

# CALIFORNIA WILDLAND FIRE COORDINATING GROUP



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To: California Federal Incident Commanders and Incident Management Team Members

From: California Wildland Fire Coordinating Group (CWCG)

Subject: 2015 California Interagency Incident Management Team Workshop

The 2015 California Interagency Incident Management Team (IMT) Workshop will be held April 21 -23, 2015 at the Wildland Fire Training Center (WFTC) in McClellan Park, CA. The meeting on Tuesday April 21 will begin at 1300 hours and run 0900-1700 on Wednesday-Thursday April 22-23. On-site check-in will be available at WFTC as follows:

**Tuesday April 21; 1300-1700**

**Wednesday April 22; 0900-1700**

**Thursday April 23; 0800-1200**

This three day workshop will provide members of the IMT's an opportunity to become updated on new policies and information; network with functional area counterparts from other teams; and build individual team cohesion. The general informational session has been scheduled for day 1 and the morning of day 2. Day 2 will begin with Keynote speaker, pilot/astronaut and author, Colonel Mike Mullane. The remainder of the second day will be devoted to functional breakouts. As has been the tradition in the past, Thursday April 23 has been set aside for your individual team meetings with a room assigned to each team. Please see the attached agenda for additional information.

On day 1 and day 2, teams are limited to 22 personnel each for the general session and the functional breakouts. All team members are invited to the individual team meetings on day 3.

The on-line registration is located at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r5/fire-aviation/incidentinformation/?cid=stelprdb5415173>. Additionally, all attendees will need to check- in when they arrive. A room will be reserved for the check-in process.

There will also be a Wildland Firefighter Foundation Fundraiser held on Wednesday April 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Lion's Gate Hotel, please consider supporting this event. Fundraiser information can be found at: [http://wffoundation.org/mf-gig-calendar-page/?event\\_id=1](http://wffoundation.org/mf-gig-calendar-page/?event_id=1)

There are numerous lodging facilities within the vicinity of the WFTC. Blocks of hotel rooms have not been reserved for this meeting. Individual IMTs can choose to do this on their own if they choose to stay together. Please see the WFTC website for lodging information, local maps, and other logistical information for this facility.

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r5/fire-aviation/management/?cid=STELPRDB5363444>

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If you have any questions regarding this workshop, please contact your team Incident Commander or David Cooper, Incident Commander of South Central Sierra Incident Management Team and workshop coordinator, at [dcooper02@fs.fed.us](mailto:dcooper02@fs.fed.us).

Sincerely, 

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Chair, CWCG

Enclosures:  
CA IMT Workshop Agenda