



Minnesota Incident Command System

2020 Public Information Officers Meeting

Minnesota Interagency Fire Center, 402 SE 11th St., Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Wednesday, Feb. 5

- 1000 Welcome and Overview – Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS / MN DNR*
- 1015 MNICS Board/Task Force updates – Chase Marshall, *MNICS Task Force Chair*
- 1030 Icebreaker introduction – group activity
- 1100 MNICS and MNCC Updates – Tasha Woodwick, *MNCC Assistant Center Manager*
- Type 3 Team Updates/FireNet/ Misc.
- 1200 Lunch Break
- 1300 Incident Within an Incident - The role of the PIO – Lisa Radosevich - Craig, *Superior National Forest*
- 1330 Inciweb update – Tim Engrav, *Superior National Forest*
- 1400 Working with the Command and General Staff for Success – Panel Discussion
- 1500 Break
- 1515 Preparing for your single resource PIO in/out-of-state assignment – Large Group - Tim Engrav, *Superior National Forest*
- 1545 Overview - ArcGIS Story Map and Collector other emerging technology – Tim Engrav, *Superior National Forest*
- 1615 Lessons Learned from 2018/2019 Fire Assignments – Round Robin
- 1700 Wrap up/Questions/Adjourn – Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS / MN DNR*
- 1800 Group dinner for those who are interested

Thursday, Feb. 6

- 0815 Welcome and Overview – Tim Engrav, *Superior National Forest*
- 0830 Minnesota Fire Weather and Season Forecast – Travis Verdegan, *MN DNR*
- 0900 Incident Commander's perspective – Brian Pisarek, *Type 2 IC Eastern Area Gold Team*
- 0930 Superior National Forest update – Lilly Palmer, *Superior National Forest*
- 1000 Break
- 1015 Best Practices for Community Meetings and Media Relations (Small Group) –
Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS/ MN DNR*
- 1045 MIFC/State of MN update – Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS/ MN DNR*
- 1100 MNICS Information Management Working Team updates – Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS/ MN DNR*
- 1115 Chippewa National Forest Update – Mike Stearly, *Chippewa National Forest*
- 1145 Break & Tour of Minnesota Interagency Fire Center (MIFC) – Leanne Langeberg, *MNICS/ MN DNR*
- 1230 Questions wrap/up closeout /Adjourn

The Next MNICS PIO Workshop will be held in Jan. or Feb. 2022