National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Friday, June 25, 2010 – 0530 MT National Preparedness Level 2

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (124 new fires)
New large fires:	2 (*)
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires: **	12
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	5

Nationally, there are 41 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives. ** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy. **

Link to Geographic Area daily reports.

Department of Interior personnel are assigned to several locations in the Gulf of Mexico to assess and mitigate impacts resulting from the Deepwater Horizon oil spill.

- A total of 499 personnel are assigned to the Fish and Wildlife Service at Delta, Breton and Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuges, as well as Houma, LA and Mobile, AL.

- A total of 88 National Park Service personnel are assigned to Gulf Islands National Seashore, Jean Lafitte Park and Preserve, Everglades National Park, Dry Tortugas, Biscayne National Park, De Soto National Memorial and Big Cypress National Preserve.

Southwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	23
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	8
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3

Schultz, Coconino NF. IMT1 (Hughes). Four miles north of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

South Fork, Santa Fe NF. IMT 2 (Templin). Twenty miles west of Espanola, NM. Timber. Moderate fire activity. Municipal watershed threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Paradise, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. IMT 2 (Small). Limited perimeter control incident. Sixteen miles southeast of Alpine, AZ. Timber. Creeping fire with isolated torching.

Horseshoe, Coronado NF. IMT 2 (Cook). Five miles south of Portal, AZ. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Eagle Rock, Kaibab NF. Eleven miles northeast of Williams, AZ. Timber. Smoldering with isolated interior torching.

Aspen, Gila NF. Twenty-six miles northwest of San Lorenzo, NM. Timber. Backing fire. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Dead Man, Capitan District, New Mexico State Forestry. Thirty miles west of Roswell, NM. Grass. Creeping fire with short runs.

Tecolote, Santa Fe NF. Fifteen miles northwest of Las Vegas, NM. Timber. No new information.

Hardy, Flagstaff District, Arizona Dept. of Lands. Two miles southeast of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber. Interior smoldering. Structures threatened.

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
Schultz	AZ	COF	14,800	500	40	7/2	947	-14	22	45	7	0	5M	FS
South Fork	NM	SNF	16,257	1,441	45	7/7	403	4	8	14	3	0	6.3M	FS
Paradise	AZ	ASF	6,180	840	N/A	N/A	399	74	6	17	5	0	1.4M	FS
Horseshoe	AZ	CNF	3,386	-15	50	7/10	131	7	2	2	3	0	9.5M	FS
Eagle Rock	AZ	KNF	3,420	0	90	6/25	79	-191	2	2	1	0	3.4M	FS
Aspen	NM	GNF	3,200	-200	95	UNK	11	-32	0	0	0	0	NR	FS
Dead Man	NM	N5S	3,046	2,746	50	6/25	127	98	3	12	1	0	90K	ST
Tecolote	NM	SNF	812		75	UNK	111		4	3	1	0	5.4M	FS
Hardy	AZ	A2S	282	0	95	6/26	12	-35	1	1	0	0	858K	ST

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

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

Medano, Great Sand Dunes Monument, NPS. IMT 2 (Hahnenberg). Confine/contain incident. Nineteen miles southeast of Crestone, CO. Timber and brush. Backing fire with short duration crown runs and spotting.

Parkdale Canyon, Pueblo County. Transfer of command from IMT2 (Pechota) back to local unit will occur on 6/26. Seven miles northwest of Canon City, CO. Pinyon pine, juniper and brush. Smoldering. Structures and power lines threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Water Creek, Glenwood Springs Field Office, BLM. Confine/contain incident. Eight miles northwest of Rifle, CO. Dead and down timber. Moderate fire activity. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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
Parkdale Canyon	со	PBX	629	-103	85	6/25	222	5	4	13	1	4	977K	CNTY
Medano	со	GSP	5,335	444	N/A	N/A	332	97	7	8	3	0	1.4M	NPS
Water Creek	со	GWD	200	83	N/A	N/A	50	-88	3	1	0	0	425K	BLM

<u> Alaska Area (PL 2)</u>

New fires:	35
New large fires:	2
Uncontained large fires:	3

Godlbug Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Fifteen miles south of Deering, AK. Grass. No further information received.

Louie Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Ten miles southwest of Huslia, AK. Black spruce and tundra. Active fire behavior. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Sheklukshuk Range, Galena Zone, BLM. Twenty miles south of Ambler, AK. Tundra and brush. No new information.

Willow Creek, Military Zone, BLM. Previously reported confine/contain incident. Ten miles southwest of Fairbanks, AK. Timber. Moderate fire activity with isolated single and group tree torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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Godlbug Creek	AK	GAD	1,000		60	6/26	30		1	0	1	0	115K	BLM
Louie Creek	AK	GAD	800		0	UNK	50		2	0	0	0	222K	BLM
Sheklukshuk Range	AK	GAD	400		0	UNK	8		0	0	0	0	11K	BLM
Willow Creek	AK	MID	2,030		N/A	N/A	7		0	0	1	0	NR	BLM

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	23
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

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
Fine	CA	FKU	275	0	100		92	-70	2	1	1	0	500K	ST

FKU – Fresno-Kings Unit, Cal Fire

Predictive Services Discussion: Significant fire potential is forecasted today for eastern Arizona, western New Mexico and portions of Colorado due to dry thunderstorms. Gusty winds are on tap for the southwest quarter of the country. Alaska will be warm and dry with isolated thunderstorms possible across the interior.

Link to Predictive Services Outlook products.



Today's discussion is from the Fireline Safety Category.

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 find to rest on the fireline and suggestions for methods to alternate shifts for more effective firefighting.

References:

Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations Incident Response Pocket Guide

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		7	10	1	17		35
AldSka	ACRES	_	1,951	705	3	305		2,964
Northwest	FIRES					ĺ	4	4
Northwest	ACRES						0	0
Northern California	FIRES		2			17		19
	ACRES		2			12		14
Southern California	FIRES		1			19	3	23
	ACRES		0			180	8	188
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1						1
	ACRES	0						0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	1	1			5	16	23
	ACRES	0	28			63	1,938	2,029
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					3		3
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES					15		15
	ACRES					36		36
TOTAL	FIRES	2	11	10	1	77	23	124
	ACRES	0	1,981	705	3	599	1,946	5,234

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		53	50	7	321	10	441
	ACRES		240,158	26,437	22,392	568,203	8	857,198
Northwest	FIRES	16	13			70	57	156
Northwest	ACRES	204	71			122	50	447
Northern California	FIRES	3	6			687	60	756
	ACRES	1	4			9,665	13	9,683
Southern California	FIRES	8	60	3	2	903	140	1,116
	ACRES	32	5,063	14	2	10,315	277	15,703
Northern Rockies	FIRES	302	4	0	1	89	68	464
	ACRES	2,477	17	760	0	707	149	4,110
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	9	51	2	2	121	24	209
	ACRES	15	3,366	1	0	611	24	4,017
Western Great Basin	FIRES		32	1	3	16	4	56
	ACRES		21	15	0	47	1	84
Southwest	FIRES	306	126	4	41	290	390	1,157
	ACRES	2,748	14,424	33	29,176	36,605	58,145	141,131
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	164	75	3	9	121	92	464
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Eastern Area	FIRES	614		36	19	6,283	448	7,400
	ACRES	2,707		4,563	26	51,284	4,285	62,865
Southern Area	FIRES	508		44	21	14,490	416	15,479
	ACRES	32,252		1,578	137	200,993	17,413	252,373
TOTAL	FIRES	1,930	420	143	105	23,391	1,709	27,698
	ACRES	42,748	263,908	36,452	56,733	889,977	82,625	1,372,443

Ten Year Average Fires	38,269
Ten Year Average Acres	1,655,780

*** 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					4	1	5
	ACRES	-				773	62	835
Southern California	FIRES	_			0	115	02	000
	ACRES				7			7
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					140		140
Western Great Basin	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				463			463
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES	-						0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		0					0
	ACRES	-	1,700					1,700
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES	_						0
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES	-					1,289	1,289
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	1	5	3	9
	ACRES	0	1,700	0	470	913	1,351	4,434

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					11		11
	ACRES					21,497		21,497
Northwest	FIRES	6	54	6	1		108	175
	ACRES	2,582	8,532	1,867	11		17,297	30,289
Northern California	FIRES	1	20	19	19	13	230	302
	ACRES	10	347	22,092	34	1,627	9,396	33,506
Southern California	FIRES		9	10	2	15	218	254
	ACRES		1,612	1,493	91	1,434	2,343	6,973
Northern Rockies	FIRES	72	23	99	8	25	158	385
	ACRES	2,325	3,873	25,262	1,240	920	17,246	50,866
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		17	6	4	27	43	97
	ACRES		1,709	2,745	505	1,524	10,185	16,668
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2	2		6	13
	ACRES		68	1,395	546		238	2,247
Southwest	FIRES	27	16	10	2		88	143
	ACRES	1,575	16,094	8,870	50		41,732	68,321
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	38	56	113	18	49	135	409
	ACRES	5,749	8,215	25,028	2,484	6,300	19,528	67,304
Eastern Area	FIRES	47		361	24	1,299	159	1,890
	ACRES	62,783		55,609	5,511	86,994	57,783	268,680
Southern Area	FIRES	15		179	68	8,782	1,123	10,167
	ACRES	2,705		73,108	69,648	258,751	1,112,791	1,517,003
TOTAL	FIRES	206	198	805	148	10,221	2,268	13,846
	ACRES	77,729	40,450	217,469	80,120	379,047	1,288,539	2,083,354

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

Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	162	1,089	317	12,132
Yukon Territory	0	0	55	150,995
Alberta	368	687	986	28,738
Northwest Territory	0	0	82	98,107
Saskatchewan	65	1,808	274	331,178
Manitoba	106	3,993	241	71,915
Ontario	248	903	621	12,436
Quebec	130	84	492	293,047
Newfoundland	8	23	27	792
New Brunswick	63	84	109	109
Nova Scotia	171	415	255	469
Prince Edward Island	0	0	2	5
National Parks	12	11	37	736
Total	1,333	9,098	3,498	1,000,658

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