



**Fremont-Winema and Modoc
National Forests
Oregon Department of Forestry**

To: Leland Hunter, Incident Commander, SCOFMP IMT 3

Subject: Delegation of Authority, Barry Point Fire

Date: August 30, 2012

Effective at 2100 Thursday August 30, 2012 you are delegated Incident Commander for overall management of the Barry Point Fire (OR-FWF-120680, ODF-982018-13) on the Lakeview Ranger District of the Fremont-Winema National Forest (FWF) and the Lake Unit of the Klamath-Lake District of Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF), and the Devils Garden District of the Modoc National Forest (MDF). This fire originated on August 5, 2012. Fire Dispatch Number for the Incident is 680.

We expect all incident management activities to be executed in accordance with the signatory Agency Administrators Leaders' Intent and the strategy that has been identified within the Wildland Fire Decision Support System (WFDSS). Plan your management of the incident within the scope of the Objectives and Courses of Action as described in WFDSS and Leaders' Intent. Please notify one of us or our staff if you see that this guidance in the WFDSS is no longer accurate or valid while you are commanding the incident. We will provide guidance and updates as needed so that our intent remains clear.

Should we be unavailable to you during your command, we will assign Rachelle Huddleston-Lorton (b) (6) as FWF representative, Dustin Gustaveson (b) (6) as the ODF representative, Dave McMaster (b) (6) as MDF representative to your Team. Mike Ramsey (b) (6) is assigned as the liaison to the Lead Resource Advisor for the (NFS) lands on the FWF, Mary Flores (b) (6) for the private and NFS lands on the MDF in California on this incident and is assigned to work directly with your team on all matters pertaining to land and resource management objectives and mitigations required by implementation of your tactics.



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We expect you to ensure that all actions and consequences have been analyzed against risk to human life and other values. You are expected to provide clear leaders' intent at all levels of your organization and use your experience and judgment and make timely and prudent decisions as to the best course of action. You are expected to maximize opportunities for success through mindful decision making and heightened situational awareness, while minimizing exposure to risk.

Initial attack will be the responsibility of the local units. You will support IA efforts as requested based upon resource availability.

The principal objectives we wish to have accomplished on this fire are:

- Implement good risk management practices in order to provide for firefighter, other responder and public safety. Use good risk analysis processes, the principles of the 10 Standard Fire Orders, LCES, and the 18 Watch-Out Situations as the foundation for risk decisions at all levels.
- Coordinate and consult with local agency safety managers.
- Implement all strategies and tactics based on fire fighter and public safety, taking into consideration sound, efficient and effective financial practices as well as appropriate land, resource management and fire management plans. You are authorized to spend funds as identified in the suppression cost objective of Wildland Fire Decision Support System (WFDSS).
- Protect private property and structures to minimize private landowner resource loss.
- Maintain containment of the fire and prevent further fire spread to minimize impact to private property and improvements by safely and aggressively suppressing fire.
- Business practices will comply with the Region 5, Region 6 Incident Business Management Guidelines, the ODF Business Practices and the local Operating Guidelines for Incident Administration.
- Costs will be tracked in accordance with the local cost share agreement (signed August 30, 2012).
- Maintain financial records and systems utilizing current program models that allow for daily apportionments by jurisdiction.
- Utilize resource advisors to minimize environmental concerns related to suppression and rehabilitation activities.
- Implement suppression rehabilitation work as identified in the turnback standards and rehabilitation plan in conjunction with the local units.
- Comply with Federal Aviation Policies on federal lands.
- Maintain and enhance the relationships with local landowners and the public.



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Additionally, all personnel assigned to the incident shall be treated with dignity and respect while providing a safe and productive work environment.

All actions should continue to implement the Thirtymile Hazard Abatement Plan, be in compliance with the National Wildland Coordinating Group (NWCG) work-rest guidelines, and follow the **Code of Conduct for Fire Suppression**.

You are directly accountable to us. The designated Forest Service Fire Management Representatives for the incident are Barry Shullanberger FWF (b) (6) or Barry Hansen FWF (b) (6) and Dave McMaster MDF (b) (6). The designated representative for the ODF is Dustin Gustaveson (b) (6). The Incident Business Advisor for the U.S. Forest Service is Nina Hardin (b) (6) and the Finance Advisor for ODF is Dave Horton (b) (6).

We expect all suppression and suppression related rehabilitation efforts will be executed in accordance with the selected strategy identified in the respective WFDSS prepared for the incident. Effective management of costs commensurate with resource values to be protected and strategic direction of the respective WFDSS alternative and in accordance with ODF policy for private lands is critical. We also request that as much purchasing as possible and practical be done through local vendors. Property accountability should demonstrate adherence to National direction on acceptable fire loss/use rates.

Fire information and media relations will be coordinated with the following Public Affairs Officers: Lisa Swinney FWF (b) (6), Suzi Johnson MDF (b) (6) and Anne Maloney, ODF (b) (6).

Your team's performance will be evaluated based on the elements above.

We wish you and your team a safe and successful assignment. You can reach us, Rick Newton FWF at (b) (6), Kimberly Anderson MDF (b) (6) and Greg Pittman at (b) (6).



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