

## **RMTC Course Announcement**

Course: RT-372 Helicopter Manager Workshop

Dates: April 29th - May 1st, 2025

Location: Fort Collins, CO (USDA APHIS AAMD, Ft. C. / 2150 Centre Ave, Bldg. B, Fort Collins, CO 80526) Sweet Grass Meeting Room.

**Course Description**: This refresher course is intended to update participants on essential helicopter management skills and provide the latest information on helicopter operations. Core elements of the refresher course should cover updates to aviation policy, risk management, and performance planning, along with a pertinent accident review. The desired outcome of this course is to update current Helicopter Managers on new information while reinforcing existing skills and knowledge.

## Course Objectives:

- Review essential duties and responsibilities of the Helicopter Manager.
- Use risk management techniques to complete assignments safely.
- Update and maintain helicopter management skills.
- Understand changes to aviation policy and how they apply to helicopter management.

**Target Audience**: Qualified and trainee Helicopter Manager (<u>HMGB</u>) & Helicopter Manager Limited/Restricted (<u>HMLR</u>).

## **Course Prerequisites:**

- Qualified or trainee Helicopter Manager (<u>HMGB</u>) or Helicopter Manager Limited/Restricted (<u>HMLR</u>).
- Satisfactory completion of pre-course work.

Course Pre-work: 4 hours

Instructor Lead training: 20 hours

Tuition: None

Nominations Due: April 12th, 2025, via Wildland Fire Learning Portal

• Pre-course work, course agenda and course roster will be provided by RMTC via email to confirmed participants on April 14<sup>th</sup>.

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