

**APPENDIX E, PART 8, DELEGATION FROM SUPERINTENDENT TO FMO****United States Department of the Interior**

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**DELEGATION FOR PARK FIRE MANAGEMENT OFFICER FROM GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION AREA**

THE FIRE MANAGEMENT OFFICER FOR POINT REYES NATIONAL SEASHORE IS DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACT ON MY BEHALF FOR THE FOLLOWING DUTIES AND ACTIONS:

- PROVIDE DIRECTION, SUPERVISION AND LEADERSHIP TO THE PARK FIRE PREPAREDNESS-OPERATIONS STAFF OUTLINED IN THE ATTACHED ORGANIZATION CHART.
- COORDINATE WITH AND PROVIDE TIMELY AND ACCURATE REPORTS TO CHIEF RANGER ON ALL ACTIVITIES OF FIRE PREPAREDNESS OPERATIONS PERSONNEL.
- COORDINATE HAZARDOUS FUELS BUDGET EXPENDITURES WITH GOGA BUDGET ANALYST TO ASSURE FISCAL GUIDELINE ACCOUNTABILITY PER REGIONAL AND PARK FUNDING CRITERIA.
- ASSURE PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN PRESCRIBED FIRE AND WILDFIRE OPERATIONS ARE FULLY QUALIFIED.
- RESPOND TO PREPAREDNESS, SEVERITY AND HAZARDOUS FUELS FUNDING REQUESTS FOR FY08 PARK WILDLAND FIRE OPERATIONS.
- ENSURE ALL PARK FIRE INCIDENTS ARE MANAGED IN A SAFE AND COST-EFFECTIVE MANNER.
- RESPONSIBLE FOR REPRESENTING GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION AREA IN ALL MATTERS RELATED TO WILDLAND AND PRESCRIBED FIRE MANAGEMENT WITH LOCAL COOPERATORS AND THE NORTHERN CALIFORNIA GEOGRAPHICAL AREA.
- COORDINATE PARK FIRE PREVENTION ACTIVITIES WITH THE CHIEF RANGER AND FIRE CHIEF - PRESIDIO FIRE DEPARTMENT AND ASSIST WITH APPROPRIATE PROGRAM DIRECTION AND GUIDANCE.

- COORDINATE, PREPOSITION, SEND AND ORDER FIRE AND AVIATION RESOURCES IN RESPONSE TO CURRENT AND ANTICIPATED PARK, REGIONAL AND NATIONAL FIRE CONDITIONS.
- RESPONSIBLE FOR REPRESENTING GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION AREA ON ALL PACIFIC WEST REGION MATTERS RELATED TO THE WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM.
- MANAGE INCIDENT QUALIFICATIONS CERTIFICATION SYSTEM AND CERTIFY INCIDENT QUALIFICATION CARDS EXCLUSIVELY FOR GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION WILDLAND FIRE STAFF (EXCLUDES PRESIDIO FIRE DEPARTMENT AND COLLATERAL FIRE DUTY PERSONNEL).
- CREATE AWARENESS THAT PUBLIC AND FIREFIGHTER SAFETY IS THE FIRST PRIORITY IN ANY FIRE ACTIVITY.
- RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERMINING IF SAFETY ISSUES RELATED TO WILDLAND FIRE REQUIRE SITUATIONAL “STAND DOWNS” AND/OR SUSPENSION OF WILDLAND FIRE ACTIVITIES IF SAFETY CONCERNS DICTATE.

THIS DELEGATION AND AUTHORIZATION WILL EXPIRE ON OCTOBER 1, 2007. AFTER THAT DATE GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECREATION AREA WILL ASSUME ALL FIRE MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES UNLESS A NEW DELGATION OF AUTHORITY IS SIGNED.

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