WFDSS 2020 GAE AAR Agenda- <mark>January 21, 2021 1300-1500 Mountain</mark>

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Time	Topic	Lead
1300-1305	Welcome/Role Call	Morgan
1305-1315	Correspondence Logistics (quarterly calls, monthly emails) • RDA uses Go-To-Webinar and no calendar invite (previously GAEs expressed difficulty between the DOI Google Platform and FS Outlook Invites). FS and DOI now using Microsoft Teams, would the GAEs want the call to be an FS Teams Meeting/Invite rather than Go-To? Note the call would not have a call line, would go through computer.	Morgan

	• Are the GAEs getting the type of info they need from the monthly emails/quarterly calls? Are we providing the right level of detail? What information are you not getting that you would like us to add? • Verify GAE status. Morgan will email the full list of GAEs to the GAE team for review. Let us know if there are changes due to retirements and job changes.	

Notes: No Feedback.

1315-1345	Summary and Feedback on WFDSS in 2020 • Overview of O&M efforts in 2020 (releases, major bugs, On-Call Support, problems) • Feedback from GAEs on how the season went/what they would like to see different/what we can do better	Morgan/Rick & GAEs

Notes:
- **Jeff Shelton**: Appreciated quick response to issues this summer, and no shortage of support
- **Amy Ziegler:** Could count on the feedback button for getting prompt help. Appreciated Andrew's contribution as well. Appreciated support for decision-making on complexes, and the various IRWIN relationships. When multiple incidents occurred and complexing occurred, appreciated the support to help avoid/mitigate any fire reporting nightmares down the road. Would like a diagram/updated chart to understand the flow of data to explain why they were doing things a certain way. Advice to follow for next year; even though a complex was managed by a single IMT, they went with decisions on separate fires and that was cleaner. Be clear that although complexed, the COA for each incident is different. Incidents that had the same IOs and IRs worked well under a single decision for a master incident. Also make sure costs when added up don't exceed whats on the 209. **Dylan Rader** concurred with Amy's sentiments about the quality of support.
- **Rick Mowery:** issues reported about 209 acreage for August Complex and how that was managed. **Dylan Rader** worked with the incident indirectly. Once it got broke out, fires that merged into complex still had their own 209s. Regarding calling them out and adding them to the complexed fire. Not clear about which ones were merged with complex and which weren't. He talked to Kevin Osborne about some of these complexities. North complex managed by an IMT, but decision made early on to keep decisions separate- 23 fires total. Easy to parse out fires when they are not complexed in WFDSS.
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1345-1405	Summary and Feedback on 2020 Data Refresh • Overview of data refresh/FMU loads: Ben • Feedback from GAEs- what/where can we improve/change	Ben & GAEs

Notes:
- **Patrick Doyle:** do you have an idea or sense when LF 2016 will come in? Morgan will cover in next section.
- **Amy Ziegler** has same question. Also, Amy moving NPS units in CA to SFP and will have them ready in April.
- Ben has been asked about a great way to develop and stage their data but there isn't really. If folks want to get a jump on things, give Ben a call. Can move around the upload schedule if a lot of units are moving to SFP early in the year.

	• **Rachel Owens:** Regarding Updating Unit IDs what are Ben's recommendations for getting these updated in WFDSS? Ben has been working with Gwenan on this. Ben will reach out to Rachel and Gwenan to carry on the conversation. **Gwenan** has a writeup that she will share with Rachel as well.	
1405-1425	Plans for 2021: Current Gen • Release plans, supporting incidents, on-call, archiving: Morgan & Rick • Data refresh plan: Ben	Morgan/Rick/Ben
Notes: No Feedback.		
1425-1455	Plans for 2021: Next Gen • Status of Next Gen and plans for 2021: Erin/Sam • The future of spatial fire planning: Andrew	Erin/Sam/Andrew
Notes: • **Jeff Shelton:** questions about strategy in WFDSS and if it will be tied to PODS. Erin, the way Andrew is setting up the SFP data service, it will be easy to upload/utilize PODS into your units data layers. There is no solid plan for how to use PODs specifically in WFDSS however. • **Ben Curtis:** about SFP switching over to AGOL. Users upload their shapes here and them they copy over to WFDSS? Andrew is not on, unsure who is best to answer. **Wesley Hall**; plan to implement something similar to WFDSS, upload the shape into AGOL and then relate the text. Wont have to send to agency GIS leads or Ben any further. **Ben Butler:** Naming conventions will change but overall, making it easier to upload own data and relate language for use in WFDSS. WFDSS will be able to limit uploading of shapes with various issues. WFDSS wont be the gatekeeper any longer, AGOL will. Vision is text will be associated in the application but shapes managed in AGOL. Plan is for current WFDSS planning data to roll over into Next Gen. andrew working with IAFPC to standardize things as much as possible. FMU data standard currently exists, identical to what WFDSS uses. • **Patrick Doyle:** user groups, those that participated before, will the need to reapply? **Erin** says no. Fill out the nomination form on the FAMIT portal > NextGen updates. It became impossible to keep up with the changes to the application so the team stopped engaging the user groups for now. Plan to utilize the individuals later this summer once a development environment is up and running and users can get their hands dirty pressing buttons.		
1455-1500	Close out	