

# Washington Wildland Fire Workshops

### Spokane

## Wenatchee

#### **Tacoma**

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

9:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Tuesday, May 1, 2018 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM Thursday, May 17, 2018 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Mirabeau Hotel & Convention Center 1100 North Sullivan Road Spokane, WA 99037 Confluence Technology Center 285 Technology Center Way Wenatchee, WA 98801 Best Western Tacoma Dome 2611 East E Street Tacoma, WA 98421

## **Objectives**

- Provide an overview of the status of Washington's wildland fire protection strategic planning process.
- Build and refine a vision for Washington wildland fire management beyond 2020.
- Develop goals for resilient landscapes, fire-adapted communities, wildfire prevention, and safe, effective response in Washington.
- Develop strategies to advance the vision and goals for, and address key issues in, Washington wildland fire management.
- Collaborate and learn from wildland fire experts, practitioners, and community members across the state.

#### Agenda

Time	Topic	Format
9:30 AM (9 AM in Tacoma)	Opening remarks	Opening remarks  • Loren Torgerson, DNR
9:35 AM (9:05 in Tacoma)	Washington Wildland Fire Protection Strategic Plan Process	<ul><li>Presentation</li><li>Loren Torgerson, DNR</li><li>Marc Daudon, The Caspian Group</li></ul>
9:55 (9:25 in Tacoma)	Vision for Washington (Part I)	<ul><li>Brainstorming activity</li><li>What is your vision for wildland fire in Washington in 10 years?</li></ul>
10:25 (9:55 in Tacoma)	Making the Cohesive Strategy Work for Us	<ul> <li>Table discussions</li> <li>What do resilient landscapes, fire-adapted communities, and safe, effective response mean to you and your community in Washington State?</li> <li>How will we measure our progress?</li> </ul>

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11:45 (11:15 in Tacoma)	LUNCH	Please plan to provide your own lunch. There is an onsite restaurant in Tacoma.
12:30 PM (12:00 PM in Tacoma)	Identifying Strategies for the Future	<ul> <li>Table discussions</li> <li>Identify strategies to address key cross-cutting topics in Washington wildland fire management</li> <li>Prioritize and begin to build out key strategies</li> <li>What are desired outcomes in 5 to 10 years?</li> <li>What changes, if made, would enable success and move the ball?</li> <li>What strategies and solutions should be included in the strategic plan?</li> <li>What should be considered in developing and implementing key strategies?</li> <li>Current list of cross-cutting topics</li> <li>Community and individual planning and action</li> <li>Prescribed fire and smoke management</li> <li>Training and retaining the firefighting force</li> <li>Deployment of people and equipment during wildfire season</li> <li>Unprotected lands</li> <li>Wildfire management across boundaries</li> <li>Human-caused ignition and prevention</li> <li>LEP/vulnerable communities</li> <li>Post-fire recovery</li> </ul>
3:00 (2:30 in Tacoma)	Vision for Washington (Part II)	Reflection activity  View vision words and phrases brainstormed in the morning  Write a vision statement
3:15 (2:45 in Tacoma)	Synthesis and Next Steps	Summary remarks  • Loren Torgerson, DNR  • Marc Daudon, The Caspian Group
3:30 (3:00 in Tacoma)	Adjourn	