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Hwy 200 Complex  
MT-LNF-001811

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**Highway 200 Complex – North Operations Management Action Points (MAPs) and Alternative Actions**

September 8, 2017

Management Action Points (MAPs) are geographical locations located on a map that assist in deciding alternatives once the location has been reached by a fire. Depending on the fire behavior at the time and the time of day, the anticipated weather and fire behavior expected, and the time required to protect the population or resource, recommended alternatives will be used to facilitate decisions on road closures, check points, warnings, evacuations or implementation of structure protection strategies.

These recommendations are not absolutes and can and should be adjusted to fit the changing environment.

**CURRENT STATUS OF EVACUATION AREAS:** Areas A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, and Thompson Falls South are under a recommended Warning or Pre-Evacuation status. There are no evacuations currently in North Operations as of 9/8/17.

**MAP 51 Alternatives (Saw Creek drainage to road):** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, a recommendation to Evacuate Area A may be initiated by the IMT to the Sheriff.

**MAP 52 Alternatives (Fallus ridge to Thompson Peak):** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, a recommendation to Evacuate Areas A and B may be initiated by the IMT to the Sheriff.

**MAP 53 Alternatives (Thompson Peak to 301 road):** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, a recommendation to Evacuate Areas C and D may be initiated by the IMT to the Sheriff. Areas A & B may also fall under this if they haven't been previously evacuated.

**MAP 54 Alternatives (South Edge of Cub fire progression half way down slope into North Fork of Clear Creek):** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, if the South end of Cub fire reaches MAP 54, any firefighters working on Upper Clear fire will move to a Defensive strategy and leave the fire for a safe area.

**MAP 55 Alternatives:** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, a recommendation to Evacuate residents of the Cherry Creek Area south of Highway 200 on the south side of Thompson Falls and Area I may be initiated by the IMT to the Sheriff.

**MAP 56 Alternatives:** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, a recommendation to Evacuate Areas A, B, and E may be initiated by the IMT to the Sheriff.

**MAP 57 Alternatives (Reader fire movement):** Depending on the fire behavior and anticipated weather, any large fire growth of the Reader fires may initiate a recommendation to Evacuate Areas C, D, and A by the IMT to the Sheriff.

**MAP 58** When fire advances downslope within approximately 0.25 miles of dozer control line escalate pre-evacuation notice to mandatory evacuation notice in Evacuation Area F, G, and H.

**MAP 60** When fire is established on the south slope up to Round Top Mountain evaluate the need to issue pre-evacuation notices in the Thompson Falls rural area.

**MAP 61** When fire gets established on south slope of Graves Creek consider escalating the pre-evacuation notices to mandatory for the Evacuation Area H and others to the south along Blue Slide road.

**MAP 62** When fire gets established on the north side of Deep Creek issue pre-evacuation notices to the Evacuation Area F.

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