Wildfire Information Officer

Overview/Description

This course provides candidates with the knowledge and practice required to fill the position of Wildfire Information Officer to a level consistent with the roles and responsibilities outlined in the Wildfire Information Officer Task Book.

Following completion of this course, candidates will have a working knowledge of the skills required to carry out wildfire communications as it related to an Information Officer position on a wildfire incident.

Target Audience

Employees carrying out wildfire information duties in Alberta.

Prerequisites

Those candidates selected to attend this course must have knowledge of Policies and Procedures, be professional in attitude and conduct, and flexible in dealing with various types of people

- Excellent written and oral communication skills.
- Working knowledge of Forest and Prairie Protection Act.
- Online Introduction to ICS I-100.
- Incident Command System 1-200 course.
- Online Wildfire Orientation or equivalent is recommended.

Registration

Classification: Public Public

Forestry Division employees register through your local training contact.

