

TRAINING SELECTION

Date: May 13, 2016 **UPDATED**

Subject: S-212 Wildland Fire Chain Saws Selection Memo

To: Local / Agency Training Representatives

The following individuals have been selected to attend S-212 Wildland Fire Chain Saws, scheduled for May 16-17 hosted by the Boise National Forest with the training located at the National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC), Great Basin Training Unit (Building 110) in the Salmon River training room, 3833 S. Development Way in Boise, Idaho. Training will begin at 0900 hours on Monday, May 16 and conclude by 1700 hours on Tuesday, May 17, 2016.

BLM/Boise District

Janelle Alleman
Brian Anglin
Sean Burke
Chris Hawkins
Janessa Miran **5/4 addition**
Matt Purdy **5/4 addition**
Justin Saiz
Keri Steneck

BLM/State Office

Patrick Baumgartner
Sean Birt

FS/Boise National Forest

Ryan Bailey **5/12 addition**
Joshua Grasinger
Jacob Hansen **5/13 addition**
Jared Rade
~~Mitra Sartipi~~ **cx 5/10 (already attained)**
Jeremy Schuler
Jesse Tang-Kong
Jason VanDyk
David Verona

Students are required to complete a 1-hour pre-course work reading assignment and bring the 13-page Glossary of Terms with them to class. The pre-course work is located at: <http://onlinetraining.nwcg.gov/node/194>.

In addition to the required training, the demonstration of sawing ability (field certification) will be the **home unit's responsibility**.

Even though students will not be 'field certified' we are asking students to come prepared with Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) of long sleeves (nomex optional), leather gloves, eye and ear protection, hardhat and boots as there will be opportunities to start up the saw and other equipment exercises.

Per the Forest Service directives, FSH 6709.11, all saw operators are required to have first aid and CPR training.

A valid federal (HSPD-12 card preferred), state government ID or state driver's license *is required* NIFC's Main Gate,

http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/uploads/groups/GreatBasin/Assets/GBTC/nifc_area_info/Security_at_NIFC.pdf. Please reference the course and building specified in this acceptance letter. Security will have a class roster that may be referenced to gain entry to NIFC. You will be issued a temporary visitor pass.

- Map,
http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/uploads/groups/GreatBasin/Assets/GBTC/nifc_area_info/nifc_campus_map_29apr_2011.pdf
- Directions,
http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/uploads/groups/GreatBasin/Assets/GBTC/nifc_area_info/nifc_directions_29apr_2011.pdf.

If you need lodging, there are a number of motels in the Boise area. A simple internet search will give multiple listings or here is a sample of suggestions,
http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/uploads/groups/GreatBasin/Assets/Suggested_Boise_Hotels_2014.pdf

All cancellations by selected nominees must be routed through the nominee's local training representative. Questions regarding this course should be directed to the lead instructor, Colter Stewart, colterstewart@fs.fed.us or at 208-259-3361.