



MINNESOTA INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM

Working Team Assignment

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DATE: August 17, 2018

ASSIGNMENT

The MNICS Task Force is assigning the MNICS Operations Working Team to develop a plan to establish interagency Type 3 Incident Management Teams within Minnesota utilizing MNICS personnel from all agencies.

BACKGROUND

Nationally, and within the MNCIS organization, all are experiencing a shortage of personnel to fill Type 2 IMT positions. The MNICS Task Force has recognized these shortages and feel we need formalize named Interagency T3 IMTs within MN. These IMTs will complement the Eastern Area Type 2 IMTs and help provide response management for incidents within MN. In addition the MNICS Task Force feels that the establishment of interagency T3 IMTs within MNICS will provide a training platform and pathway for personnel to attain Type 2 IMT qualifications for the future. These teams would also be considered for national mobilization in the future.

EXPECTED PRODUCT

The MNICS Task Force recommends the MNICS OPS WT form a sub-committee with representatives from each MNICS agency to:

- Make recommendations on formalizing qualified interagency T3 IMTs that could be made available nationally in 2019 or in the future. A minimum of 3 teams should be established, with the possibly of more if feasible and the numbers allow. It is preferred these teams be structured to the national standard, if possible. If not possible, establish a roster configuration which is suitable for instate response to all agencies and jurisdictions.
- Identify the training and development that would be needed in order for MNICS to form nationally qualified T3 IMTs in the future.
- Identify issues associated with the establishment of interagency T3 IMTs.

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (MEETING DATES, ETC)

The MNICS Task Force is requesting that the MNICS Operations WT begin working on this task immediately and have recommendations ready for the MNICS Task Force to be presented at the MNCIS annual meeting in December 2018. If feasible, The MNICS Task Force plans to implement named interagency T3 IMTs prior to the 2019 spring wildfire season.

REMARKS

Draft due to Taskforce: _December 2018_____

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Anticipated Completion Due Date: _____

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Taskforce Approval: ☒ Yes ☐ No