# National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Sunday, November 7, 2010 – 0800 MT National Preparedness Level 1

#### **National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (15 new fires)

New large fires: 1 (\*)
Large fires contained: 4
Uncontained large fires: \*\* 6
Area Command Teams committed: 0
NIMOs committed: 0
Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 12 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

Link to Geographic Area daily reports.

#### Southern Area (PL 3)

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

**Fish Trap Complex**, Daniel Boone NF. Ten miles east of Stanton, KY. Logging slash and hardwood litter. Creeping and smoldering.

\* **Peeper**, Okmulgee Field Office, BIA. Three miles northeast of Slick, OK. Timber. Running fire. Structures threatened.

**Locky Hollow**, George Washington and Jefferson NF. Fourteen miles northeast of Harrisonburg, VA. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Ravia, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles northwest of Ravia, OK. Hardwood litter and grass. No new information.

**Talala Road**, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles southeast of Ramona, OK. Hardwood litter. No new information.

**Ecker Lane**, Oklahoma DOF. Seven miles northwest of Tulsa, OK. Hardwood litter. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

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
Fish Trap Complex	KY	DBF	1,793	3	85	11/8	94	-3	4	4	0	0	597K	FS
* Peeper	OK	OMA	674		97	11/10	13		0	5	0	0	2K	BIA
Locky Hollow	VA	VAF	578		75	11/8	10		0	0	0	0	105K	FS
Ravia	OK	OKS	400		90	UNK	33		0	10	0	0	15K	ST

<sup>\*\*</sup> Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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Talala	ОК	OKS	200		70	UNK	45		0	15	0	0	20K	ST
Ecker Lane	ОК	OKS	120		80	UNK	25		0	14	1	0	7.5K	ST

#### Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires:2New large fires:0Uncontained 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
Devereaux	МО	MTF	657	557	100		5	-8	0	0	0	0	2K	FS
Schoolhouse	МО	MTF	427	307	100		12	-13	0	1	1	0	10K	FS
Hickory Grove	МО	MTF	238	138	100		1	-14	0	0	0	0	1K	FS
Walker Hollow	МО	MTF	160	20	100		9	-5	0	3	1	0	2K	PRI

MTF - Mark Twain NF

**Predictive Services Discussion:** It will be mostly dry east of the Rockies today with widespread areas of low humidity. Gusty winds are expected to continue over the southern and central Plains.

Link to Predictive Services Outlook products.



## Today's discussion is from the Fire/Weather Behavior Category.



#### **Proper Use of Trigger Points**

Accurate situational awareness (SA) requires constant reassessment of conditions (existing or potential) that may impact the safety and effectiveness of tactics. Monitoring for the 18-Watchout Situations and establishing operational / environmental limits ("trigger points") ahead of time can help to focus SA, prompt reassessment, and help you re-evaluate the risk of current actions. The following items are things to consider in your planning and discussion. Remember, trigger points are NOT decision makers, but serve as predetermined cues to prompt you to re-evaluate the current and potential situation and associated risks, and help you to determine and implement the proper course of action.

- Preplan! Don't wait until you're in the wrong place at the wrong time---with no time.
- Trigger points should be based on measurable factors such as:
  - RH
  - Winds
  - Fire Behavior
  - Topographical boundaries
  - Time constraints/Time of day
  - Time/distance to safety zones
  - Loss of suppression resources
  - Other operational considerations (e.g., firefighter fatigue, loss of lookouts or communication, weather change)
- As you approach predetermined trigger points, go through the Risk Management Process to help you decide if a change in tactics is required. (See the Incident Response Pocket Guide)
  - Gather information to assure good Situational Awareness
  - Assess hazards to anticipate serious risks
  - Establish hazard controls to mitigate serious risks
  - Make decisions based on your ability to mitigate those serious risks
  - Evaluate effectiveness of current actions
- Command/Leadership responsibilities when changing tactics
   Communicate the changes to your subordinates, as well as to adjacent forces and up the chain of command
  - Account for all your people
  - Make sure everyone knows and follows the new plan

#### References:

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

## Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
Alaska	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
Trontineoct	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES		1			9	2	12
	ACRES		0			31	0	31
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				1		1	2
	ACRES				0		0	0
Southern Area	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					1		1
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	1	10	3	15
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	32	0	32

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	76	69	53	473	16	688
Alaska	ACRES	103	295,196	145,406	113,280	575,426	10	1,129,421
Northwest	FIRES	176	229	18	29	557	1,181	2,190
TOTH WOOL	ACRES	34,794	19,861	4,292	4,942	33,522	13,365	110,776
Northern California	FIRES	77	126	1	13	2,181	532	2,930
	ACRES	58	12,224	0	8	19,496	2,899	34,685
Southern California	FIRES	20	300	6	65	2,624	569	3,584
	ACRES	186	13,723	42	11,874	26,198	32,191	84,214
Northern Rockies	FIRES	598	77	7	16	414	612	1,724
	ACRES	5,053	17,779	15,301	3,797	15,210	13,413	70,553
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	47	599	3	29	606	559	1,843
	ACRES	12,382	411,314	605	5,248	175,685	78,007	683,241
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	242	9	16	80	78	429
	ACRES	0	19,337	35	10	3,165	1,314	23,861
Southwest	FIRES	556	242	14	66	502	1,041	2,421
	ACRES	7,727	19,258	40	24,855	176,135	83,043	311,058
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	870	478	9	43	569	464	2,433
	ACRES	5,361	13,282	3,064	11,076	92,758	10,669	136,210
Eastern Area	FIRES	692		43	28	11,185	521	12,469
	ACRES	2,867		4,891	33	94,509	5,446	107,746
Southern Area	FIRES	552		93	26	30,351	745	31,767
	ACRES	34,104		6,845	201	465,018	34,148	540,316
TOTAL	FIRES	3,593	2,369	272	384	49,542	6,318	62,478
	ACRES	102,635	821,974	180,521	175,324	1,677,122	274,505	3,232,081

Ten Year Average Fires	70,258
Ten Year Average Acres	6,253,578

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> 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
Alaska	ACRES	_						0
	FIRES		1				5	6
Northwest	ACRES	_	155				104	259
Northern California	FIRES				0		6	6
Northern California	ACRES				7		202	209
Southern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						85	85
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
Notthern Nockies	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
Lasterii Great Dasiii	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
Western Great Basin	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
Southwest	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						0	0
Nocky Modificant	ACRES						100	100
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
Lasterii Area	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
Southern Area	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	12	13
IOIAL	ACRES	0	155	0	7	0	491	653

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AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaaka	FIRES			3		12	3	18
Alaska	ACRES			59		14,931	446	15,436
Nonthropot	FIRES	33	102	23	2	1	437	598
Northwest	ACRES	14,541	27,851	2,532	77	205	63,095	108,301
N. 41	FIRES	2	15	36	40	29	452	574
Northern California	ACRES	24	831	22,592	1,695	4,042	21,003	50,187
0 11 0 111	FIRES	1	12	18	9	21	114	175
Southern California	ACRES	2	2,018	4,826	591	2,549	3,568	13,554
Northern Rockies	FIRES	111	44	120	10	96	332	713
	ACRES	5,035	6,151	28,370	1,245	2,941	29,232	72,974
	FIRES	2	24	6	14	42	89	177
Eastern Great Basin	ACRES	4,100	3,054	2,745	818	2,532	31,978	45,227
	FIRES		8	2	4	1	9	24
Western Great Basin	ACRES		1,302	1,395	846	210	644	4,397
O. th. and	FIRES	42	21	12	10		180	265
Southwest	ACRES	12,026	23,166	8,870	2,377		82,200	128,639
Deal Manager	FIRES	51	76	128	24	51	175	505
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	8,589	18,583	28,914	8,477	6,727	28,119	99,409
<b>F</b> 1 A	FIRES	76		399	54	1,501	163	2,193
Eastern Area	ACRES	63,775		59,839	6,241	99,082	65,730	294,667
O. H A	FIRES	23		193	65	8,977	1,139	10,397
Southern Area	ACRES	3,367		87,468	71,587	268,411	1,059,427	1,490,260
	FIRES	341	302	940	232	10,731	3,093	15,639
TOTAL	ACRES	111,459	82,956	247,610	93,954	401,630	1,385,442	2,323,051

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