VIPR – ROSS VERSION 2.16.4

1. Exclamation point on the pending request VIPR tab: If there is an exclamation point on the pending request screen in the "!" column of the VIPR tab it means there was an error when ROSS attempted to pull the most current information from VIPR. You will then need to go to the VIPR Dispatch Priority List website and use that list until the problem is resolved.

2. If a VIPR resource has more than one classification and is not a service type resource it will show on the Resource Status screen at the host dispatch in one line item only. For example, a resource is contracted as a Water Tender and a Gray Water Truck. It will only show on the Resource Status screen as one or the other and will not be listed twice.

3. If a VIPR resource has more than one classification, it will show up on the pending request screen as either one or the other. For example, a resource is contracted as a Water Tender T2 and a Gray Water Truck T2. The resource shows in ROSS as a Water Tender T2. A request for a Gray Water Truck is in your pending request screen.   On the VIPR tab of the Pending Request screen there is a Water Tender T2 showing as available. Upon viewing the resource, it shows classifications of a Water Tender T2 and a Gray Water Truck T2. You fill the request with that resource and upon filling, the information on the resource assigned column is "Gray Water Truck - T2 - <vendor name> - <VIN>".

4. For Service type VIPR resources where you fill with the same vendor multiple times – ie – Tents, Service - Porta-Potties, Service - Handwashing station (portable), Service – Mobile Mechanic, Service - Temporary Tower. There will be a "Fill with VIPR" option on the Action button on the Pending Request screen where you will fill these items. They will not show on the VIPR tab.

   See Table 1, "VIPR Resources" for correct ROSS ordering.

PENDING REQUEST SCREEN – FILL WITH AGREEMENT AND FILL WITH LOCAL PURCHASE – ROSS VERSION 2.16.4

New functionality and new fields have been added to the "Fill with Agreement" and the "Fill with Local Purchase" screens. The additional fields are not required and therefore will not stop you from filling a request if you don't have all the information.

Fill with Agreement

Some of the new fields on the "Fill with Agreement" screen are:

- Make
- Model
- Color
- VIN

- Year
- License # and State
- Serial Number
- Unique ID

When a resource is filled by using 'Fill with Agreement" and you enter the VIN upon filling that resource, a warning message will pop up stating this is a duplicate VIN if another resource with the same VIN is detected in the ROSS system. This action will not prevent you from using the "Fill with Agreement" option. An example where this could happen would be if both the state and federal have separate contracts with resource #1 and resource #1 is a VIPR resource within ROSS. The state has an incident and uses 'Fill with Agreement" to fill the request with resource #1 and the VIN is entered. ROSS will recognize the VIN and a message will tell you this is a duplicate resource. This will not prevent the 'Fill with Agreement" from happening. However, the VIPR resource item status will not change. It could still show as Available.

Fill with Local Purchase

Some of the new fields on the "Fill with Local Purchase" are:

- Total Cost
- Payment Type
- Check Number
- Card Holder

On the "Fill with Local Purchase" screen the option of filling a request with more than one vendor will be available. For example – S-5 is a request for 200 folders. Walmart can only fill 100 and Right Aid can fill the other 100. You will be able to separate those two vendors and show as filled on the same request.

A new checkbox delineating the request as a Buying Team request will be available on the New Request screen.

Remember – if you want to track the request you must click on the "Track Request" checkbox on the Fill Request screen.

SEARCH FOR RESOURCES – ROSS VERSION 2.16.4

New functionality on the Search for Resources screen will allow you to search on a wider variety of criteria.

New fields include:

- Qualification
- Trainees Only
- Call Sign
- Home Unit

- Home GACC
- Current GACC
- Provider Agency
- Contract Number
- Vendor
- Incident Name
- Incident Number

In addition, the option to print out the associated screen will be available. For example – if you want to see all trainee Division Group Supervisors with a certain provider you could enter those criteria and print out the results directly from the Search for Resource screen grid.

IRWIN TO ROSS – ROSS VERSION 2.16.3

Incident Types

The following incident types entered into IFM, FireBeans, Dispatch Tracker, and WildCAD v6 will show up on the Incident List screen of ROSS:

- Debris/Product Fire (DF)
- Structure Fire (SF)
- Vehicle Fire (VF)
- Wildfire (WF)
- Prescribed Fire (RX)

You do not have to "Add to ROSS" any of the incidents that show up on the Incident List screen. However, if you create the same incident in ROSS with the same incident number in CAD, the CAD incident will override the ROSS information even if you did not "Add to ROSS" on the Incident List screen.

If you create an incident in CAD and then close it in CAD, the incident will still show on your Incident List in ROSS on the open screen with an "n/a" in the "Can be Closed?" column. To close the incident you will need to "Add To ROSS" and then close it. This will clear it from your open incident list. It will now show on your closed incident list.

If you initially create an incident as a False Alarm (FA) in CAD, it will not show on the Incident List screen. A False Alarm will only show on the Incident List screen if you update or edit an incident to a False Alarm in CAD.

Unit ID Issues with IRWIN to ROSS

All Unit IDs/Hosts/Dispatch Centers in CAD must match the Unit IDs/Hosts/Dispatch Centers in ROSS and vice versa.

If you create an incident in CAD under a specific Dispatch Center and the Dispatch Center Unit ID is not in ROSS, you could get an error message in ROSS.

If you create an incident in CAD with a host Unit ID that is not in ROSS but the same Dispatch Center Unit ID is in ROSS, it is possible the incident will show up in the Incident List screen in ROSS but you will not be able to add the incident to ROSS.

If this is a new Unit ID, you will need to work with your Unit ID GACC representative to request a new Unit ID. Once it is approved, the ROSS data steward will be able to add it to ROSS. This process could take up to one month as the Unit ID board only meets once a month.

If this is an additional host unit to be added to ROSS, your GACC will need to add it to your ROSS. It would benefit each unit to compare unit IDs in CAD and ROSS to be sure they all match.

Complex Incidents and IRWIN

If you create a complex in CAD, it will not be pulled into ROSS as a complex when you "Add to ROSS" on the Incident List screen. If you want the incident to show as a complex in ROSS, you would have to create the incident in CAD and mark it as a complex. Then you would have to also create the incident in ROSS and check the "Complex" checkbox on the New Incident screen prior to adding the CAD incident to ROSS. This may not be an issue as out of 100 complexes in 2014 only a few of them actually had the "Complex" box checked in ROSS. The rest just added the name "Complex" to the end of the incident name.

Header Information and IRWIN

Be aware – the header information from CAD will always override the header information in ROSS. So if you change any of the header information in ROSS – it will be overridden from CAD. So always make the header information change in CAD. Header information includes: Name, Initial Date/Time, Number, Type, Description, Office Reference, Location, Minimum and Maximum Elevation, External Dispatch & Host Information, and Billing and Benefitting Organizational Units.

Remember – if CAD is referenced above – the functionality only happens with IFM, FireBeans, Dispatch Tracker, and WildCAD. The functionality does not apply to Altaris CAD. Altaris CAD incidents will show on the Incident List screen; however those incidents do not come through IRWIN so the IRWIN rules do not apply.

IMPORT FIRECODE BUTTON – ROSS VERSION 2.16.3

If a firecode has been created for an incident, a ROSS user will be able to import that firecode and edit it in ROSS on the Incident screen –> Financial Code tab. For example – the El Dorado National Forest has a fire and creates a firecode in the FireCode system for that incident. The incident is pushed into ROSS via Altaris CAD. On the Incident screen -> Financial Code tab, the "Import Firecode" button will be highlighted. If you click on that button, the 4 alpha-numeric characters will show. You can then add the P5 and the override code or other additional alpha-numeric characters. You will still need to add the owner.

Another example – there is a CalFire incident out of Red Bluff Communication Center. Because Forest Service resources respond, North Ops GACC creates a firecode for that incident. In the Red Bluff Communication Center ROSS Incident screen –> Financial Code tab – the "Import Firecode" button is available and Red Bluff Communication Center can bring that code into their ROSS. They will just have to know what the additional alpha numeric characters (i.e. PN) and possible override code would need to be added (i.e. 1502) as well as who the owner would be.

If the incident is a BLM or any other agency that uses FireCode, the additional characters may be added to the original 4 alpha-numeric FireCode after clicking the "Import FireCode" button.

If the 'Import FireCode' button on the Incident screen -> Financial Code tab is not highlighted, this would indicate there is no matching firecode in the FireCode program.

Table 1 – VIPR Resources

VIPR Solicitation Year	Catalog – Aircraft, Equipment, Overhead, or Supply In ROSS	ROSS Category, Item Name (How to order)	ROSS Resource Prefix (How resource is filled)
2012	Aircraft	Service – Aviation; Service - Temporary Tower	Service - Temporary Tower
2012	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Crash Rescue (Aircraft), Type 2	CRASH RESCUE - T2
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Chipper, Type 1	CHIPPER - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Chipper, Type 2	CHIPPER - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Chipper, Type 3	CHIPPER - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Chipper, Type Any	CHIPPER – T1 - CHIPPER – T2 - CHIPPER – T3 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Clerical Support Unit	CLERICAL SUPPORT UNIT
2012	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Bus, Coach	BUS - COACH -
2014	Equipment	Trailer; Trailer - Communications	TRAILER - COMMUNICATIONS
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Bus, Crew Carrier	BUS - CREW CARRIER -
2014	Equipment	Dozer; Dozer, Type 1	DOZER - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Dozer; Dozer, Type 2	DOZER - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Dozer; Dozer, Type 3	DOZER - T3 -
2014	Equipment	Dozer; Dozer, Type Any	DOZER – T1 - DOZER – T2 - DOZER – T3 -
2013	Equipment	Engine; Engine, Type 3	ENGINE - T3 -
2013	Equipment	Engine; Engine, Type 4	ENGINE - T4 -
2013	Equipment	Engine; Engine, Type 5	ENGINE - T5 -
2013	Equipment	Engine; Engine, Type 6	ENGINE - T6 -
2013	Equipment	Engine; Engine, Type 3, 4, 5, or 6	ENGINE – T3 - ENGINE – T4 - ENGINE – T5 - ENGINE – T6 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Excavator, Type 1	EXCAVATOR - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Excavator, Type 2	EXCAVATOR - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Excavator, Type 3	EXCAVATOR - T3 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Excavator, Type 4	EXCAVATOR - T4 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Excavator, Type Any	EXCAVATOR – T1 - EXCAVATOR – T2 - EXCAVATOR – T3 - EXCAVATOR – T4 -
2014	Overhead	Groups; Faller, Single	FALLER – SINGLE -
2014	Overhead	Groups; Module, Faller	MODULE - FALLER -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Feller Buncher, Type 1	FELLER BUNCHER - T1 -

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2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Feller Buncher, Type 2	FELLER BUNCHER - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Feller Buncher, Type Any	FELLER BUNCHER – T1 - FELLER BUNCHER - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Fuel Tender, Type 1	FUEL TENDER - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Fuel Tender, Type 2	FUEL TENDER - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Fuel Tender, Type 3	FUEL TENDER - T3 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Fuel Tender, Type Any	FUEL TENDER – T1 - FUEL TENDER - T2 - FUEL TENDER - T3 -
2014	Equipment	Trailer; Trailer - GIS	TRAILER- GIS – T1 -
2014	Equipment	Trailer; Trailer - GIS	TRAILER- GIS – T2 -
2014	Equipment	Trailer; Trailer - GIS	TRAILER- GIS – T3 -
2015	Equipment	Gray Water Truck; Gray Water Truck, Type 1	GRAY WATER TRUCK - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Gray Water Truck; Gray Water Truck, Type 2	GRAY WATER TRUCK - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Gray Water Truck; Gray Water Truck, Type 3	GRAY WATER TRUCK - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Gray Water Truck; Gray Water Truck, Type 4	GRAY WATER TRUCK - T4 -
2015	Equipment	Gray Water Truck; Gray Water Truck, Type Any	GRAY WATER TRUCK – T1 - GRAY WATER TRUCK - T2 - GRAY WATER TRUCK - T3 - GRAY WATER TRUCK - T4 -
2015	Supply	Service, Sanitation; Service - Handwashing Station (Portable)	Service - Handwashing Station (Portable) -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Handwashing Station (Trailer Mounted)	HANDWASHING STATION (TAILER MOUNTED)
2014	Equipment	Trailer; Trailer - Helicopter Operations Support	TRAILER - HOS -
2014	Supply	Service, Miscellaneous; Service - Mobile Mechanic	Service - Mobile Mechanic – Chainsaw -
2014	Supply	Service, Miscellaneous; Service - Mobile Mechanic	Service - Mobile Mechanic - T1 - Heavy
2014	Supply	Service, Miscellaneous; Service - Mobile Mechanic	Service - Mobile Mechanic - T2 - Light
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Laundry, Mobile	MOBILE LAUNDRY - T1
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Laundry, Mobile	MOBILE LAUNDRY - T2
2015		Trailer; Trailer - Mobile Sleeper Unit	MOBILE SLEEPER UNIT
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Masticator - Boom Mounted, Type 2	MASTICATOR - BOOM MOUNTED - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Masticator - Boom Mounted, Type 3	MASTICATOR - BOOM MOUNTED - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Masticator - Boom Mounted, Type 4	MASTICATOR - BOOM MOUNTED - T4 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Masticator - Boom Mounted, Type Any	MASTICATOR - BOOM MOUNTED – T2 MASTICATOR - BOOM MOUNTED - T3
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Strip Mulchers/Masticators Type 1	STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Strip Mulchers/Masticators Type 2	STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Strip Mulchers/Masticators Type 3	STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS - T3 -

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2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Strip Mulchers/Masticators Type Any	STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS – T1 - STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS – T2 - STRIP MULCHERS/MASTICATORS – T3 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Pickup	PICKUP - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Pickup	PICKUP - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Pickup	PICKUP - T3 -
2015	Supply	Service, Sanitation; Service - Porta Potties	Service - Porta Potties -
2015	Equipment	Potable Water Truck; Potable Water Truck, Type 1	POTABLE WATER TRUCK - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Potable Water Truck; Potable Water Truck, Type 2	POTABLE WATER TRUCK - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Potable Water Truck; Potable Water Truck, Type 3	POTABLE WATER TRUCK - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Potable Water Truck; Potable Water Truck, Type 4	POTABLE WATER TRUCK - T4 -
2015	Equipment	Potable Water Truck; Potable Water Truck, Type Any	POTABLE WATER TRUCK – T1 - POTABLE WATER TRUCK – T2 - POTABLE WATER TRUCK – T3 - POTABLE WATER TRUCK – T4 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Pumper Cat, Type 1	PUMPER CAT - T1 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Pumper Cat, Type 2	PUMPER CAT - T2 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Pumper Cat, Type 3	PUMPER CAT - T3 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Pumper Cat, Type Any	PUMPER CAT – T1 - PUMPER CAT – T2 - PUMPER CAT – T3 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Truck / Trailer, Refrigeration	REFRIGERATOR TRAILER - T1 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Truck / Trailer, Refrigeration	REFRIGERATOR TRAILER - T2 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Truck / Trailer, Refrigeration	REFRIGERATOR TRAILER - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Road Grader, Type 1	ROAD GRADER - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Road Grader, Type 2	ROAD GRADER - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Road Grader Type Any	ROAD GRADER – T1 - ROAD GRADER – T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidder, Type 1	SKIDDER - T1 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidder, Type 2	SKIDDER - T2 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidder, Type 3	SKIDDER - T3 -
2015	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidder, Type Any	SKIDDER – T1 - SKIDDER – T2 - SKIDDER – T3 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Type 1	SKIDGINE - T1 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Type 2	SKIDGINE - T2 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Type 3	SKIDGINE - T3 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Type 4	SKIDGINE - T4 -

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2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Type Any	SKIDGINE – T1 - SKIDGINE – T2 - SKIDGINE – T3 - SKIDGINE – T4 -
2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Skidgine, Softtrack	SKIDGINE - SOFTTRACK
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Vehicle, Sport Utility (SUV)	SUV - Large
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Vehicle, Sport Utility (SUV)	SUV -Small
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Stakeside	STAKESIDE - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Stakeside	STAKESIDE - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Tent	Tent - T1
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Tent	Tent - T2
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Tent	Tent - T3
2014	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Tent	Tent - T4
2014	Equipment	Tractor Plow; Tractor Plow, Type 2	TRACTOR-PLOW - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Tractor Plow; Tractor Plow, Type 3	TRACTOR-PLOW - T3 -
2014	Equipment	Tractor Plow; Tractor Plow, Type Any	TRACTOR-PLOW – T2 - TRACTOR-PLOW – T3 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Lowboy, Type 1	LOWBOY - T1 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Lowboy, Type 2	LOWBOY - T2 -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Lowboy, Type 3	LOWBOY - T3 -
2012	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Vehicle, Utility Terrain (UTV)	UTV -
2014	Equipment	Transportation; Transportation, Van, Passenger	VAN - PASSENGER
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Support); Tender, Water (Support), Type 1	WATER TENDER - SUPPORT - T1
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Support); Tender, Water (Support), Type 2	WATER TENDER - SUPPORT - T2
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Support); Tender, Water (Support), Type 3	WATER TENDER - SUPPORT - T3
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Support); Tender, Water (Support), Type Any	WATER TENDER - SUPPORT – T1 - WATER TENDER - SUPPORT – T2 - WATER TENDER - SUPPORT – T3 -
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Tactical); Tender, Water (Tactical), Type 1	WATER TENDER - TACTICAL - T1 -
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Tactical); Tender, Water (Tactical), Type 2	WATER TENDER - TACTICAL - T2 -
2013	Equipment	Tender, Water (Tactical); Tender, Water (Tactical), Type Any	WATER TENDER - TACTICAL – T1 - WATER TENDER - TACTICAL – T2 -

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2013	Equipment	Miscellaneous; Weed Washing Unit	WEED WASHING UNIT