. Use hand signals if other communications are unavailable. Maintain a 50'-100' exclusion area around equipment. Use road guards as needed to control traffic.
ALL	MOP UP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish LCES. Maintain 8-10 foot spacing when working with tools. Wear proper PPE. Use caution around stump holes. Identify and mitigate snags and hazardous fire weakened trees.
ALL	AVIATION OPERATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct thorough mission assessments before starting work. Follow the guidelines in the SHO and other aviation guidelines and reference materials. Ensure coordination and communication are in place and understood by all resources involved in the mission. Ensure close coordination between Air Attack, air tankers, helicopters, and ground resources.
ALL	COMMUNICATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share your Situational Awareness (hazards, changes, etc.) with those who also have a need. Answer questions and/or ask for intel when you do not know the plan. Ensure all personnel are familiar with the incident and IA communications plans.
ALL	WILDLIFE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High concentration of wildlife in the area. Backhaul garbage from drop points. Do not keep food inside your tent. Do not feed bears or other wild animals. Never approach bears or cubs. If encountering a bear, make noise, travel in a group and keep members together. Do not surprise the bear. DO NOT RUN!
<p>INCIDENT NAME: RIDGE / TIN SOLDIER FIRE</p>		<p>OPERATIONAL PERIOD: 0600 – 1800 AUGUST 18, 2023 Date/Time Prepared: 08/17/2023 – 1430</p> 



NOTICE



You're in Bear Country

- DO NOT bring food, toiletries, or scented items into your tent.
- Sleep at least 100 yards away from the kitchen/food prep area.
- Secure food attractants properly in a bear resistant bin or in a secured building.
- Stay alert and look for bear activity, especially where visibility or hearing is limited (thick vegetation, streams).
- Make noise whenever possible to avoid surprising a bear, especially where visibility or hearing is limited. The human voice is the best deterrent, be loud.
- Travel in a group and keep members together.
- Never run from a bear.
- If a bear is hanging around, alert others, and from a safe place make it leave. Yell, set off car alarms, air horns, bang pots and pans, etc.
- If you experience any type of conflict with a bear or have any questions/concerns, immediately contact Bear Specialist Justine Vallieres at (406)250-1265.



Human Resources Message

Ridge Fire

August 18, 2023

Keep Your Head in the Game

The demands expected of the people assigned to incidents are complex, different, exhausting, and exciting. No matter what our particular assignment to the incident is, there is a common expectation placed on each of us - our readiness to take on the assignment.

To maintain this readiness throughout the incident, we need to continue focusing on the objectives. We must not be distracted by detours that can take us out of the game and impact our readiness to complete the mission.



"Get on the field! Let's go! Get your heads in the game!!"

HRSP: Adam Alvarez, (707) 373-8715

Hours: 0600 – 2200

Federal Finance Message

Please use the QR code on front page of IAP to submit your time to

2023.ridge.finance@firenet.gov

Finance Phone Number: 208-867-3472

If you need assistance with electronic submission, there will be a Finance presence at briefing to assist those in need.

- FOR CTR SUBMISSION, PLEASE PUT CTR and RO# IN SUBJECT LINE OF EMAIL.
- FOR SHIFT TICKETS, PLEASE PUT ST AND RO# IN SUBJECT LINE OF EMAIL.
- IF TURNING IN FINAL CTR OR SHIFT TICKET, PLEASE ALSO PUT FINAL IN SUBJECT LINE.
- PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO TURN IN ALL CTR's AND SHIFT TICKETS DAILY.
- PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR RESOURCE ORDER # ON ALL DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED, INCLUDING RECEIPTS.
- AUTO RESPONSE IS SET UP TO LET YOU KNOW THAT DOCUMENTS WERE RECEIVED.
- FOR DEMOB: Finance will email the Draft OF-288 or OF-286 to employee for their review and approval. If everything is correct, Finance will reply with FINAL OF-288/OF-286.
- CONTRACTORS: Be sure to get Performance Evaluation before demobilization.

FINANCE CHECK IN:

- PLEASE ENSURE THE BELOW DOCUMENTS ARE EMAILED TO FINANCE WITH RESOURCE ORDER NUMBER NOTED:

Agency Equipment/Crews:	Overhead:	Contract Equipment/Contract Crews:	Cooperator:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manifest • Resource Order • CTR's 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource Order • AD Hire Form (If an AD) • CTR's 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agreement/Manifest • Resource Order • Shift Ticket • Inspection Forms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cooperative Agreement • Resource Order • Shift Ticket • Inspection Forms



Trainee Check-In

TRAINING MESSAGE



Post Incident Eval

TOPIC: WRITING EFFECTIVE PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS

- ✓ Provide **CONSTRUCTIVE FEEDBACK** for trainee and make your words valuable for the person or people responsible for reviewing the evaluation.
- ✓ Describe what the trainee did on the assignment to justify their rating. **PAINT THE PICTURE** to the reviewing officials on the complexity of the assignment!
- ✓ Be **HONEST** enough to let the trainee know what their strengths and weaknesses are, how they performed and if they met, did not meet, or exceeded your expectations.
- ✓ **DOCUMENT** what skills or tasks the trainee should work on next if recommending continuing assignments.
- ✓ If recommending certification, **BE SPECIFIC** in the performance evaluation that you are recommending them for certification.

Emil Picchi

(650)520-5102

TNSPEP@gmail.com

LINE ORDER FORM



ORDER #	DATE & TIME ORDERED Received from the Line	WHO PLACED ORDER DIVS, OPS, etc....	DELIVER to (DIV, Helispot, DP, etc.) Division, Heli-Spot, Drop Point, etc.	MODE of DELIVERY Drive, Helo, pick-up			
Order Received in Communications By:				TIME:			
Communications Relayed/Placed the Order To:				TIME:			
Order Shipped to the Line By (Name):				TIME:			
ITEM#	DESCRIPTION			AMOUNT			
1	1,000 Foot Hose Lay: Includes the following 10 lengths, 1 1/2" x 100' Hose. 10 lengths, 1" x 100' Hose. 10ea. 1 1/2" Gated Wyes 10ea. 1 1/2" to 1" Reducers. 10ea. 1" Nozzles.						
2	2,000 Foot Hose Lay: Includes the following 20 lengths, 1 1/2" x 100' Hose. 20 lengths, 1" x 100' Hose. 20ea. 1 1/2" Gated Wyes. 20ea. 1 1/2" to 1" Reducers. 20ea. 1" Nozzles.						
3	3,000 Foot Hose Lay: Includes the following 30 lengths, 1 1/2" x 100' Hose. 30 lengths, 1" x 100' Hose. 30ea. 1 1/2" Gated Wyes. 30ea. 1 1/2" to 1" Reducers. 30ea. 1" Nozzles.						
ITEM#	REQUESTED ITEM	NFES#	AMOUNT	ITEM#	REQUESTED ITEM	NFES#	AMOUNT
4	Backpack Pump, 5 gallon	1149		26	Batteries, "AA", (package)	0030	
5	Foam, 5 gallon	1145		27	Gasoline, Unleaded (gallon)		
6	Hose, 3/4 inch, 50 ft. length	1016		28	Oil, 2 Cycle Mix (quart)	0341	
7	Hose, 1 inch, 100 ft. length	0966		29	Diesel, straight (gallon)		
8	Hose, 1 1/2 inch, 100 ft. length	0967		30	Oil, Bar & Chain (gallon)	1880	
9	Increaser, 3/4" to 1"	2235		31	Fusees (box)	0105	
10	Increaser, 1" to 1 1/2"	0416		32	Torch, Drip Torch ea.	0241	
11	Nozzle, Garden 3/4 inch	0136		33	Mix, Drip Torch 3-1, 5 gal.		
12	Nozzle, Forester, 1"	0024		34	Flagging, Ribbon, Color/Roll		
13	Nozzle, KK Type, 1"	1081		35	Washcloth, Waterless	0206	
14	Nozzle, KK Type, 1 1/2"	1082		36	Water, Cubi, 5 gallon ea.	0048	
15	Reducer, 1" to 3/4"	0733		37	Water, Bottled, (case)		
16	Reducer, 1 1/2" to 1"	0010		38	Sports Drink, Gatorade (case)		
17	Tee, Hoseline, 1"x1"x 3/4"	1809		39	Food, MRE's (12 per Box)	1842	
18	Tee, Hoseline, 1"x1"x 1"	2240		40	Pump Kit, High Pressure	0870	
19	Tee, Hoseline, 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" x 1"	0230		41	Pump, High Pressure	0148	
20	Wye, Gated, 3/4" inch	0904		42	Pump Kit, Light Weight	0670	
21	Wye, Gated, 1"	0259		43	Sprinkler Kit	1048	
22	Wye, Gated, 1 1/2"	0231		44	Pump Kit, Volume	6041	
23	Tank, Collapsible. Capacity Gallons?			45	Mop-Up Kit	0772	
24	Tank, Folding/Frame. Capacity??			46	Fuel (gas/diesel/mix)		
25	Wrap, Structure (roll)	0881					

Date and Time Needed: _____ Point of Contact at Delivery Location: _____

OTHER / NOTES:

Ridge Fire

Incident Replacement Process

Try not to break or lose your toys but in the event... Submit your paperwork early!

This process is based on Region 1 USFS Incident Operating Guidelines

- Request for incident replacement must be documented on a 213 AND_OF-289.
- Must have all required signatures.
- Submit paperwork to SPUL and COMP for review.
- ORDM will send request to expanded dispatch for S#.
- Upon approval by the Incident Business Advisor the S# will be emailed.
- EXPECT at least 48-72 hours for response!

Please note:

Replacement shall not be authorized using incident funds for loss or damage from normal wear and tear.

PROPERTY LOSS OR DAMAGE REPORT Fire Suppression		1. Crew Name or No. (O#, A#, E# or C#)	2. ID NO (Form OF-289) NOT APPLICABLE
		3. ISSUED TO <i>(List: Individual Name, Home Unit Name, Home Unit Address, Email and Telephone Numbers – Fax, Cell, Work, etc.)</i>	
4. ISSUING OFFICE OR CAMP NAME <i>(Name of Incident Agency and the Incident Number)</i>			
5. FIRE NAME	6. FIRE NO. <i>(Fire Account Code)</i>	7. TYPE EMPLOYEE <i>(Mark one with "X")</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Govt <input type="checkbox"/> Casual Firefighter/AD <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
8. DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY LOST OR DAMAGED <i>(Include Property/Serial No. if applicable. Include approximate year of or age of equipment.)</i>			QUANTITY
a.			
b.			
c.			
9. Employee report on circumstances of loss or damaged to property listed: <i>(Be specific – date, place, division on fire; be descriptive of damage, loss, HOW DID THE FIRE CAUSE THE DAMAGE, etc.)</i>			
10. SIGNATURE			11. DATE
12. Witness report: <i>(Be specific –date, place, division on fire; be descriptive of damage, loss, HOW DID THE FIRE CAUSE THE DAMAGE what did you see, etc.)</i>			
13. SIGNATURE			14. DATE
15. Fire Boss or Property Control Officer comments regarding loss or damage: Do not complete this section, see next page.			
16. SIGNATURE	17. TITLE	18. DATE	

Requestor Name: _____

Resource Order#: _____

Incident Supervisor:

Comments:

Name and Position: _____

Contact Phone and Email: _____

Do Not Recommend Recommended

Signature & Date: _____

Subject Matter Expert:

Supply Ground Support Communications Computer Specialist Other: _____

Comments:

Name and Position: _____

Contact Phone and Email: _____

Do Not Recommend Recommended

Signature & Date: _____

Incident Agency Representative:

(Agency Administrator, IBA, Finance Section Chief, Admin Representative, etc.)

Decision:

Do Not Approve Approved

Approved with the following contingencies:

Comments:

Name and Title: _____ Signature & Date: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Supply Unit:

Sent to dispatch on: (date) _____

Resource Order(s) Assigned: **S**- _____



PUBLIC INFORMATION



FIRE INFORMATION CONTACT – Please direct any public or media inquiries to the Information Center at: **406-998-6074** (staffed from 0800-1930) or ***2023.ridge@firenet.gov***

Please email/text your photos to: **406-998-6074** or ***2023.ridge@firenet.gov***

Remember we are all an Information Officer – here is some helpful tips:

Fire Information is Everyone’s Job

Notify chain of command and incident Public Information/ Affairs Officer (PIO/PAO) if media arrives unescorted. Provide for their safety until an escort arrives.

Media Interviews:

- Develop and deliver key factual messages; anticipate tough questions.
- Give simple answers (10-20 sec.) and avoid using jargon or acronyms.
- Stick to *your* knowledge and avoid speaking for other incident personnel.
- Never speak off the record, exaggerate, or try to be cute or funny.
- Keep quiet in between questions; if you misspeak, ask to start again.
- Be personable, professional, and presentable (remove sunglasses and hat).
- Conclude with a safety or wildfire prevention message.

Social Media – PAUSE Before Posting:

- PERCEPTION – You are representing the jurisdictional agency and your home unit.
- AUTHORITY – Be aware of federal and host agency social media policies.
- UNDERSTANDING – Know the incident objectives. Never post negative, controversial, or unsafe messages to personal accounts. Ask a PIO/PAO or supervisor for clarification.
- SAFETY – Do not compromise your safety while taking photos and always wear proper PPE. Never post photos of children, inmates, investigations, or cultural sites; be sensitive to burned structures and private information.
- EXPECTATION – Share relevant content or photos with PIOs/PAOs to help tell the incident story.

IRPG – Other References (White)

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Shower Hours

0500-1100

1400-2200

Breakfast

0530-0830

Dinner

1800-2130

JOKE OF THE WEEK:

Time flies like an arrow. Fruit flies like a banana.

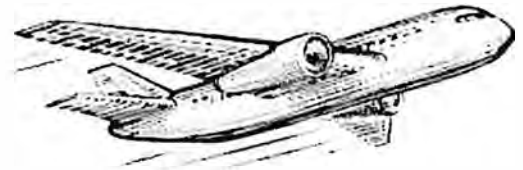
RIDGE FIRE DEMOB MESSAGE

TENTATIVE RELEASE FOR 8/18/23

O-48 READ DAVID WRIGHT
 O-15 PIO3(T) NICHOLAS ARNETT
 O-10 DIVS CARRIE THALER

TENTATIVE RELEASE FOR 8/19/23

E-21 FELB TAMARACK TIMBER
 E-50 HETF TOUGH GO LOGGING
 O-15 FMOD DRAGONHEAD
 O-24 TFLD CLIFFORD REYNOLDS
 O-49 SECM LARRY ARNOLD



**To request a flight:
 Submit your
 information at least 72
 hours in advance**

FLIGHT REQUEST FORM

Request Order #	
Name as shown on photo ID	
Date of Birth	
Cell Phone	
Male or Female	
Email Address	
Last Work Date	
Flight Date	
Departure Airport Code	
Arrival Airport Code	
Rental Location	
Need ride to airport?	

DEMOB IS LOCATED AT RIVER RANCH ICP

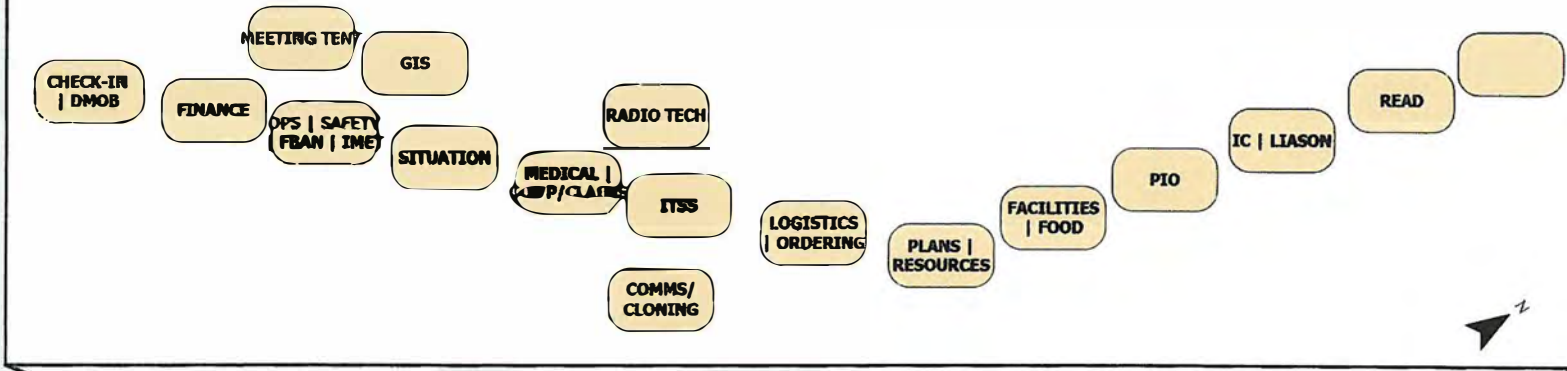
Resources approved for release will report to the Demob Unit to receive a checkout form. The crew leader or single resource will obtain required signatures after turning in any accountable equipment or supplies, vehicle inspections if required, completing any required documentation, and closing out with the Finance Section.

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 805-699-6845
 2023.ridge.demob@firenet.gov

VEHICLE INSPECTIONS:
 WEED WASH:
 Located at KOA Staging
 251 Halfmoon Flats Rd., West Glacier, MT



Incident Management Team Unit Locations

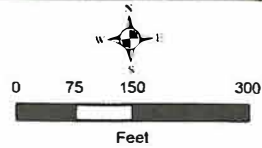


ICP MAP
Ridge

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- DO NOT ENTER
- CLERICAL
- FUEL
- KITCHEN
- LUNCHES/ICE/WATER
- SHOWER
- SUPPLY
- SECURITY
- IMT WORK SPACES
- IMT WORK AREAS
- BRIEFING AREA
- CAMPING AREAS
- PARKING
- NO PARKING





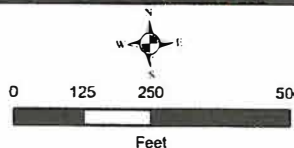
HALFMOON CAMP

Ridge

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-  GROUND SUPPORT
-  HEAVY EQUIPMENT STAGING
-  HELIBASE
-  WEED WASH
-  DO NOT ENTER
-  HEAVY EQUIPMENT STAGING
-  HELIBASE



1. Incident Name	2. Operational Period
Ridge Fire Medical Plan	Date/Time: 8/18/2023 (0600-1800)

3. Medical Aid Stations / Ambulance Services / REMS			
Name	Location	Contact	Advanced Life Support (ALS) Yes No
Three Rivers EMS	31 7 th Street W, Columbia Falls, MT	911 OR (406)-892-4244	X
Kalispell Fire Ambulance	Div A DP 18	Incident Dispatch / Communications	X
Wilderness Medics Ambulance	Div M DP 7	Incident Dispatch / Communications	X

4. Air Rescue / Air Ambulance Services		
Name	Location	Type of Aircraft & Capability
ALERT-1	Kalispell, MT	Bell 407 CCT Medical Transport
Two Bear Air Rescue	Kalispell, MT	Bell 429 Rescue / Hoist NVG
350 HQ	Available Through Incident Dispatch	H-125 Short-haul
Trinity Air Ambulance	Missoula, MT	Learjet 35, Fixed Wing CCT Medical Transport

5. Hospitals (all times estimated from incident location)								
Name & Trauma Level	GPS Datum – WGS 84 Degrees Decimal Minutes		Travel Time (From ICP)		Phone	Helipad		Address
			Air	Gnd		Yes	No	
Logan Health Whitefish Level 4	Lat: N 48° 22.51'	W 114° 19.56'	7 MINS	19 MINS	406-863-3500	X		1600 Hospital Way, Whitefish, MT
	Long:							
Logan Health Kalispell Level 3	Lat: N 48° 22.84'	W 114° 19.88'	10 MINS	33 MINS	406-752-5111	X		310 Sunnyview Ln, Kalispell, MT
	Long:							
St Patrick's Med. Center Level 2	Lat: N 113° 59.96'	W 122° 19.39'	45 MINS	2.5 HRS	406-543-7271	X		500 W. Broadway Missoula, MT
	Long:							
Harbor View Medical Regional Burn Ctr./ Level 1	Lat: N 47° 36.24'	W 122° 19.39'	1.5 HRS	N/A	206-744-3140	X		50 Medical Dr. North Seattle, WA
	Long:							

6. Division / Crew Emergency Pre-Plan	<i>Update and discuss with assigned resources daily.</i>
Fireline EMT / Medic's Division / Branch Location	
Air Hoist site location site: Lat: / Long: / Elevation:	
Helispot: Lat: / Long: / Elevation: MED LZ:	

7. Prepared By (Medical Unit Leader)	8. Date/Time	9. Reviewed By (Safety Officer)	10. Date/Time
MEDL Eric Williams / Jeff Brooks / Sam Crenshaw (T)	8/17/2023 1600	SOF1 Mike	8/17/2023 1600

FOR A **NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENT**: WORK THROUGH CHAIN OF COMMAND TO REPORT AND TRANSPORT INJURED PERSONNEL AS NECESSARY.

FOR A **MEDICAL EMERGENCY**: IDENTIFY ON SCENE INCIDENT COMMANDER BY NAME AND POSITION AND ANNOUNCE "**MEDICAL EMERGENCY**" TO INITIATE RESPONSE FROM COMMUNICATIONS

Use the following items to communicate situation to communications/dispatch.

1. CONTACT COMMUNICATIONS / DISPATCH (Verify correct frequency prior to starting report)
Ex: "Communications, Div. Alpha. Stand-by for Emergency Traffic."

2. INCIDENT STATUS: *Provide incident summary (including number of patients) and command structure.*
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 Incident, IC is TFLD Jones. EMT Smith is providing medical care."

Severity of Emergency AND Transport Priority (priority 1, 2, 3)	<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° - 3° 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° - 3° 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>
Transport 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>
Crew Patient Care		<i>Name of Care Provider (Ex: EMT Smith)</i>

3. INITIAL PATIENT ASSESSMENT: *Complete this section for each patient as applicable (start with the most severe patient)*

Patient Assessment: (IRPG PAGE 106)	Age:	Weight:	Chief Complaint:
Skin Signs: (color/moisture/temp)	Level of Consciousness:	BP:	HR: Respirations:
Treatment:			

4. TRANSPORT PLAN:

Evacuation Location (*drop point, intersection, helispot, Lat. / Long, hazards*) Patient's ETA to Location:

5. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES / EQUIPMENT NEEDS:

Paramedic / EMT - Crews - Immobilization Devices - AED - Oxygen - Trauma Bag - IV/Fluid(s) - Splints - Rope rescue - Wheeled litter - HAZMAT - Extrication

6. COMMUNICATIONS: Identify State Air/Ground EMS Frequencies and Hospital Contacts as applicable

Function	Channel Name/Number	Receive (RX)	Tone/NAC *	Transmit (TX)	Tone/NAC *
COMMAND					
AIR-TO-GRND					
TACTICAL					

7. CONTINGENCY: Considerations: *If primary options fail, what actions can be implemented in conjunction with primary evacuation method?
 Be thinking ahead.*

8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: *Updates/Changes, etc.*

REMEMBER: Confirm ETA's of resources ordered. Act according to your level of training
 Be Alert - Keep Calm - Think Clearly - Act Decisively

*** Follow up with MEDL upon return to ICP ***



UNIT LOG (ICS 214)

1. Incident Name:
RIDGE FIRE

2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/18/23 Date To: 8/19/23
Time From: 0600 Time To: 1800

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:

