



2019 Annual Meeting

When and Where: December 3-4 in Cody, WY [**in association w/ WY Rural Fire Association Meeting (Dec 5-6)]

Host Facility: Holiday Inn (*Sponsored by Great Plains and Southern Rockies Fire Science Exchanges*)

Lodging: \$99/night block rate at Holiday Inn and Comfort Inn (breakfast)

Registration (no cost!): <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wyoming-prescribed-fire-council-meeting-registration-79821330749>

Tuesday – December 3rd, 2019

- 1 – 4 pm: **Executive Board/Advisory Board working Session (open to general membership)**
- 6:00 pm: Social (Millstone Pizza Company & Brewery)

Wednesday – December 4th, 2019

- 8 am: Coffee and Registration
- 8:30 am: **State of the WY-PFC**
 - *Randy Wendling* – Chair: Welcome and Overview of Organizational Efforts in 2019
 - *Josh Shroyer* – Outreach Chair: Social Media and Marketing Resources
 - *Derek Scasta* – Chair-Elect: Website Review
- 9:00 am: **Wyoming Rural Fire Association Update**
- 9:15 am: **Prescribed Fire Success Stories**
 - *Leslie Williams-Gomez*; Teton Interagency Fire (15)
 - *Eric/Mike* - BLM Wind River/Bighorn Basin District (15)
 - *Jill Randall* – Wyoming Game and Fish; Aspen Treatments (15)
 - *David Kane* – SR Cattle; Prescribed fire for ranch management (20)
- 10:20: Break
- 10:30 am: **Research and Education updates (30 minutes each)**
 - *Diane Abendroth* – NPS; Fire ecology in northwest Wyoming (40)
 - *Lauren Porensky* – USDA-ARS; Fire and cheatgrass (30)
 - *Steve Saunders* – Consultant/Bayer; Reducing fine fuels on native range (30)
- 12:15 am: Lunch (BREAK ON OWN)
- 1:30 pm: **Research and Education updates continued**
 - *Ron* – Fremont County Fuels; Fire adapted communities
 - *Micah* – National Weather Service; Fire matrix update
- 2:30: Break
- 2:45: **Looking to 2020 (Round Robin)**
 - Pack Test/Training Opportunities
 - 2020 Great Plains Fire Summit (September 22-24, 2020 in North Platte, NE)
 - Other Activities and Opportunities?
- 3:15 pm: **Convene Official Meeting of the Membership**
 - *Ryan Wilbur* – Summary of why we have organized
 - WY-PFC Looking to 2020 Winter tasks (web maintenance, finances)
 - Elections and Awards

December 5-6, 2019 – Wyoming Rural Fire Association Meeting

- WY-PFC will have 1 hour (1300-1400) to discuss the council and how we can help each other.