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Date: August 15, 2022

Subject: Recruitment for 2023 MNICS Type 3 Incident Management Teams

Accepting Applications: September 1, 2022 – October 15, 2022

The MNICS Taskforce is accepting applications for the 2023 MNICS Type 3 Incident Management Teams. Our interagency teams respond to wildfire and all-hazard challenges in Minnesota throughout the year.

Participating as a member of a Type 3 Incident Management Team (IMT) you'll have the opportunity to become involved with incident management from the ground level. Our teams emphasize professional interactions between team members, cooperators, and stakeholders, which is critical during emergency incident situations. We are looking for leaders to build a strong team, create solid cohesion, and use an inclusive approach to lead and mentor.

The MNICS team's local availability season is split between spring and fall. The spring availability season runs from April 1 – June 15, and the fall availability season runs from August 15 – October 31. The MNICS Taskforce may adjust the season based on in-state fire conditions.

New for the 2023 season - With a growing interest among MNICS team members to roster MNICS teams for national availability, along with a growing national reliance on Type 3 IMT support, MNICS will pilot national availability of the MNICS Type 3 IMTs from June 15 through August 15. Two factors will be considered when deciding to roster a MNICS IMT nationally, 1) interest and availability of team members, 2) local incident management needs. The MNICS Task Force will make the final decision, in consultation with the team's Incident Commander, for a team's availability.

We welcome qualified and trainee applications for any team position. Applicants may apply to both primary and alternate roles. We also encourage qualified and trainee resources to fill discretionary positions that help support the team when there is a need. All selected IMT members will serve a one-year term and must re-apply on an annual basis for consideration.

Apply Today! To apply follow this link to the <u>2023 MNICS Type 3 Incident Management Team Application</u>, or scan the QR code below. Selected team members will be notified by email prior to February 1, 2023.



Sincerely,

William Glesener Chair, MNICS Taskforce













