To: Fire Training Representatives and Students

The following individuals have been selected to attend S-236 Heavy Equipment Boss (formerly S-232). The course will be held in Room 210 in the University of Montana’s School of Extended and Lifelong Learning (located on the southeast corner of the University Center in the James Todd Building). The course will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday April 10, 2014 and will conclude by 5:00 p.m. on Friday April 11, 2014.

**Aerial Fire Depot**
- Michael Bagan
- Samuel Bullington
- Edward Smith
- Ariel Starr

**Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF**
- Jeffrey Barnes
- Seth Bond
- Ryan Hennager
- Chris Hericks
- Logan Labbe
- David Rouse
- Jeremy Rux
- Tim Seidel
- Donovan Suko
- Matthew Todd

**Bitterroot NF**
- Jared Bohman
- Russell Buzzell
- Shane Doyle

**Clearwater NF**
- Kyle Hoyt
- Jon Norman
- Phillip Norton
- Warren Shrum

**CSKT Fire Management**
- John Holub
- John Keenan
- Richard LaRance
- Pierre Malatare
- John Stevens

**Gallatin NF**
- Brian Wilson

**Helena NF**
- Bethany Kurtz
- Morgan Nelson
- Sarah Nelson

**Lolo NF**
- Greg Anderson
- Dan Campbell
- Tate Cavill
- Kasey Craft
- Kyle Errecart
- Jim Faller

**Private**
- Ryle Benke
- Dan Campbell
- Tate Cavill
- Kasey Craft
- Kyle Errecart
- Jim Faller

**DNRC-SWLO**
- Ryan Hollingsworth

If students need to cancel out of the course, I need to be contacted by March 27 or the home unit will be charged the cost of the tuition ($300).

Questions regarding this course should be directed to me at the SW Montana Wildland Fire Training, School of Extended & Lifelong Learning, 32 Campus Dr #1728, Missoula, Montana, 59812-1728. (406) 243-4638 or chrismjjohnson@fs.fed.us

Chris “CJ” Johnson
To Course Participant,

April 9, 2014

Congratulations! You have been selected to attend the S-236 Heavy Equipment Boss course. The course will begin and end at 8:00 and 5:00 each day, and there will be a one hour break for lunch.

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE INCLUDED IN YOUR COURSE PACKET

☐ The course selection letter with all students’ names listed. This is to help ensure car-pooling if possible. (This should be on the back of this page.)

☐ University of Montana (UM) Logistics Link for those of you who have not been here before.

The course will be held in the James Todd Continuing Education Building, which is on the southeast corner of the University Center. The building and nearby parking are highlighted on the map. When arriving at the University on Campus Drive, look for the green metal roofs over the porches on the south side of the building. Find links to logistical information, including lodging: http://www.umt.edu/ce/fire/information.aspx

LOW-COST LODGING INFORMATION:
The dorm at the AFD is also a less expensive alternative, and the information for that can be found at http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/nr/logistics

PARKING
You will be given a parking permit when you arrive at the course. If you drive, please park in an area with a sign stating “permit needed”, and then come into the building to get one to put in your car. The permit is not valid in “hourly parking” or Quick stop 20 minute parking. If you have a government vehicle you do not need a parking pass, but don’t park in “Hourly” or you may still get a ticket.

WHAT YOU SHOULD BRING WITH YOU TO THE COURSE:

☐ Note pad, pencil, or pen for taking notes.

☐ Your Fireline Handbook & your Incident Response Pocket Guide.

☐ Your Wildland Fire Suppression Tactics Guide. I have extras here if you need one.

☐ If you like to drink beverages during class, please bring a cup with a lid (to prevent spilling on the course materials).

CANCELLATIONS: If you need to cancel, please get in touch with us as soon as possible. If you don’t contact me before March 27 you could be charged the full cost of the tuition.

MESSAGES:

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If someone needs to be able to get in touch with you during the class, a message may be left at 243-4623 and we will get the message to you. If you need to get in touch with me before the course, I can be reached at 529-7751 or chrismjohnson@fs.fed.us

SPECIAL NEEDS
If you have a preference for where you sit in the class, need to be accommodated in some way to better understand the course, etc. please get in touch with me before the course begins so I can work with you.

We look forward to seeing you at the class!

Chris “CJ” Johnson
Course Coordinator