

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, June 18, 2009 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (93 new fires)
 New large fires: 2 (*)
 Large fires contained: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 5
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

** Uncontained large fires do not include confine/contain incidents. **
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 11
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Diamond, Gila NF. IMT 2 (McBratney). IMT also managing the Meason fire. Confine / contain management strategy. Forty-five miles northeast of Silver City, NM. Grass. Moderate fire activity.

Meason, Gila NF. Confine / contain management strategy. Twenty-six miles north of Mimbres, NM. Hardwood litter. Moderate fire activity.

Pasco, Socorro District, New Mexico State Forestry. Forty-two miles south of Animas, NM. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

Elk Horn, Tucson District, Arizona State Forestry. Twenty-six miles southwest of Three Points, AZ. Brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior.

Pioneer, Tonto NF. Eight miles south of Globe, AZ. Chaparral. Moderate fire activity.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Diamond	NM	GNF	12,082	1,020	NR	7/30	34	0	1	0	0	0	805K	FS
Meason	NM	GNF	6,126	340	NR	7/30	104	3	2	5	0	0	1.4M	FS
Pasco	NM	N3S	93,029	0	85	6/21	47	-12	2	2	1	0	414K	ST
Elk Horn	AZ	A3S	23,370	6,370	65	6/25	159	-40	5	6	2	0	866K	ST
Pioneer	AZ	TNF	1,385	5	55	6/18	87	0	2	4	2	0	2.6M	FS
* Stoner	NM	N4S	1,795	---	100	---	1	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

N4S – Las Vegas District, New Mexico DOF

Alaska Area (PL 1)

New fires: 6
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 2

Tonclonukna Creek, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Seven miles south of Telida, AK. Black spruce and tundra. No new information.

Winter Trail, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Ten miles west of Aniak, AK. Spruce and tundra. Active fire behavior with group torching and short-range spotting.

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Tonclonukna Creek	AK	SWS	44,725	6,685	NR	UNK	25	0	1	0	1	0	569K	ST
* Winter Trail	AK	SWS	1,000	---	NR	UNK	55	---	2	0	0	0	NR	ST
Cobalt Creek	AK	SWS	895	0	100	---	36	0	2	0	0	0	340K	ST

Predictive Services Discussion: Scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue over the Alaska interior today. Scattered, mostly wet, thunderstorms are also on tap for Southwest. The rest of the West will be generally dry with most of the thunderstorm activity over the Rockies.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

Taking a Nap Near the Fireline

Firefighting is often exhausting work and firefighters can find themselves needing to sleep while on the fireline. Before pausing to rest, firefighters must weigh the following considerations:

- Are lookouts posted? Discuss who that lookout can be. Can the lookout on the knob across the draw watch over you or does it need to be your partner on the fireline alternating rest times?
- Is the area free of hazards? (Falling snags or rolling materials) Discuss what you need to do to create a safe resting area.
- Are you still within agency work and rest guidelines? Review what these guidelines are.
- Does your crew need a break? Have they been pushed too hard? Talk about situations where you need to simply take yourself and/or your crew off the fire for uninterrupted rest.
- To reduce risks:
 - Keep lookouts posted; rotate lookouts.
 - Communicate crew conditions and status to supervisor or chain-of-command contact. Have firefighters discuss ways that they fine to rest on the fireline and suggestions for methods to alternate shifts for more effective firefighting.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1			5		6
	ACRES		1			4		5
Northwest	FIRES	3				28	1	32
	ACRES	3				56	0	59
Northern California	FIRES					7	2	9
	ACRES					4	0	4
Southern California	FIRES					8	2	10
	ACRES					215	0	215
Northern Rockies	FIRES					2	4	6
	ACRES					2	0	2
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	3	1			4	3	11
	ACRES	2	383			87	125	597
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					1		1
Southern Area	FIRES					10	1	11
	ACRES					83	19	102
TOTAL	FIRES	6	3	0	0	69	15	93
	ACRES	5	384	0	0	452	144	985

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		19	11	3	235	4	272
	ACRES		9,869	8,023	2,570	195,718	0	216,180
Northwest	FIRES	77	73	1	4	214	170	539
	ACRES	243	1,614	2	2	637	313	2,811
Northern California	FIRES	27	20	1	6	576	226	856
	ACRES	22	19	0	1	1,514	306	1,862
Southern California	FIRES	8	21	3	6	1,129	189	1,356
	ACRES	0	473	4	550	3,655	2,496	7,178
Northern Rockies	FIRES	197	11	5	1	114	97	425
	ACRES	546	433	389	0	14,926	236	16,530
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	50	3	4	70	34	164
	ACRES	20	70	187	0	216	6	499
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	57		2	30	18	110
	ACRES	20	197		0	68	6	291
Southwest	FIRES	336	145	5	32	473	381	1,372
	ACRES	8,329	64,803	13	2,053	254,773	42,000	371,971
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	166	54	13	4	209	51	497
	ACRES	854	49	533	43	61,693	227	63,399
Eastern Area	FIRES	388		27	24	10,948	457	11,844
	ACRES	1,205		767	110	102,032	6,475	110,589
Southern Area	FIRES	293		150	40	27,126	482	28,091
	ACRES	35,253		27,204	62,241	834,699	24,766	984,163
TOTAL	FIRES	1,498	450	219	126	41,124	2,109	45,526
	ACRES	46,492	77,527	37,122	67,570	1,469,931	76,831	1,775,473

Ten Year Average Fires	38,255
Ten Year Average Acres	1,348,645

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					1		1
Northern California	FIRES					2	2	4
	ACRES					55	132	187
Southern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						1	1
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES		1		0		1	2
	ACRES		3,620		45		30	3,695
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						685	685
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	3	7	11
	ACRES	0	3,620	0	45	56	848	4,569

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					8		8
	ACRES					3,068		3,068
Northwest	FIRES	15	100	19	2		82	218
	ACRES	7,122	7,746	4,068	31		12,258	31,225
Northern California	FIRES	26	16	17	33	18	189	299
	ACRES	224	2,515	26,529	163	2,520	8,797	40,748
Southern California	FIRES		7	9	4		132	152
	ACRES		484	748	263		9,506	11,001
Northern Rockies	FIRES	19	21	75	2	24	175	316
	ACRES	1,112	4,034	18,310	345	2,241	17,247	43,289
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	31	2	9	28	42	113
	ACRES	8	2,985	770	317	219	9,620	13,919
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6	2			5	13
	ACRES		1,268	62			219	1,549
Southwest	FIRES	17	27	3	8		187	242
	ACRES	809	40,538	501	1,099		84,325	127,272
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	37	40	102	10	35	120	344
	ACRES	3,511	4,714	17,307	5,851	876	28,549	60,808
Eastern Area	FIRES	65		416	40	1,728	161	2,410
	ACRES	72,679		63,543	9,200	81,341	45,327	272,090
Southern Area	FIRES	5		242	76	780	974	2,077
	ACRES	2,370		123,874	88,609	282,212	919,178	1,416,243
TOTAL	FIRES	185	248	887	184	2,621	2,067	6,192
	ACRES	87,835	64,284	255,712	105,878	372,477	1,135,026	2,021,212

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Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	5	410	754	38,846
Yukon Territory	0	350	35	22,530
Alberta	20	8,867	910	36,185
Northwest Territory	1	257	17	485
Saskatchewan	34	5,380	409	20,579
Manitoba	24	54	90	2,079
Ontario	17	21	171	242
Quebec	2	0	217	309
Newfoundland	4	3	96	374
New Brunswick	0	0	151	232
Nova Scotia	0	0	129	937
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	50	22,958
Total	107	15,341	3,029	145,753

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