



Interagency Dispatch Implementation Project (IDIP)

Virtual Road Show Announcement

February 5, 2016

Key Point

The Interagency Dispatch Implementation Project (IDIP) team will host a series of ‘virtual road show’ webinars beginning on February 29 to share our accomplishments to date and to solicit feedback from the dispatch community. Each webinar will last approximately 60 minutes and will provide an overview on one or more topics and the steps we are following towards implementing improvements identified in the IDIP charter. We will record the sessions and post them to the [IDIP website](#) for later viewing. The IDIP team members will participate in the road shows and we will answer questions as time allows.

Webinar Topics

- Fair Share Costing Analysis (FCAT) Tool
- Updated FireOrg user’s Manual
- Core Dispatch Duties
- Computer Aided Dispatch Standardization (CADS)
- Website Content / Standardization
- Dispatch Computer Management and Support
- GIS Support for Dispatch
- Radio Networks and Support
- Agreements
- Interagency Dispatch Operations Guide (IDOG)
- CIO Help Desk Operations/Improvements
- Administratively Determined (AD) Employee Hiring and Management
- Continuity of Operations (COOP) Plans:
 - Training
 - Documentation
 - Testing
 - Review and Improvements
- ISSP Templates/ITEAMs
- Dispatch Center Manager, Assistant Center Manager and Dispatcher Training (non-Redcard)
- Delegations of Authority
- Position Descriptions

Schedule

The IDIP team will schedule webinars on these topics as we near completion of our work on each topic. We will post the schedule on the IDIP website and will send information to the dispatch community as we schedule each session.

The first session, February 29, 2016 at 10:00 MST, will focus on the Computer Aided Dispatch Standardization (CADS) effort. We expect this webinar to last up to two hours, due to high interest and topic complexity. Approximately two weeks prior to the session, we will distribute additional information about this webinar including how to access it.

Additional Information

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<https://www.forestsandrangelands.gov/WFIT/applications/IDIP/index.shtml>

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