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Fire Use Position Qualifications

PRESCRIBED FIRE MANAGER TYPE 1 (RXM1)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-300 Intermediate Incident Command
	LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 AND Satisfactory position performance as a Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2

PRESCRIBED FIRE MANAGER TYPE 2 (RXM2)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-300 Intermediate Incident Command System
	LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 AND Satisfactory position performance as a Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1

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FIRE USE MANAGER 1 (FUM1)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-300 Burn Boss
S-580 Advanced Fire Use
Applications

LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a Fire
Use Manager on a wildland fire incident
used to achieve land use objectives

OR

Incident Commander Type 2

AND

Prior successful management of wildland fire
use and/or confinement strategies and
tactics,

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a Fire
Use Manager on a wildland fire incident
used to achieve land use objectives

CERTIFICATION

Certified by a qualified FUMA 1

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Moderate

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

Fire Use Manager 1 for wildland fire use or
wildland fire suppression.

Forest Service deviates from the PMS 310-1 in this position. The Forest Service and National Park Service have elected to utilize two levels of Fire Use Manager.

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

FIRE USE MANAGER 2 (FUM2)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-300 Burn Boss

LEVEL 2 S-580 Advanced Fire Use
Applications

OR

Managing Wildland Fire for
Resource Benefits (Region 1)

LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a Fire
Use Manager on a wildland fire incident
used to achieve land use objectives

OR

Incident Commander Type 3

AND

Prior successful management of wildland fire
use and/or confinement strategies and
tactics

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a Fire
Use Manager on a wildland fire incident
used to achieve land use objectives

CERTIFICATION

Certified by a qualified FUMA 2

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Moderate

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

Fire Use Manager 2 for wildland fire use or
wildland fire suppression.

Forest Service deviates from the PMS 310-1 in this position. The Forest Service and National Park Service have elected to utilize two levels of Fire Use Manager.

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PRESCRIBED FIRE PLANNER (RXPL)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-410 Smoke Management
Techniques
RX-510 Applied Fire Effects
S-490 Advanced Fire Behavior
Calculations

LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2
AND
Satisfactory performance as a Prescribed Fire
Planner

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

None

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:**

Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1
Fire Use Manager
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2

Forest Service deviates from the PMS 310-1 in the addition of this position. The Forest Service has elected to utilize the Prescribed Fire Planner position for complex burns.

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

PRESCRIBED FIRE BURN BOSS TYPE 1 (RXB1)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-410 Smoke Management
Techniques
S-490 Advanced Fire Behavior
Calculations

LEVEL 3 M-581 Fire Program Management
M-580 Fire in Ecosystem
Management
RX-510 Applied Fire Effects

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2
AND
Incident Commander Type 3
AND
Satisfactory position performance as a
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 in
representative fuel types

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Light

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:**

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2
Fire Use Manager

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

PRESCRIBED FIRE BURN BOSS TYPE 2 (RXB2)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-300 Burn Boss
S-390 Introduction to Wildland
Fire Behavior Calculations

LEVEL 2 RX-310 Introduction to Fire
Effects

OR

Successful completion of
Technical Fire Management

LEVEL 3 L-380 Fireline Leadership

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Incident Commander Type 4

AND

Satisfactory position performance as an
Ignition Specialist Type 2

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 in
representative fuel types

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Moderate

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1
Ignition Specialist Type 2
Fire Use Manager

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PRESCRIBED FIRE BURN BOSS TYPE 3 (RXB3)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 S-290 Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior

LEVEL 3 S-234 Ignition Operations

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Incident Commander, Type 5
OR

Advanced Firefighter/Squad Boss

AND

Satisfactory position performance as a
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 3

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Moderate

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:**

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2

Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1

Fire Use Manager

Forest Service deviates from the PMS 310-1 in the addition of this position.

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

LONG TERM FIRE ANALYST (LTAN)

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 RX-410 Smoke Management
Techniques
S-390 Introduction to Wildland
Fire Behavior
Calculations
S-490 Advanced Wildland Fire
Behavior Calculations
S-491 National Fire Danger
Rating System
S-492 Long Term Fire Risk
Assessment
S-493 Farsite: Fire Growth
Simulation
S-580 Advanced Fire Use
Applications
S-590 Advanced Fire Behavior
Interpretations

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Fire Behavior Analyst
AND
Satisfactory position performance as Long
Term Fire Analyst
OR
Prescribed Fire Effects Monitor
AND
Ignition Specialist Type 2
AND
Satisfactory position performance as Long
Term Fire Analyst

Desired experience in current processing
system for fire behavior calculations

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Moderate

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

None

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

IGNITION SPECIALIST TYPE 1 (RXI1)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Ignition Specialist Type 2 AND Satisfactory position performance as an Ignition Specialist Type 1 in representative fuel group(s)
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Single Resource Boss Firing Ignition Specialist Type 2

IGNITION SPECIALIST TYPE 2 (RXI2)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Single Resource Boss (any) AND Satisfactory position performance as Ignition Specialist Type 2 in representative fuel group(s) Experience in appropriate ignition devices (for example, Primo Mark 3)
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Single Resource Boss Firing

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Fire Use Position Qualifications

FIRE EFFECTS MONITOR (FEMO)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-290 Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior
	LEVEL 3 S-244 Field Observer RX-310 Introductions to Fire Effects
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Firefighter Type 2 AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fire Effects Monitor
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Field Observer

PRESCRIBED FIRE CREWMEMBER (RXCM)

<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-130 Firefighter Training S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior
	LEVEL 3 S-211 Portable Pumps and Water Use S-234 Ignition Operations
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	None
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Firefighter Type 2

Forest Service deviates from the PMS 310-1 in the addition of this position.

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25.3 - Technical Specialists Qualifications

Technical Specialists are non-standard Incident Command System positions. Each agency is tasked by the NWCG Incident Operations Working Team (IOSWT) with establishing minimum certification and qualifications standards for these positions. A listing of approved titles and mnemonics of identified technical specialists can be found on the Incident Qualifications and Certification System website: <http://iqcs.nwcg.gov/>

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Coordination and Support Position Qualifications

ASSISTANT CACHE MANAGER (ACMR)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Cache System
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Fire Cache Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management Principles LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command System
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Hazmat Certification for 49 CFR
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as Assistant Cache Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Cache Manager Supervisory Supply Technician

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AERIAL OBSERVER (AERO)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Dispatch Manager or Line Officer
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-130 Basic Firefighter S-270 Basic Air Operations A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) A-105 Aviation Life Support Equipment A-106 Aviation Mishap Reporting A-107 Aviation Policy and Regulations 1 A-109 Aviation Radio Use A-113 Crash Survival LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command System Local orientation or Developed Aerial Observer Training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as an Aerial Observer AND Incident Commander Type 5
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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Coordination and Support Position Qualifications

AIR TANKER BASE MANAGER (ATBM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-130 Basic Firefighter S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management S-270 Basic Air Operations A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) A-103 FAA NOTAM System A-105 Aviation Life Support Equipment A-106 Aviation Mishap Reporting A-107 Aviation Policy and Regulations I A-109 Aviation Radio Use A-111 Flight Payment Document A-112 Mission Planning & Flight Request Process A-113 Crash Survival A-201 Overview of Safety & Accident Prevention Program A-202 Interagency Aviation Organizations A-203 Basic Airspace

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AIR TANKER BASE MANAGER (ATBM)--CONTINUED

LEVEL 1 A-204 Aircraft Capabilities & Limitations
A-206 Aviation Acquisition and Procurement
A-211 Aviation Planning
A-301 Implementing Aviation Safety & Accident Prevention
A-302 Personal Responsibility & Liability
A-303 Human Factors in Aviation
A-305 Risk Management

LEVEL 3 Geographic Specific Intermediate Air Operations
Geographic Specific Aircraft Base Radio Operator
Geographic Specific Air Tanker Base Manager Training
I-200 Basic Incident Command System

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Satisfactory position performance as a Air Tanker Base Manager

AND

Fixed Wing Base Manager

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

Fixed Wing Base Manager

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Coordination and Support Position Qualifications

INTERAGENCY CACHE BUSINESS SYSTEM SUPPLY CLERK/TECH (CASC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Fire Cache System
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Supervisory Cache Business System Supply Clerk
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 National Interagency Cache Business System (ICBS) Training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Experience with computer applications and processing AND Satisfactory position performance as an Interagency Cache Business System Supply Clerk/Tech
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Supervisory Cache Business Supply Clerk

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SUPERVISORY SUPPLY CLERK/TECH (CAST)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Fire Cache System
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Assistant Fire Cache Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 National Interagency Cache Business System (ICBS) I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory performance as Supervisory Supply Clerk AND Interagency Cache Business Supply Clerk
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Interagency Cache Business Supply Clerk/Tech

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CACHE DEMOBILIZATION SPECIALIST (CDSP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Fire Cache System
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Fire Cache Manager and Logistics Section Chief
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation LEVEL 3 National or Regional Cache Demobilization Specialist training I-200 Basic Incident Command System
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Hazmat Certification for 49 CFR
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills include experience in receiving, accounting for and distributing supplies AND Satisfactory position performance as a Cache Demobilization Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Receiving/Distribution Manager Assistant Cache Manager

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COMMUNICATIONS COORDINATOR (COMC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Communications Duty Officer and/or Geographic Area Coordinator(s)
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Communications Duty Officer
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Communications Coordinator Course
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Communications Unit Leader AND Satisfactory position performance as a Communications Coordinator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Communications Duty Officer at NIFC Communications Unit Leader with Type 1 Team

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FIRE CACHE MANAGER (FCMG)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Fire Cache System
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Geographic Area Coordinator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command System
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Hazmat Certification for 49 CFR AND Approved by Geographic Area Cache Manager
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Experience working within the National cache system AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fire Cache Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Assistant Fire Cache Manager

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INITIAL ATTACK DISPATCHER (IADP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Local Dispatch Unit
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Dispatch Coordinator or appropriate Emergency Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 D-311 Initial Attack Dispatcher S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior S-130 Firefighter Training S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior LEVEL 3 S-200 Initial Attack Incident Commander S-215 Fire Operations in the Urban Interface *S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Support Dispatcher AND Satisfactory position performance as an Initial Attack Dispatcher
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Support Dispatcher

*As of October 2003, S-271 has not been certified by NWCG.

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INFRARED REGIONAL COORDINATOR (IRRC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Geographic Area Coordination Center
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Geographic Area Coordinator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Certified by National Infrared Interpreter Program Manager
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Infrared Interpreter AND Satisfactory position performance as an Infrared Regional Coordinator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Infrared Interpreter

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MAC GROUP COORDINATOR (MCCO)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Geographic Area Coordination Center or assigned location
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Agency Administrator(s)
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-400 Advanced Incident Command System I-401 Multi-Agency Coordination M-480 Multi-Agency Coordinating Group
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a MAC Group Coordinator AND Agency Administrator OR Geographic Area Coordinator OR MAC Group Member
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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MAC GROUP INFORMATION OFFICER (MCIF)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Geographic Area Coordination Center or assigned location
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	MAC Group Coordinator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-300 Intermediate Incident Command System I-401 Multi-Agency Coordination M-480 Multi-Agency Coordinating Group LEVEL 3 I-400 Advanced Incident Command System
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Information Officer Type 3 AND Satisfactory position performance as a MAC Group Information Officer
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Information Officer Type 3

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MIXMASTER (MXMS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Fixed Wing Base
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management S-270 Basic Air Operations A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command System
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Mixmaster
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Air Tanker Base Manager

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MATERIALS HANDLER (WHHR)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Geographic Area Cache
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Materials Handler Leader or Fire Cache Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Hazmat Certification for 49 CFR
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable to have experience working within the National Cache System AND Satisfactory position performance as a Materials Handler
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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MATERIALS HANDLER LEADER (WHLR)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Geographic Area Cache
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Fire Cache Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Materials Handler AND Satisfactory position performance as a Materials Handler Leader
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Materials Handler

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SINGLE ENGINE AIR TANKER MANAGER (SEMG)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Dispatch Coordinator/Manager, Fixed Wing Base Manager, Air Tactical Group Supervisor, etc.
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-270 Basic Air Operations OR S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
	LEVEL 3 Geographic Area Single Engine Air Tanker Manager training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	None, though dispatch or aviation experience is helpful
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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Finance/Administration Position Qualifications

ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN (ACCT)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident "Host" Unit Administrative Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	"Host" Unit Agency Administrator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management LEVEL 3 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System I-200 Basic Incident Command
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	On-the-job exposure to fire payment processing where applicable* OR Voucher Examiner Knowledge or Experience OR Unit Timekeeper
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	ADO Team Member Buying Team Member

* Requirements contained in Forest Service Handbook (FSH) 6509.13a, Assistant Disbursing Officer Handbook.

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BUYING TEAM LEADER (BUYL)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident "Host" Unit Administrative Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	"Host" Unit Agency Administrator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management LEVEL 3 National Interagency Buying Team Guide or Workshop On-the-Job Procurement Training Purchase Card and Convenience Check training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System I-200 Basic Incident Command System S-360 Procurement Unit Leader D-110 Dispatch Recorder
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Recommended by Regional Director of Acquisitions
<u>AUTHORITY:</u>	Maintain Federal warrant procurement authority, minimum of \$100,000
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Federal warrant authority for procurement
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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BUYING TEAM MEMBER (BUYM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident "Host" Unit Administrative Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Buying Team Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management LEVEL 3 National Interagency Buying Team Guide or Workshop On-the-Job Procurement Training Purchase Card and Convenience Check training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System I-200 Basic Incident Command System D-110 Dispatch Recorder S-360 Finance/Administration Unit Leader
<u>AUTHORITY:</u>	Maintain Federal warrant procurement authority
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Federal warrant authority for procurement AND Recommended by Director of Fiscal
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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INCIDENT BUSINESS ADVISOR TYPE 1 (IBA1)

ASSIGNED TO: Agency Administrator or Area Commander

SUPERVISED BY: Agency Administrator or Area Commander

TRAINING: **LEVEL 3** S-520 Advanced Incident
Management

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Familiarity with fire procurements, time
keeping and associated incident fiscal
transactions,
AND
Incident Business Advisor Type 2
AND
Experience working with complex
organizations (for example, Area
Command, Multi-agency Coordinating
Group, Unified Command, FEMA)
AND
Satisfactory position performance as an
Incident Business Advisor Type 1

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: Finance Section Chief Type 1

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INCIDENT BUSINESS ADVISOR TYPE 2 (IBA2)

ASSIGNED TO: Agency Administrator or Area Commander

SUPERVISED BY: Agency Administrator or Area Commander

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1	National Incident Business Advisor Training
LEVEL 3	I-300 Intermediate Incident Command system I-400 Advanced Incident Command System S-460 Finance/Administration Section Chief

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Experience working with Incident Management Teams, interagency cooperators, and additional support organizations during incidents (local, county, State, Federal, National Guard, Military, Tribal Government, FEMA)
AND EITHER
Multiple assignments as Type I or Type II section Chief on IMT
OR
Experience working with or within financial/business management (for example, buying teams, payment teams, cost share and other agreements, expanded dispatch) AND Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Business Advisor Type 2

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS

THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: Finance Section Chief Type 1
Finance Section Chief Type 2

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INCIDENT BUSINESS ADVISOR TYPE 3 (IBA3)

ASSIGNED TO: Agency Administrator or Area Commander

SUPERVISED BY: Agency Administrator of Area Commander

TRAINING: **LEVEL 3** I-200 Basic Incident Command System
S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management
S-261 Applied Interagency Incident Business Management Principles
S-360 Finance/Administration Unit Leader

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Working knowledge of unit and incident business management practices and standards

AND

Exposure to administrative/financial management incidents through jobs/interaction with teams, incident assignments

AND

Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Business Advisor Type 3

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: None

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CONTRACTING OFFICER (CONO)
CONTRACTING SPECIALIST, ONE MILLION (CS1M)
CONTRACTING SPECIALIST, TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (CS25)
CONTRACTING SPECIALIST, FIFTY THOUSAND (CS50)

ASSIGNED TO: Host Unit Agency Administrator
Administration Unit

SUPERVISED BY: Host Unit Agency Administrator

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-260 Interagency Incident
Business Management
S-261 Applied Interagency Incident
Business Management

LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command
System
S-360 Finance/Administration Unit
Leader

AUTHORITY: Maintain Federal warrant procurement
authority

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Current Federal warrant authority for
procurement

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: None

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PURCHASING AGENT, FIVE THOUSAND (PA05)
PURCHASING AGENT, TEN THOUSAND (PA10)
PURCHASING AGENT, TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (PA25)
PURCHASING AGENT, FIFTY THOUSAND (PA50)

ASSIGNED TO: Host Unit Agency Administrator
Administration Unit

SUPERVISED BY: Host Unit Agency Administrator

TRAINING:

LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-260 Interagency Incident
Business Management
S-261 Applied Interagency Incident
Business Management

LEVEL 3 I-200 Basic Incident Command
System
S-360 Finance/Administration Unit
Leader

AUTHORITY: Maintain Federal warrant procurement authority

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Federal warrant
AND
Familiarity/Experience with fire procurements
(Emergency Equipment Rental Agreements,
contracts, fuel and oil issues, other related
types of procurement, shift tickets, pre- and
post-inspections)

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:** None

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CONTRACTING OFFICER'S TECHNICAL REPRESENTATIVE (COTR)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Contracting Officer
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation National Contracting Officer's Technical Representative Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Attendance at the National COTR workshop AND Designated by National Contracting Officer
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are individuals who have completed Contracting Officer's Representative training. AND Satisfactory position performance as a Contracting Officer's Technical Representative
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BASIC (EMTB)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Medical Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior LEVEL 2 Completion of a DOT approved EMT-A (ambulance) or EMT-B (basic) course
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Current State certification as an EMT-A or EMT-B
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Knowledge and skills of the First Responder (uses a limited amount of equipment to perform initial assessment and intervention and is trained to assist other EMS providers) but is also qualified to function as minimum staff for an ambulance
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN INTERMEDIATE (EMTI)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Medical Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Completion of a DOT approved EMTI (Intermediate) course.
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	State Certification as an EMT1
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Knowledge and skills of the preceding levels (see EMTB); in addition can perform essential advanced techniques and administer a limited number of medications
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN PARAMEDIC (EMTP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Medical Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Department of Transportation Emergency Paramedic course (700 hours, requiring 488 hours experience at clinical and internship levels)
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	State Certification as an EMTP
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Demonstrated competencies at a Level 3 provider, can administer additional interventions and medications (i.e. at the scene of a cardiac arrest, the EMT Paramedic might administer second line ACLS medications and use an external pacemaker)
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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EQUIPMENT INSPECTOR (EQPI)

ASSIGNED TO: Incident Logistics Functional Area

SUPERVISED BY: Equipment Manager

TRAINING: **LEVEL 1** I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-110 Basic Wildland Fire
Suppression Orientation

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:

Demonstrated knowledge and understanding of 49 CFR part 393, Appendix G, Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration - Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations.

AND

State or Federal training, which qualifies an individual to perform commercial motor vehicle safety inspections.

OR

Combination of training and experience totaling at least one year among the following:

- a. Truck manufacturer sponsored truck operator and maintenance course.
- b. Mechanic experience for motor carrier maintenance program.
- c. Mechanic or Inspector experience at a commercial garage, fleet leasing company, or similar facility.
- d. Experience as a commercial vehicle inspector for a State or for the Federal Government.

AND

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EQUIPMENT INSPECTOR (EQPI)--CONTINUED

For ability to perform brake inspections:

A combination of brake related experience totaling at least one year which may consist of:

- a. Participation in a training program sponsored by a brake or vehicle manufacturer or similar commercial training program designed to train students in brake maintenance or in inspection.
- b. Experience performing brake maintenance or inspections similar to brake service or inspection task in a motor carrier maintenance program.
- c. Experience performing brake maintenance or inspection similar to the assigned brake service or inspection task at a commercial garage, fleet leasing company, or similar facility.

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS

THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:

Equipment Manager

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INCIDENT MEDICAL SPECIALIST ASSISTANT (IMSA)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Incident Medical Specialist
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Geographic Area Annual Incident Medical Specialist Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Current State EMT Certification Documented Hepatitis B Vaccination
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Incident Medical Specialist Technician AND Active with an Emergency Medical Provider AND Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Medical Specialist Assistant
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Light
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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INCIDENT MEDICAL SPECIALIST MANAGER (IMSM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Medical Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Geographic Area Annual Incident Medical Specialist Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Current State EMT Certification Documented Hepatitis B Vaccination
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Incident Medical Specialist Assistant AND Active with an Emergency Medical Provider AND Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Medical Specialist Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Light
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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INCIDENT MEDICAL SPECIALIST TECHNICIAN (IMST)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Medical Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Bi-annual attendance at Geographic Area Incident Medical Specialist Training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System I-200 Basic Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Current State EMT Certification Documented Hepatitis B Vaccination
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Medical Specialist Technician
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Light
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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REMOTE AUTOMATED WEATHER STATION TECHNICIAN (RAWS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Incident Meteorologist OR Fire Behavior Analyst
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 National Approved RAWS Maintenance Training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command I-200 Basic Incident Command System S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior LEVEL 3 S-258 Communications Technician
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Remote Automated Weather Station Technician AND Proficiency with the ASCADS System and experience with RAWS and REMS equipment AND Knowledge of fire weather observation procedures and weather station location recommendations (per PMS 426-1 and 426-3 and the Fire Weather Observers' Handbook #494, 1976)

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REMOTE AUTOMATED WEATHER STATION TECHNICIAN (RAWS)--CONTINUED

**DESIRABLE EXPERIENCE &
QUALIFICATIONS:**

Class B Commercial Driver's License and
experience driving while towing a 34-foot
5th wheel trailer

AND

Qualified and experienced operating a 4X4 or
ATV vehicle

AND

Proficiency with King radios (programming,
changing settings, using repeaters, tones,
etc.)

PHYSICAL FITNESS:

Light

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:**

None

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SECURITY SPECIALIST LEVEL 1 (SEC1)*

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Security Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC) CITP or NRPT I-100 Introduction to Incident Command S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Certification as Criminal Investigator or Law Enforcement Officer
<u>AUTHORITY:</u>	Authorized and equipped to carry firearms, make arrests, serve warrants, conduct searches and seizures. Authorized to enforce federal or state laws.
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Security Specialist Level 1
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Security Manager

* AD hiring authority and procurement of private services may not be used for this position.

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SECURITY SPECIALIST LEVEL 2 (SEC2)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Logistics Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Forest Protection Officer training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Annual recertification as a Forest Protection Officer
<u>AUTHORITY:</u>	Not authorized or equipped to carry firearms, serve warrants, or conduct searches and seizures. Authority to enforce federal criminal laws and regulations.
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Security Specialist Level 2
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

* AD hiring authority and procurement of private services may not be used for this position.

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SECURITY GUARD, NOT LAW ENFORCEMENT (SECG)*

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Logistics Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Security Manager. If the Security Manager is a private contractor, contractor must provide supervisor who will provide direct supervision to contract personnel.
<u>POSITION DESCRIPTION:</u>	<p>Personnel utilized in this position shall not exercise law enforcement duties of either state or federal law, including arrest or detention of persons, nor carry weapons or other defensive equipment.</p> <p>Uniforms may be worn and marked vehicles driven, however they shall not contain the words "police" or equivalent, or contain markings of a public law enforcement or police agency.</p>
<u>TRAINING:</u>	<p>LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation Training as required within the state of the incident for peace officer status or security guard licensing as appropriate.</p>
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	<p>Licensed and in compliance with any applicable requirements for security guards within the state of the respective incident.</p> <p>Where state law allows, peace officer or law enforcement officer training or employment may meet requirements.</p>
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory performance as a Security Guard.
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

* AD hiring authority and procurement of private services may be used for this position.

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TOOL AND EQUIPMENT SPECIALIST (TESP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Logistics
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Supply Unit Leader or Equipment Manger
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Advanced Firefighter/Squad Boss AND Satisfactory position performance as a Tool and Equipment Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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AGENCY AVIATION MILITARY LIAISON (AAML)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	National Interagency Coordination Center
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	National Interagency Coordination Center Military Coordinator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable experience is military background AND EITHER Helicopter Operations Specialist OR Helicopter Pilot Inspector* AND Successful position performance as an Agency Aviation Military Liaison
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Operations Specialist Helicopter Pilot Inspector

* Requirements are contained in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

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BATTALION MILITARY LIAISON (BNML)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Incident Operations Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Operations Section Chief, Liaison to Battalion Commander
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are ability to deal with individuals from multiple organizations and prior military experience AND Operations Section Chief Type 1 AND Successful position performance as a Battalion Military Liaison
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Operations Section Chief Type 1

* Requirements are contained in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

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DOZER OPERATOR INITIAL ATTACK (DOZ1)

ASSIGNED TO: Operations Function

WHEN SUPERVISED BY A QUALIFIED DOZER BOSS:

TRAINING: **LEVEL 1** I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-130 Basic Firefighter
S-190 Basic Fire Behavior
S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior

LEVEL 2 Local dozer operations and
Maintenance training

CERTIFICATION: Dozer Operator Certification

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Dozer Operator
AND
Successful position performance as a Dozer
Operator Initial Attack

PHYSICAL FITNESS: Moderate

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: Tractor Plow Operator (I.A.)

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DOZER OPERATOR INITIAL ATTACK (DOZ1)--CONTINUED

ASSIGNED TO: Appropriate Operations Supervisor

WHEN OPERATING INDEPENDENT OF A QUALIFIED DOZER BOSS:

TRAINING: **LEVEL 1** I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-130 Basic Firefighter
S-190 Basic Fire Behavior
S-232 Dozer Boss
S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior
Local dozer operations and
Maintenance training

CERTIFICATION: Dozer Operator Certification

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Dozer Operator
AND
Successful position performance as a Dozer
Operator Initial Attack

PHYSICAL FITNESS: Moderate

**OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:** Tractor/Plow Operator

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ENGINE OPERATOR (ENOP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Single Resource Boss Engine
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 3 Geographic Area Engine Academy
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Advanced Firefighter/Squad Boss AND Satisfactory position performance as an Engine Operator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

FALLER CLASS A (FALA)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Single Resource (any)
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Basic Fire Behavior S-212 Wildfire Power Saws
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Geographic Area chainsaw certification as a Faller A
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Firefighter Type 2
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Faller Class B Faller Class C

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FALLER CLASS B (FALB)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Single Resource Boss (any)
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Geographic Area chainsaw certification as a Faller Class B
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Firefighter Type 2
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Faller Class C

FALLER CLASS C (FALC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Single Resource Boss (any)
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Geographic Area chainsaw certification as a Faller Class C
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Firefighter Type 2
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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FIRELINE EXPLOSIVES ADVISOR (FLEA)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Operations Section Chief
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Fireline Explosives and General Blaster Certification
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	General Blaster qualified with Fireline Explosives Endorsement AND Three year re-certification cycle AND Commercial Drivers License
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Fireline Blaster (minimum of 2 complex and 3 total assignments as a Fireline Blaster) AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fireline Explosives Advisor
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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FIRELINE BLASTER (FLEB)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Fireline Explosives Advisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Fireline Explosives and General Blaster Certification
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	General Blaster qualified with Fireline Explosives endorsement AND Three year re-certification cycle AND Three active or dry firings per year AND Commercial Drivers License
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Fireline Explosives Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fireline Blaster
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Fireline Explosives Advisor

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FIRELINE EXPLOSIVES CREWMEMBER (FLEC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Fireline Blaster
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Fireline Explosives
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Three year re-certification cycle AND Three active or dry firings per year
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Fireline Explosives Crewmember
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Fireline Explosives Advisor Fireline Blaster

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FIXED WING BASE MANAGER (FWBM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Fixed Wing Base
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-270 Basic Air Operations LEVEL 3 Geographic Area Fixed Wing Base Manager training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Fixed Wing Parking Tender AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fixed Wing Base Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Air Tanker Base Manager

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FIXED WING PARKING TENDER (FWPT)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Fixed Wing Base
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Local orientation of ramp management I-200 Basic Incident Command System S-270 Basic Air Operations LEVEL 3 A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) A-107 Aviation Policy and Regulations 1
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are those acquired by individuals who have worked at fixed or rotor wing bases (smokejumpers, helicopter crewmembers, etc.) AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fixed Wing Parking Tender
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Fixed Wing Base Manager

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HELICOPTER LONG LINE/REMOTE HOOK SPECIALIST (HELRL)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-270 Basic Air Operations AND Geographic Area Approved Long Line Certification Training Program OR S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Certification for Long Line/Remote Hook-up Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are having worked around rotor wing aircraft (i.e., Helicopter Crewmember) AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helicopter Long Line/Remote Hook Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember

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HELICOPTER RAPPEL SPOTTER (HERS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved annually by Regional Helicopter Operations Specialist Complete at least 20 minimum helicopter rappels, four of those being operational.
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Two seasons of rappel experience AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helicopter Rappel Spotter OR Helicopter Manager AND One season of rappel experience AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helicopter Rappel Spotter
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

* Requirements are contained in the Interagency Helicopter Rappel Guide.

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HELICOPTER RAPPELLER (HRAP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Helicopter Rappel Spotter or Helicopter Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Geographic Area Rappel Training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Helicopter Rappeller
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Rappel Spotter

* Requirements are contained in the Interagency Helicopter Rappel Guide.

HELISPOT MANAGER (HESM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Division/Group Supervisor or Helibase Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helispot Manager AND Advanced Firefighter/Squad Boss
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Manager

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HELITORCH MANAGER (HTMG)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Air Support Group Supervisor or appropriate Aviation Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	Level 1 Training in the appropriate ignition devices
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved annually by Regional Helicopter Operations Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helibase Manager Type 2 AND Helitorch Mixmaster AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helitorch Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helitorch Mixmaster

Requirements are contained in the Interagency Aerial Ignition Guide (NFES 1080).

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HELITORCH MIXMASTER (HTMM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Helitorch Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 *S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved annually by Regional Helicopter Operations Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory performance as a Helitorch Mixmaster
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

Requirements are contained in the Interagency Aerial Ignition Guide (NFES 1080).

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HELITORCH PARKING TENDER (HTPT)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Helitorch Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 *S-271 Interagency Helicopter Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved annually by Regional Helicopter Operations Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Helitorch Parking Tender
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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Requirements are contained in the Interagency Aerial Ignition Guide (NFES 1080).

LOADMASTER (LOAD)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Helicopter/Helibase Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Loadmaster
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember

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LINE SCOUT (LSCT)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Division/Group Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Single Resource Boss Crew AND Satisfactory position performance as a Line Scout
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Field Observer Situation Unit Leader Single Resource Boss Crew

MAFFS CLERK (MAFC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Modular Airborne Firefighting System (MAFFS) Unit
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate MAFFS Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are record keeping, organization ability and communication skills AND Satisfactory position performance as a MAFFS Clerk
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Dispatch Recorder Documentation Unit Leader

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MAFFS LIAISON OFFICER (MAFF)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	National Coordination Center Geographic Area Coordination Center
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 3 MAFFS Liaison Officer Training
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Must be approved by the National Military Liaison Officer
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Prior military experience is desirable, but not a required prerequisite AND Satisfactory position performance as a MAFFS Liaison Officer
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

Requirements for this position are in the MAFFS Operating Plan.

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MILITARY AVIATION OPERATIONS COORDINATOR (MAOC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Agency Aviation Military Liaison
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved by National Helicopter Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Operations Specialist OR Helicopter Pilot Inspector AND Satisfactory position performance as a Military Aviation Operations Coordinator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

Requirements for this position are in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

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MILITARY CREW LIAISON ADVISOR (MCAD)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Battalion Military Liaison until assigned to Incident. On incident supervisor is Strike Team Leader Military
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Prior military experience is desirable, but not a required prerequisite AND Satisfactory position performance as a Single Resource Boss Crew
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Single Resource Boss Crew

Requirements for this position are in the MAFFS Operating Plan.

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MILITARY HELICOPTER CREWMEMBER (MHEC)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Aviation Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Military Helicopter Manager
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Military Helicopter Crewmember
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember

Requirements for this position are in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

MILITARY HELICOPTER MANAGER (MHEM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Aviation Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Military Helicopter Manager Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Manager AND Satisfactory position performance as a Military Helicopter Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Manager

Requirements for this position are in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

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MILITARY HELICOPTER MANAGER SUPERVISOR (MHMS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Aviation Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Military Aviations Operations Coordinator
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Operations Specialist OR Helibase Manager Type 2 AND Satisfactory position performance as a Military Helicopter Manager Supervisor
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Helicopter Operations Specialist Helibase Manager Type 2

Requirements for this position are in the Military Use Handbook (NFES 2175).

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RAMP MANAGER (RAMP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Fixed Wing Base
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Aviation Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Local orientation of ramp management I-200 Basic Incident Command System S-270 Basic Air Operations LEVEL 3 I-400 Advanced Incident Command System S-378 Air Tactical Group Supervisor A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) A-103 FAA NOTAM System A-106 Aviation Mishap Reporting A-107 Aviation Policy and Regulations 1 A-109 Aviation Radio Use A-113 Crash Survival
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skills are those acquired by individuals who have worked at fixed or rotor wing bases (smokejumpers, helicopter crewmembers, etc.) AND Satisfactory position performance as a Ramp Manager
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Fixed Wing Base Manager

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PLASTIC SPHERE DISPENSER OPERATOR (PLDO)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations/Prescribed Fire Burn Boss
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Firing Boss/Ignition Specialist
<u>TRAINING:</u>	Level 1 Geographic Area Approved Plastic Sphere Training Program
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Approved annually by Regional Helicopter Operations Specialist
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Helicopter Crewmember AND Satisfactory position performance as a Plastic Sphere Dispenser Operator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

Requirements are contained in the Interagency Aerial Ignition Guide (NFES 1080).

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STRIKE TEAM LEADER MILITARY (STLM)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Battalion Military Liaison
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Prior military experience is desirable, but not a required prerequisite AND Satisfactory position performance as a Strike Team Leader Crew
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Strike Team Leader Crew

TRACTOR PLOW OPERATOR INITIAL ATTACK (TPL1)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Operations Supervisor, Incident Commander Type 4 or 5 or may work independently
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-233 Tractor/Plow Boss Local training in fire-related tractor plow operations and maintenance
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Local Tractor Plow Operator Certification
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Tractor Plow Operator Initial Attack
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Dozer Operator

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TRACTOR PLOW OPERATOR WITH SUPERVISION (TRPS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Tractor Plow Boss or Strike Team Leader, Plow
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Introduction to Fire Behavior Local training in fire-related tractor plow operations and maintenance
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Local certification as tractor plow operator
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory performance as a Tractor Plow Operator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Tractor Plow Operator Initial Attack

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FIRE INVESTIGATOR (FINV)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Appropriate investigation supervisor
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Planning Section Chief or Agency Administrator or Arson Task Force Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 FI-210 Wildland Fire Origin and Cause Determination S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Introduction to Fire Behavior S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Annual Certification as Forest Protection Officer or qualified Law Enforcement Personnel
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Forest Protection Officer Certification OR Qualified Law Enforcement Personnel AND Satisfactory position performance as a Fire Investigator.
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Score of 70 or higher on the Law Enforcement Officer's Physical Efficiency Battery (PEB) test OR Light
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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FORWARD LOOKING INFRARED OPERATOR (FLIR)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation A-101 Aviation Safety (All Aircraft) A-113 Crash Survival A-204 Aircraft Capabilities & Limitations
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Forward Looking Infrared Operator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Infrared Interpreter

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GIS TECHNICAL SPECIALIST (GIST)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation GIS Technician – All Risk Training GPS For ICS LEVEL 3 S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior S-245 Display Processor S-260 Interagency Incident Business Management
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a GIS Technical Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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INCIDENT METEOROLOGIST (IMET)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Function
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-130 Basic Firefighter S-190 Introduction to Fire Behavior S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior LEVEL 3 S-390 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations S-490 Advanced Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Meteorologist AND Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Meteorologist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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CULTURAL SPECIALIST (CULS)

ASSIGNED TO: Planning Functional Area

SUPERVISED BY: Planning Section Chief

TRAINING: **LEVEL 1** I-100 Introduction to Incident
Command System
S-110 Basic Wildland Fire
Suppression Orientation

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: None

PHYSICAL FITNESS: Light

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: None

INFRARED DOWNLINK OPERATOR (IRDL)

ASSIGNED TO: Planning Functional Area

SUPERVISED BY: Situation Unit Leader

TRAINING: None

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Infrared Interpreter
AND
Satisfactory position performance as an
Infrared Downlink Operator

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS
THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: None

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INFRARED FIELD SPECIALIST (IRFS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation S-443 Infrared Interpreter I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Desirable skill is knowledge of Global Positioning System AND Satisfactory position performance as an Infrared Field Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Light
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

ORTHOPHOTO ANALYST (ORPA)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation

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ORTHOPHOTO ANALYST (ORPA)--CONTINUED

PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE: Desirable skill is knowledge of Global Positioning System
AND
Satisfactory position performance as an Orthophoto Analyst

PHYSICAL FITNESS: None

OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY: None

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PROBEYE OPERATOR (PBOP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate operations or planning supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Local training in use of Probeye equipment I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Probeye Operator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Moderate
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

WEATHER OBSERVER (WOBS)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Situation Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Training in the use of a belt weather kit. I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior

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WEATHER OBSERVER (WOBS)--CONTINUED

<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Advanced Firefighter/Squad Boss AND Satisfactory position performance as a Weather Observer
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	Arduous
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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BURNED AREA EMERGENCY REHABILITATION TEAM LEADER (BAEL)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Unit
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Unit Line Officer (FSM 2523 and FSH 2509.13)
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Burned Area Emergency Rehabilitation Team Training
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Burned Area Emergency Rehabilitation Team Leader
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	*None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

*See section 23 of this Handbook, which requires: "Non-operations personnel who have the need to be on the fireline for non-suppression tasks must have the knowledge and skills found in fire safety refresher training, or must be accompanied by someone qualified to be on the fireline."

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COMPUTER COORDINATOR (CCOO)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Resource Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Computer Technical Specialist I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Demonstrated skills include ability to set up, operate, and troubleshoot computer equipment problems AND Satisfactory position performance as a Computer Coordinator
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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COMPUTER DATA ENTRY RECORDER (CDER)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Computer Technical Specialist
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Incident Database Software Training I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Demonstrated skills include proficiency in the use of word processing, database applications and communication software as well as experience working in a Windows environment. AND Satisfactory position performance as a Computer Data Entry Recorder
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None

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COMPUTER TECHNICAL SPECIALIST (CTSP)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Planning Functional Area
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Resource Unit Leader
<u>TRAINING:</u>	LEVEL 1 Computer Technical Specialist I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Suppression Orientation
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Demonstrated skills include ability to set up, operate, and troubleshoot computer equipment. AND Satisfactory position performance as a Computer Technical Specialist
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	Computer Coordinator

SCUBA DIVER (SCUB)

<u>ASSIGNED TO:</u>	Operations
<u>SUPERVISED BY:</u>	Appropriate Operations Supervisor
<u>TRAINING:</u>	None
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u>	Current National Open Water Certification
<u>PREREQUISITE EXPERIENCE:</u>	Satisfactory position performance as a Scuba Diver
<u>PHYSICAL FITNESS:</u>	None
<u>OTHER POSITION ASSIGNMENTS THAT WILL MAINTAIN CURRENCY:</u>	None
