



Briefing Paper

iRWIn (Integrated Reporting of Wildland-Fire Information) is an NWCG sponsored project to explore opportunities for developing an “end-to-end” fire reporting capability that provides an integrated and coordinated process for collecting and reporting incident/event data. Fire reporting is a key function of Wildland Fire, and can impact many other processes and systems of the Wildland Fire Enterprise. Such a capability will support a number of needs and provide benefits throughout the National Wildland Fire community including the following:

- Allow consistent reporting of data
- Reduce, if not eliminate, the duplicate entry of data
- Speed access to data located in diverse source systems
- Increase data accuracy
- Increase the availability of data and,
- Identify authoritative sources

Phase 1 of iRWIn is an initial analysis to provide alternatives and their associated cost/benefit in sufficient detail to complete a business case. The first step for this effort is to conduct a systems integration analysis for systems interconnectivity and a business process analysis related to Fire Information and the Computer Aided Dispatch component. After these analyses, we will have a better estimate as to the existing conditions, planned outcome, and resources needed for various alternatives for a potential project (Phase 2).

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