

2024 Statewide DNR Operator Safety Training for Contractors

The Operator Safety Training is a fire line safety refresher that includes basic elements of the RT-130 course, L&I components, and a mock fire shelter deployment. It is intended for resources going to the fireline, such as fallers and heavy equipment operators who are:

- **Signing up for a DNR-Only Preseason Agreement -OR-**
- **Not signing up for an agreement but interested in Hire-at-Fire or Secondary Source List opportunities.**

Resources who sign up for a VIPR contract or Forest Service EERA must obtain training from an approved MOU provider. This DNR Operator Safety Training **will not** meet the criteria for those Federal Agreement requirements.

Pacific Cascade Region Trainings

Contact:

Emily Whalen
Wildland Fire Program Assistant PC Region
360-335-4813
Emily.whalen@dnr.wa.gov

Dates: 4/19/24

Time: 0800-1200

Location: PC Region Headquarter, 601 Bond Rd. Castle Rock, WA 98611

Southeast Region Trainings

Contact:

Nick Merth
(509) 899-9606
Nick.Merth@dnr.wa.gov

4/26/2024

0900

SE Region Office, Large Conference Room

713 Bowers Rd, Ellensburg WA 98926

P: 509-925-8510

Southeast Region Training (continued)

Contact:

Nick Merth
(509) 899-9606
Nick.Merth@dnr.wa.gov

5/10/2024

0900

SE Region Office, Large Conference Room
713 Bowers Rd, Ellensburg WA 98926
P: 509-925-8510

Northeast Region Trainings

Arcadia:

Contact:

Daniel Stralser
509-675-2586
Daniel.straiser@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 4/24/24

Time: 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Location: Deer Park Work Center, 1002 E. Crawford, Deer Park

Arcadia:

Date: 5/8/24

Time: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Location: Deer Park Work Center, 1002 E. Crawford, Deer Park

Highlands:

Contact:

Jadon McCabe
509-675-7992
Jadon.mccabe@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 3/23/24

Time: 0930

Location: Tonasket Fire Hall, 520 Western Ave

Northeast Region Trainings (continued)

Highlands:

Contact:

Jadon McCabe

509-675-7992

Jadon.mccabe@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 4/20/24

Time: 0930

Location: Republic Elementary School, 30306 E Highway 20

Columbia:

Contact:

Jared McLain

509-675-6845

Jared.mclain@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 3/9/24

Time: 0800

Location: DNR Armory, 225 S Silke Rd, Colville

Columbia:

Date: 3/16/24

Time: 0800

Location: Chewelah Fire Station, 409 E Clay Ave

Okanogan:

Contact:

Keegan McCormick

509-846-4105

Keegan.mccormick@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 6/1/24

Time: 0900

Location: DNR Work Center, 102 J Airport Rd, Omak

South Puget Sound Region Training

Contact:

SPS Dispatch
360-802-7058 or 360-802-7080
dnrrespsdispatch@dnr.wa.gov

Date: 4/13/2024

Time: 0900

Location: Tumwater Work Center, 801 88th Avenue SE, Tumwater WA

Olympic Region Training

Contact:

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Date: 5/2/2024

0900-1200

Forks, WA

Northwest Region Training-New

Contact:

NW Region Dispatch
360-854-2878
DNRNWDISPATCHERS@DNR.WA.GOV

Date: 6/1/24

0900

NW Region Office, 919 N. Township St Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284