



Training Opportunity



Flagstaff Fire Department & Summit Fire and Medical District

Prescribed Fire Training Exchange (TREX)

Oct 19th – Nov 2nd, 2020 based in Flagstaff, Arizona (Tentative Dates)

Objectives: To increase local government fire department capacity to plan and implement good fire projects in the wildland urban interface to mitigate unwanted fire effects to communities.

Target Group: A diverse applicant pool of local Government prescribed fire and wildfire personnel is desired, although any agency and non-governmental organization fire personnel are welcome to apply.

Registration Fee: The fee is \$300. Waivers are available for participants who bring equipment (e.g. engines, UTVs, etc.) Please note that the registration fee is not pro-rated based on the amount of time at TREX.

Description: Participants will serve in NWCG qualified and trainee positions and will assist with preparing, scouting, briefing, igniting, holding, mop-up, and patrol on controlled burns in the area. Pre-and-post-fire monitoring, training with equipment, and practice of fire line leadership skills will be exercised. Local fire ecology and fire management practices and techniques will also be taught.

Requirements: Participants must -

- 1. Be able to work as a member of a team, in an outdoor environment, under any-and-all conditions;
- As a minimum, be current and qualified NWCG-FFT2, or have completed NWCG courses S-130, S-190, L-180, and FEMA courses IS-100, 200 & 700, to include completion of an arduous pack test within the 12 months prior to the TREX event.
- 3. Demonstrate/attest to having health insurance, to include Workers Comp coverage.
- Bring all necessary PPE, to include fire-approved boots (all leather, 8-inches tall, Vibram soles, with <u>no</u> steel toe), Fire Shelter, Hard Hat, Nomex Clothing, Leather Gloves, Neck & Face Shroud, Eye Protection, Line Pack, Canteens, etc.

Meals & Travel: Meals will be provided. Lodging may be provided, but participants should bring their own tents, pads and sleeping bags. Bathrooms, showers and indoor meeting space with internet will be available.

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