

March 2021:

- **Reminders:**
 - Next Month is our quarterly call, April 15th: **Register for the webinar series to receive a calendar invite for all the quarterly calls.** <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8163448738341250060>
 - Send Rick and Morgan any WFDSS Refresher Training dates, we add them to the GAE Training Calendar
 - Spread the word: The RDA hosted Interagency AA Refresher is March 31st 1200-1330 Mountain. Register here <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/3492184582939436048> and flyer is attached to the email.
- **NEW GAE Welcome:** William Coates (detailer) for PNW FS/BLM
- **RDA Staffing:**
 - Tami Parkinson will be on a detail beginning in April. RDA will be working to backfill with a detailer. More info when we have it.
- **Common Issues and Resolution**
 - See the [Known Issues](#) Document, which is updated after each release
- **Classic WFDSS O&M Update/Status**
 - Next release is April 28th in concert with the IRWIN V7 release
 - Will include IRWIN V7 adjustments and misc. High and medium priority bug fixes
 - We continue to work on adding LF 2016, unfortunately we ran into a few slow downs, but do expect to have it fully loaded in the coming weeks.
- **IRWIN Updates**
 - The following V7 changes will be addressed in the next WFDSS release in concert with the V7 release on April 28th.
 - Adding a user message directing users to the proper contact when an incident is in the Fire Reporting Status
 - Implementing the new NWCG Standards for Incident Name
 - WFDSS will longer set Point of Origin Jurisdictional Agency Unit/Landowner Kind/Landowner Category for records not created in WFDSS. These will now be geospatially derived by IRWIN. WFDSS users will be able to change the Point of Origin Jurisdictional Agency Unit for records in which WFDSS has the Authoritative Data Source hierarchy to do so including to null the value. Changes in Lat/Long will trigger IRWIN to geospatially derive the value based on the changed values.
 - The default Incident size for records that come from IRWIN to WFDSS with no size will now be .01 (not .1) to align with the minimum size reduction from .1 to .01.
- **Geospatial Data**
 - We are actively processing data updates and moving them into the application according to the Data Refresh Plan posted on the WFDSS homepage (see the Data Sub-Page)
 - The following data layers have been updated since the start of the calendar year
 - National Recreation Areas
 - USFWS Admin. Areas
 - USFS Admin Areas
 - NPS Admin Areas
 - TNC Lands
 - Wilderness Study Areas

- Critical Habitat (polygon and line data)
 - USFS Trails
 - USFWS Trails
 - Sub Stations
 - Building Cluster Data for Texas (new nearly state-wide coverage) and Idaho (Boise & Valley Counties)
- FMU/Strategic Objective Shape Updates
 - Per the update schedule updates were due to the WFM RD&A Data Team (Ben Butler) by 3/17/21. We received updates for the BLM and one BOR unit and they are in the process of being validated then the data will be loaded to all application environments. All updates are scheduled to be live in Training and Production on 3/31/21
- **WFDSS Next Gen Update/Status**
 - The NextGen development team has migrated NextGen to it's permanent home. The Dev environment is set up and the UAT and QA environments should be operational in early April.
 - User Groups should expect to be contacted in late March or early April with details on how User Groups will work and next steps.
 - The NextGen team is still looking for Line Officers and Agency Administrators to participate in the "Decision Reviewer / Approver (Agency Administrator)" user group. Folks can sign up here: <https://famit.nwcg.gov/node/2664>