

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Monday, April 26, 2010 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

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

Nationally, there is 1 large fire being managed with minimal or no resource commitment.

** Uncontained large fires do not include confine/contain and resource benefit incidents.**

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Eastern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 0
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 2 IMTs committed 1

Tower Complex, Minnesota State Forestry. IMT2 (Hinds). Ten miles south of Tower, MN. Timber, brush, hardwood slash, and grass. Creeping and smoldering.

Floodwood Lake 82, Minnesota State Forestry. Six miles east of Goodland, MN. Grass. Smoldering.

Nelson Prairie, Detroit Lakes NWR. Three miles northeast of Bejou, MN. Hardwood litter and grass. No new information.

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
Tower Complex	MN	MNS	558	0	90	UNK	48	-3	1	4	0	0	305K	ST
Floodwood Lake - 82	MN	MNS	517	-30	60	4/28	74	39	1	2	1	1	20K	ST
Nelson Prairie	MN	NWR	535	---	90	UNK	2	---	0	1	0	0	1K	FWS
* Exhaust	MI	HMF	260	---	100	---	28	---	0	10	0	0	NR	FS

HMF – Huron–Manistee NF

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 0
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Stoney Fork, National Forests in North Carolina. Three miles southeast of Barnardsville, NC. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

Bowling Green, National Forests in North Carolina. Five miles southeast of Erwin, TN. Hemlock and hardwood litter. No further information received.

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Stoney Fork	NC	NCF	328	0	95	UNK	0	-88	0	0	0	0	719K	FS
Bowling Green	NC	NCF	200	0	95	UNK	0	-58	0	0	0	0	735K	FS

Predictive Services Discussion: A large low pressure system will move into the Northeast today with widespread precipitation from the Ohio River Valley to New England. Behind the storm system, low relative humidity will develop across the Great Lakes states. Relatively dry and breezy conditions will develop across northern Florida where fuels have received little precipitation over the past week.

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



Today's discussion is from the
Miscellaneous Category.

RESPONDING TO VEHICLE FIRES

Suppression of vehicle fires is extremely dangerous and poses many health hazards to firefighters. The following procedures are recommended:

- Secure the scene and provide or request assistance for traffic control.
- Provide for your escape route at the scene.
- Do not use road flares if fuel is leaking from the vehicle or if wildland fuel is nearby.
- Vehicle fires are considered a hazardous materials scene. Suppression action should only be taken if the crew is trained, equipped, and authorized in the use of Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA).
- If taking suppression action on wildland fuels, firefighters should ensure that they are a safe distance from the burning vehicle (100-feet minimum), and avoid contact with vehicle fire smoke or fumes.
- Check vehicle for hazmat placard
- Vehicle fires in remote areas are often associated with illegal drug manufacturing – request and wait for law enforcement

References:

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		23		24
	ACRES			0		1,207		1,207
Northwest	FIRES	8	1			6	7	22
	ACRES	193	0			2	0	195
Northern California	FIRES					146	10	156
	ACRES					10	6	16
Southern California	FIRES		3			189	39	231
	ACRES		221			264	116	601
Northern Rockies	FIRES	111	2	0		55	25	193
	ACRES	1,652	16	760		470	96	2,994
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	5	10			37	7	59
	ACRES	14	68			356	371	809
Western Great Basin	FIRES		7	1		7		15
	ACRES		0	15		28		43
Southwest	FIRES	77	42	1	15	100	86	321
	ACRES	431	763	3	13	20,267	2,625	24,102
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	65	9	2	3	50	7	136
	ACRES	1,176	218	2,926	0	10,309	12	14,641
Eastern Area	FIRES	537		8	8	4,571	351	5,475
	ACRES	2,661		2,964	2	48,311	5,016	58,954
Southern Area	FIRES	482		38	19	12,133	364	13,036
	ACRES	31,863		711	108	167,433	15,403	215,518
TOTAL	FIRES	1,285	74	51	45	17,317	896	19,668
	ACRES	37,990	1,286	7,379	123	248,657	23,645	319,080

Ten Year Average Fires	26,364
Ten Year Average Acres	800,327

*** 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							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					3,517		3,517
Northwest	FIRES	5	29	4	1		43	82
	ACRES	2,015	5,097	1,610	11		2,891	11,624
Northern California	FIRES		19	9	12		166	206
	ACRES		346	8,779	23		3,469	12,617
Southern California	FIRES		2	6			213	221
	ACRES		732	263			1,460	2,455
Northern Rockies	FIRES	45	15	37	1	7	98	203
	ACRES	573	1,614	9,358	55	147	11,851	23,598
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		13	7	2	9	17	48
	ACRES		1,228	3,240	53	731	4,493	9,745
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2			5	10
	ACRES		68	1,395			118	1,581
Southwest	FIRES	3	12	4	5		64	88
	ACRES	10	11,861	18	840		18,433	31,162
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	32	49	55	13	36	142	327
	ACRES	1,683	4,002	8,399	2,373	5,562	18,384	40,403
Eastern Area	FIRES	41		62	22	863	117	1,105
	ACRES	61,713		8,957	5,504	56,408	54,932	187,514
Southern Area	FIRES	15		173	61	8,685	1,027	9,961
	ACRES	2,705		71,199	55,182	212,852	1,036,220	1,378,158
TOTAL	FIRES	141	142	359	117	9,606	1,892	12,257
	ACRES	68,699	24,948	113,218	64,041	279,217	1,152,251	1,702,374

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>.

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