

# TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT Northeast Forest Fire Protection Commission (NFFPC) February Wildland Fire Academy February 25 - March 1, 2019- South Portland, ME

| Course/Date                    | Monday<br>25 | Tuesday<br>26 | Wednesday<br>27 | Thursday<br>28 | Friday<br>01 |
|--------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|
| S-300 Extended Attack Incident | 1:00 pm-     | 8:00 am-      | 8:00 am-        | 8:00 am-       | 8:00 am-     |
| Commander                      | 5:00 pm      | 5:00 pm       | 5:00 pm         | 5:00 pm        | 12:00 pm     |
| ICS-300 Intermediate ICS       | 8:00 pm-     | 8:00 am-      | 8:00 am-        |                |              |
|                                | 5:00 pm      | 5:00 pm       | 5:00 pm         |                |              |
| ICS-400 Advanced ICS           |              |               |                 | 8:00 am-       | 8:00 am-     |
|                                |              |               |                 | 5:00 pm        | 5:00 pm      |
| M-410 Facilitative Instructor  | 1:00 pm-     | 8:00 am-      | 8:00 am-        | 8:00 am-       | 8:00 am-     |
|                                | 5:00 pm      | 5:00 pm       | 5:00 pm         | 5:00 pm        | 12:00 pm     |
| L-965 NIMS ICS All-Hazards     | 1:00 pm-     | 8:00 am-      | 8:00 am-        | 8:00 am-       |              |
| Resource Unit Leader           | 5:00 pm      | 5:00 pm       | 5:00 pm         | 5:00 pm        |              |
| L-965 NIMS ICS All-Hazards     |              |               |                 |                | 8:00 am-     |
| Resource Unit Leader (optional |              |               |                 |                | 12:00 pm     |
| session on eIsuite)            |              |               |                 |                | _            |

#### LOCATION: Merry Manor Inn – Best Western, Portland Maine. 700 Main Street South Portland, Maine 04106 Phone: 207-774-6151 Fax: 207-871-0537

**SPONSOR:** Northeastern Forest Fire Protection Commission

#### **COURSE REGISTRAR & COORDINATOR: Eric Earle**

#### **COURSE FINANCES:** Eric Earle

COURSE DESCRIPTION TRAINEE PREREQUISITES: See attached course descriptions.

TUITION:\$0 for Northeast Compact Members\$150 for Non Compact MembersMember agencies will be invoiced after the course.All others need to make payment or payment arrangements prior to attending training<br/>(see course registration table and info below).

| <b>REGISTRATION FEE: **</b> | S-300   | \$175.00 (lunches provided Feb 25,26,27, and 28) |
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|                             | ICS-300 | \$125.00 (lunches provided Feb 25,26,27)         |

| ICS-400      | \$100.00 (lunches provided Feb 28 and Mar 1)     |
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| <b>M-410</b> | \$175.00 (lunches provided Feb 25,26,27, and 28) |
| L-965        | \$175.00 (lunches provided Feb 25,26,27, and 28) |

#### \*\* Registration fee includes lunch and breaks. Breakfast included with room rate.

- Deadline for submitting the names of candidates will be Feb 4, 2019.
- Individuals will be notified by Feb 6, 2019, as to course admittance
- Send Training Nominations Form and Financial Form to:

Eric Earle, 1 Mountainview Road Massey Drive, NL A2H 7A7 email (preferred): <u>eearle@nffpc.org</u> Fax: 207-968-3782

ACCOMMODATIONS: A block of rooms is reserved at the Merry Manor Inn (207-774-6151) at a NFFPC rate of \$ 89.00 (USD-includes breakfast) for a single or double room. Candidates are to make their own arrangements for rooms. Please state that you are with the Northeast Compact group. Students need to make their own room reservations by February 15, 2019.

**CLASS SIZE:** Minimums will depend on the training offered. Some courses may justify small attendance numbers because of the uniqueness of the program. If class enrollment is low, the Compact will advertise the courses nationally. The priority for seats will be given to NE Compact members if space becomes limited.

# NOMINATION PROCESS: Students must submit the attached NE Compact Nomination Form and attached NE Compact Financial Form. Successful students taking NWCG courses will receive a certificate at the end of the course

#### COURSE DESCRIPTIONS: S-300, EXTENDED ATTACK INCIDENT COMMANDER

**Course Description:** This course is designed to meet the training needs of the Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3). The focus is on the lessons of leadership and command as they relate to the ICT3 position. It is presented in participative lecture format with multiple tactical decision games for students to practice new knowledge. The seven instructional units cover Foundation Skills, Situational Awareness, Command and Control, Managing the Incident, Transitional Activities, Post-Fire Activities and a Final Simulation. **Target Group:** Personnel desiring to be qualified as Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3). **Course Prerequisites:** Qualified as Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4) and Task Force Leader (TFLD), **OR** Qualified as ICT4 and Strike Team Leader and any two Single Resource Boss positions – one must be Crew (CRWB) or Engine (ENGB) - Satisfactory completion of pre-course work.

#### **ICS-300, INTERMEDIATE ICS**

**Course Description:** This course provides training for personnel who require advanced application of the Incident Command System (ICS). This course expands upon information covered in the ICS 100 and ICS 200 courses.

• Describe how the National Incident Management System Command and Management component supports the management of expanding incidents.

- Describe the Incident/Event Management process for supervisors and expanding incidents as prescribed by the ICS.
- Implement the Incident Management process on a simulated Type 3 incident.
- Develop an Incident Action Plan for a simulated incident.

**Target Group:** Individuals who may assume a supervisory role in incidents. Note: During a Type 3 incident, some or all of the Command and General Staff positions may be activated, as well as Division/Group Supervisor and/or Unit Leader level positions. These incidents may extend into multiple operational periods. **Course Prerequisites:** IS-100, Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS 100; IS-200, Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents; IS0700, National Incident Management System, An Introduction; and IS-800, National Response Framework.

# **ICS-400, ADVANCED ICS**

**Course Description:** This course provides training for personnel who require advanced application of the Incident Command System (ICS). This course expands upon information covered in ICS 100 through ICS 300 courses, which are prerequisites for the ICS 400 course.

- Explain how major incidents engender special management challenges.
- Describe the circumstances in which an Area Command is established.
- Describe the circumstances in which Multi-Agency Coordination Systems are established.

**Target Group:** The target audience for this course is senior personnel who are expected to perform in a management capacity in an Area Command or Multi-Agency Coordination Entity.

**Course Prerequisites:** IS-100, Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS 100; IS-200, Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents; E/L/G0300, ICS 300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents; IS0700, National Incident Management System, An Introduction; and IS0800, National Response Framework, An Introduction

# M-410, FACILITATIVE INSTRUCTOR

**Course Description:** This training course is designed to help students become effective facilitative instructors. The purpose of this course is to improve training delivery and quality by presenting instructional methods with an emphasis on student-oriented adult training techniques. This course is designed for students to meet NWCG instructor qualifications.

Target Group: Personnel who will be instructing NWCG/FEMA courses.

Course Prerequisites: Satisfactory completion of pre-course work.

# L-965, NIMS ICS All-HAZARDS RESOURCE UNIT LEADER

**Course Description:** This course provides an overview of Resources Unit Leader (RESL) responsibilities, the planning section, and the planning process to contextualize the resources unit for students unfamiliar with the planning process or ICS. It then explores specific RESL functions and responsibilities, including resource tracking systems, operational planning, and resource products/outputs. The status/check-in and demobilization functions are covered to provide students with the knowledge to perform those duties if necessary. Exercises, simulations, discussions, and a final exam enable students to process and apply their new knowledge.

**Target Group:** Local- or State-level emergency responders who may be designated as Resources Unit Leaders on their local or state Incident Management Team. The materials were developed with the assumption that audience members may have little or no actual experience as a member of an AHIMT. NIMS ICS specific training should be completed by personnel who are regularly assigned to function, support, or unit leader positions on USFA or other Type III or IV AHIMT or by those persons who desire to seek credentials/certification in those positions.

**Course Prerequisites:** ICS 300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents (E0300), Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS 100 (IS0100.b), Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (IS0200.b), National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS0700.a), National Response Framework, An Introduction (IS0800.c)