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## **US&R GENERAL MEMORANDUM – 2018-063**

June 20, 2018

**FOR:** National Urban Search & Rescue Response System  
Task Force Representatives

**FROM:** Wanda Casey, Chief  
Program Management Section  
Urban Search and Rescue Branch

**SUBJECT:** US&R General Memorandum 2018-063 – Quarterly Conference Call with US&R  
Task Force Grant Managers – July 10, 2018

The purpose of this General Memorandum is to announce the next Quarterly Grant Manager Conference Call. These calls, facilitated by the Finance Subgroup, will be held each quarter to provide a forum for presentation of important information related to the financial administration of the US&R Readiness and Response Cooperative Agreements.

The next conference call is scheduled to take place on **Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at 2:00pm (ET)**.

The agenda for this meeting is as follows:

- Welcome and Opening Remarks from Monique Williams, Finance Subgroup Chair
- System updates pertaining to grants and finance
- Updates:
  - June Grants Subgroup Meeting
  - FY2018 Award Update
  - Responsesystem.org
  - Reimbursement Issues (process, 143's & 119's, approvals, denials, appeals, etc.)
  - GMs and PDs (2018-058a)
- Other
- Questions/Comments

To participate in the call, dial: **800-320-4330, Pin: 450235#**. Any member of a US&R Task Force Administrative Staff is welcome and encouraged to participate in this call.

Any questions concerning this meeting should be addressed to Monique Williams, Finance Subgroup Leader (MAWillia@vbgov.com); Joy Ganzel, Finance Subgroup Deputy Leader (jganzel@westmetrofire.org); or Buddy Ey, US&R Branch (elwood.ey-iii@fema.dhs.gov).

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