

North Australia Fire Managers' Forum AGENDA

DoubleTree by Hilton, Alice Springs 82 Barrett Drive, Alice Springs, NT

Day 1 - Monday 20 June 2016

Time		Item	Presenter
10:00am - 12:00pm	Aurora Training		NTES Southern HQ
			32 Wilkinson St
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12.30pm - 6:00pm	Field trip		Bus pickup from Double
	Dinner included		Tree Hilton hotel and
			Aurora training, deliver
			back to hotels.

Day 2 - Tuesday 21 June 2016

Time	Item	Lead Presenter
8:30am	Welcome and introduction - overview of two days, matters	Mark Ashley
	arising from previous meeting	Richard Thornton (MC)
08:45am	Discussion - terms of reference, membership, other matters.	Richard Thornton
09:00am	Reports from jurisdictions - season 2015/16 overview	
	1. Northern Territory	Josh Fisher, Steele Davies
	2. Western Australia	Lee Vallance, Nathan Connor
	3. Queensland	Gavin Fryar
10:00am	Climate Outlook 2016	David Jones, Greg Browning
	Bureau of Meteorology	
10:30 am	Morning tea	
11:00am	Discussion	
	Issues arising from jurisdiction reports	
	Northern Seasonal Bushfire Outlook - discussion and ratification	
National issue		
11.30am	National issues	
	National Burning Project, Predictive Services	AFAC - Greg Esnouf/
		QFES -Andrew Sturgess
	North Australia Fire Information (NAFI)	CDU - Peter Jacklyn
		CDU - Andrew Edwards
12.30pm	Research update	
-	Bushfire and Natural Hazards CRC projects	CRC - Richard Thornton
	- Fire management	
	- Community resilience	
	Savanna burning - greenhouse gas emissions abatement	CDU – Dominique Lynch
	methodology, Broome WA.	
1:30pm	Lunch	



Jurisdictional issues					
2.15pm	 Northern Territory Bushfire Management Bill Management planning frame work Central Land Council case study - Tanami Desert fire. Other issues 	Mark Ashley Andrew Turner Ben Kaeffner			
3:00pm	Queensland -	Gavin Fryar			
3:45pm	 Western Australia Aerial Burning Fire management issues in the Kimberley Tablelands fire management Dampier Peninsula- update on Country Downs Station fire Aurora - training Developing people for the north 	Jackson Parker Trevor Howard			
4:00pm	Afternoon tea				
4:15pm	Other business - open discussion				
5:00pm	Close - dinner arrangements				
6:30pm	Group Dinner - TBA				

*Agenda subject to change