

Basic Wildfire Firefighter & Prescribed Fire Training (S-130 / S-190, I-100, L-180)

Thursday November 1, 2018

Hosted by: Tallgrass Restoration LLC

Schaumburg, IL.

What is this Training About?

These courses are being offered through a partnership between Tallgrass Restoration LLC and Incident Management Specialist LLC to the citizens in Illinois and Wisconsin and surrounding states. These courses are opportunities to educate the public on how to safely suppress wildfires and manage prescribed fires.

This 32-hour course encompasses S-130 Fire Fighter (24 hrs. online and 8 hrs. formal workshop), S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (self-study), L-180 Human Factors on the Fireline, and I-100 Introduction to the Incident Command System (self-study) training. It is designed for entry level firefighters and personnel and required by the National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG) for agencies subscribing to National Interagency Management System (NIMS).

Upon successful completion of this course, students will earn a NWCG certificate which may be necessary to work on wildfires or to participate in prescribe fires sponsored by some agencies. Some agencies also require that the person complete a physical fitness test before receiving the full qualifications of Wildland Fire Fighter Type II. These Wildfire Firefighter Type II courses are prerequisites for all other NWCG fire-related training

The curriculum for these courses includes: wildfire and prescribed fire terminology, effects of fuel, weather, and topography on wildfire and prescribe fire, fire line safety, fire line construction, transportation safety, fire physics, introduction to the Incident Command System, the use of basic firing equipment (such as fusees and drip torches), and introduction to wildland tools, pumps, engines, and hoses.

These courses are designed for entry-level personnel with little or no formal training in wildfire fire suppression or prescribe fire and who may or may not be full-time firefighters.

Location: The classroom/field day will be held on Thursday November 1, 2018 from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM at:

Tallgrass Restoration, LLC
2221 Hammond Drive
Schaumburg IL 60173

<https://www.tallgrassrestoration.com/>

Course Registration: You must register for these courses by October 19, 2018, to be eligible to attend the classroom/field day for these courses.

Instructor: This course will be taught by Incident Management Specialist LLC, instructor Ken Terrill from Sun Prairie, WI. Ken is certified by the National Wildfire Suppression Association (NWSA) to deliver courses approved by the National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG), which is the national organization that has developed the training and qualification standards for wildfire and prescribe fire professionals. Ken has over 30 years of experience in working wildfire and prescribe fire for the State of Wisconsin, South Dakota and nationally.

For more information on Incident Management Specialist LLC and Ken Terrill please go to the following website or LinkedIn account for more information.

Web Page: <https://incidentmanagementspecialist.com>

LinkedIn: ken.terrell3011@gmail.com

Prior to taking this course: Students must take the National Incident Management System (NIMS) "IS-100b Course" that is offered on-line. This on-line course includes a final exam. You must bring the course completion certificate from this on-line course to the classroom/field day established for this course. Students who fail to take this on-line course beforehand will be required to take and pass an additional exam during the course. Students that fail to successfully complete the IS-100 course or the Introduction to ICS exam will not receive a completion certificate for this class until they pass the course.

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What to bring to classroom/field day: This course is mainly classroom work, including chapter tests and a final exam. Students must attend all class hours to obtain certification. Students must bring a copy of all certificates that were issued upon the completion of each of the course modules for S-130/S-190/L-180.

Outdoors activities will be conducted on this field days for the course, depending on weather. Students should bring outdoor clothing (cotton or wool, no synthetics) and sturdy leather boots. Also, bring a hard hat, goggles, leather gloves, and Nomex clothing, if you have them.

To register for these courses: Please contact:

Ken Terrill
Incident Management Specialist LLC
3011 Scotland Parkway
Sun Prairie, WI. 53590

Phone: 608-358-0453
Email: ken.terrell3011@gmail.com

Registration fee for these courses is: \$250 per student that successfully completes the courses. The registration fee includes the following:

- Students will be provided the internet access link to access the course materials on line. The online course **will not** work on Apple computers so the student will need to make arrangements to complete the course modules only work on a computer that has a Windows Operating System.
- Unlimited scheduled time with course administrator Ken Terrill by phone or email, arranged while the student is working through the online portion of the course. Email ken.terrell3011@gmail.com or phone 608-358-0453 (cell).
- Course materials issued on the field day includes a Fireline Handbook, Incident Response Pocket Guide, Fire Exercise Day Checklists
- Course completion is registered in the national qualifications database established by the National Wildland Fire Suppression Association this which maintains a national list of the people that have successfully completed these NWCG certified courses.
- If the course is cancelled due to low enrolment the total fee will be **returned to the student**. A minimum of 15 students will need to register for the course or it will be cancelled.
- If a student has registered for the class and then cancels after October 20, 2018, a \$50 cancelation fee will be charged to the student and the remaining registration fee will be returned to the student.
- **No refunds will be issued for no shows.**

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Date completed _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ **Zip** _____

Email address _____

Fax _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Complete this course registration form and enclose a check (preferably a cashiers or certified check) for \$250 made out to Incident Management Specialist LLC and mail it to the address below by October 20, 2018

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Attention: Ken Terrill
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Registration can also be done online by going to the website <https://incidentmanagementspecialist.com>. Go to the registration tab and complete the student registration form and send by email to ken.terrell3011@gmail.com