

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Saturday, March 26, 2011 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

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| Initial attack activity: | Light (183 new fires) |
| New large fires: | 11 (*) |
| Large fires contained: | 10 |
| Uncontained large fires: ** | 21 |
| Area Command Teams committed: | 0 |
| NIMOs committed: | 0 |
| Type 1 IMTs committed: | 0 |
| Type 2 IMTs committed: | 3 |

Nationally, there is 1 large fire 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.

Southern Area (PL 3)

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| New fires: | 180 |
| New large fires: | 8 |
| Uncontained large fires: | 14 |
| Type 2 IMTs committed: | 3 |

* **Sessom Community**, Georgia Forestry Commission. Georgia IMT 2 (Floyd). Eight miles south of Alma, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior with long-range spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

SR8, North Carolina DOF. North Carolina IMT 2 (Hendricks). Four miles south of Verona, NC. Southern rough. Creeping. Residences threatened.

* **Elim Church Rd.**, Georgia Forestry Commission. IMT 2 has been ordered. One mile northeast of Ludiwici, GA. Southern Rough. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Dipper, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land 25 miles south of Marfa, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

Round Mountain, Oklahoma DOF. Ten miles southeast of Stilwell, OK. Hardwood litter. No new information.

* **Two Potato**, Oklahoma DOF. Ten miles northeast of Clayton, OK. Grass. No further information received.

Oak Ridge, Oklahoma DOF. Nine miles southeast of Stilwell, OK. Hardwood litter. No new information.

Sandy Bottoms, Georgia Forestry Commission. Four miles southeast of Jasper, GA. Grass. Creeping and smoldering.

* **Winch Bumper**, Mississippi Forestry Commission. Two miles west of Gulfport, MS. Timber litter. Moderate fire activity.

* **Chickasaw**, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles east of Stringtown, OK. Grass. No further information received.

CR-164, Arkansas Forestry Commission. Eight miles west of Okland, AR. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

* **Redbird Lake**, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles southeast of Proctor, OK. Logging slash. No further information received.

* **Christie**, Oklahoma DOF. Six miles west of Westville, OK. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

Oak Haven, Oklahoma DOF. Four miles south of Stilwell, OK. Hardwood litter. 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 |
|--------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Sessom Community | GA | GAS | 13,600 | --- | 45 | 4/15 | 31 | --- | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 34K | ST |
| SR8 | NC | NCS | 9,500 | 7,000 | 40 | --- | 68 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | NR | ST |
| * Elim Church Rd. | GA | GAS | 3,800 | --- | 75 | 4/7 | 120 | --- | 0 | 30 | 2 | 7 | 95K | ST |
| Dipper | TX | TXS | 2,500 | 0 | 75 | UNK | 18 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | NR | PRI |
| Round Mountain | OK | OKS | 1,910 | --- | 80 | UNK | 21 | --- | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 22.5K | ST |
| * Two Potato | OK | OKS | 1,200 | --- | 50 | UNK | 21 | --- | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 3.8K | ST |
| Oak Ridge | OK | OKS | 740 | --- | 78 | 3/26 | 7 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10K | ST |
| Sandy Bottoms | GA | GAS | 780 | 130 | 80 | UNK | 5 | -3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 20K | ST |
| * Winch Bumper | MS | MSS | 457 | --- | 75 | 3/31 | 22 | --- | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 18.5K | ST |
| * Chickasaw | OK | OKS | 300 | --- | 55 | 3/27 | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2.5K | ST |
| CR-164 | AR | ARS | 300 | 175 | 98 | UNK | 6 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .6K | ST |
| * Redbird Lake | OK | OKS | 200 | --- | 82 | 3/27 | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5K | ST |
| * Christie | OK | OKS | 175 | --- | 78 | 3/26 | 2 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2.5K | ST |
| Oak Haven | OK | OKS | 162 | --- | 80 | 3/26 | 2 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7K | ST |
| Windy | SC | SCS | 2,600 | 1,500 | 100 | --- | 41 | -80 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 30.5K | ST |
| Rifle | SC | FMF | 1,933 | 0 | 100 | --- | 20 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 20K | FS |
| Dolph | AR | ARS | 928 | 78 | 100 | --- | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .5K | ST |
| Dry Bone Road | AR | ARS | 478 | 8 | 100 | --- | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .5K | ST |
| Wolf Pen | AR | ARS | 426 | 26 | 100 | --- | 23 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .5K | ST |
| * Cedar Creek | OK | OKS | 320 | --- | 100 | --- | 2 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .4K | ST |
| Gum Springs | OK | OKS | 150 | 0 | 100 | --- | 2 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2K | ST |

SCS – South Carolina Forestry Commission FMF - Francis Marion and Sumter NF

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 1
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Duke, Coronado NF. Eleven miles northeast of Nogales, AZ. Grass. Creeping and smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Jerome**, Colorado River Agency, BIA. Seven miles north of Needles, CA. Brush. Creeping and smoldering.

Middleton, Santa Fe NF. Eight miles east of Las Vegas, NM. Timber. Minimal 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 |
|---------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Duke | AZ | CNF | 8,500 | 2,000 | N/A | N/A | 117 | -40 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 689K | FS |
| * Jerome | AZ | CRA | 376 | --- | 80 | UNK | 90 | ---- | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | NR | BIA |
| Middleton | NM | SNF | 100 | 0 | 78 | 3/26 | 113 | -6 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 334K | FS |
| Jackie | NM | N5S | 24,500 | 4,500 | 100 | --- | 63 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 50K | ST |

N5S - Capitan District, New Mexico State Forestry

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 2

New large fires: 1

Uncontained large fires: 2

* **Burning Tree**, Douglas County. One mile northwest of Franktown, CO. Grass. No further information received.

Stanton County, Kansas Counties. Thirty miles south of Johnson City, KS. 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 |
|----------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Burning Tree | CO | DGX | 1,600 | --- | 95 | UNK | 200 | --- | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | NR | CNTY |
| Stanton County | KS | KSX | 38,000 | --- | 90 | UNK | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | CNTY |
| Indian Gulch | CO | JEX | 1,570 | 68 | 100 | --- | 275 | -159 | 4 | 17 | 4 | 0 | 2.1M | CNTY |

JEX - Jefferson County

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0

New large fires: 1

Uncontained large fires: 2

Walker, Mark Twain NF. Fifteen miles southwest of Ava, MO. grass. No new information.

Beasley, Mark Twain NF. Twelve miles east of Salem, MO. Hardwood litter and grass. 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Walker | MO | MTF | 500 | --- | 45 | 3/26 | 15 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1K | FS |
| Beasley | MO | MTF | 100 | --- | 25 | UNK | 14 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3K | FS |

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Tram North | MO | MTF | 285 | --- | 100 | --- | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3K | FS |

Predictive Services Discussion: Winds 20 to 30 mph with gust to 40 mph and RH below 15 percent will produce critical fire weather conditions across southeast New Mexico and Far West Texas. Rain and strong thunderstorms will develop along a stationary front stretching from the Carolinas to the Ozarks while snow falls across the Tennessee Valley to the Northern Plains. A complex frontal system will bring scattered rain and snow to much of the West Coast, the Northern Rockies and the Great Basin.

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



Today's discussion is from the Fireline Leadership Category.

Developing a Learning Organization

Leaders evaluate performance at all levels to understand the causal factors of successes and failures. All those involved learn incrementally, applying today's lessons to the next assignment. This focus on continuous improvement brings with it a responsibility to share lessons learned throughout the organization.

In a learning organization, leaders treat honest mistakes as opportunities to learn and do better next time. Understanding that failure is a part of learning, they establish command climates in which followers are motivated by desire to succeed rather than fear of failure. At the crew level, conducting regular After Action Reviews is one of the most powerful tools a leader has for building effective and cohesive teams.

Discussion Points

- Discuss the relationship between developing a learning organization and safety.
- What happens when honest mistakes are punished rather than used as a learning opportunity?
- How are mistakes and failure dealt with within your crew / organization?
- What was your crew's / organization's most recent learning moment?

References:

[Wildland Fire Leadership Development Program](#)

[Leading In the Wildland Fire Service](#)

[After Action Review](#)

[Organizational Learning](#)

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 | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | 66 | | | 66 |
| 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 | | 1 | | | | 0 | 1 |
| | ACRES | | 1 | | | | 2,010 | 2,011 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | | | | | 2 | | 2 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 13,600 | | 13,600 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | 2 | 1 | 170 | 7 | 180 |
| | ACRES | | | 2 | 1 | 15,086 | 259 | 15,348 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 172 | 7 | 183 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 2 | 67 | 28,686 | 2,269 | 31,025 |

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northern California | FIRES | | | | 3 | | 6 | 9 |
| | ACRES | | | | 2,076 | | 2 | 2,078 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | 5 | | | 130 | 20 | 155 |
| | ACRES | | 22 | | | 910 | 2 | 934 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | | | | | 3 | | 3 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 0 | | 0 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | 6 | | | 4 | | 10 |
| | ACRES | | 4 | | | 2 | | 6 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | 2 | | | | | 2 |
| | ACRES | | 0 | | | | | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 125 | 34 | 4 | 7 | 120 | 48 | 338 |
| | ACRES | 471 | 6,278 | 11 | 111 | 88,735 | 16,913 | 112,519 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 10 | 3 | 9 | | 61 | 22 | 105 |
| | ACRES | 123 | 2 | 1,201 | | 61,948 | 1,994 | 65,268 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 1 | | 4 | 5 | 428 | 84 | 522 |
| | ACRES | 1 | | 77 | 7 | 9,885 | 6,095 | 16,065 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 135 | | 107 | 16 | 14,905 | 236 | 15,399 |
| | ACRES | 5,980 | | 7,930 | 2,043 | 338,559 | 14,711 | 369,223 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 271 | 50 | 124 | 31 | 15,651 | 416 | 16,543 |
| | ACRES | 6,575 | 6,306 | 9,219 | 4,237 | 500,039 | 39,717 | 566,093 |

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| Ten Year Average Fires | 13,391 |
| Ten Year Average Acres | 432,946 |

*** 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 | | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | 1 | | 2 | 3 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | ACRES | 191 | | | | | | 191 |
| 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 | | | | | 3 | | 3 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 65 | | 65 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | | | 19 | 10 | 29 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 1,960 | 5,346 | 7,306 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 10 | 33 |
| | ACRES | 191 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2,025 | 5,348 | 7,565 |

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | | 22 | 1 | | | 39 | 62 |
| | ACRES | | 1,529 | 45 | | | 748 | 2,322 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 1 | 12 | 4 | 13 | | 67 | 97 |
| | ACRES | 12 | 215 | 694 | 50 | | 1,398 | 2,369 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | 4 | 7 | | | 52 | 63 |
| | ACRES | | 550 | 551 | | | 839 | 1,940 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 32 | 1 | | | 1 | 5 | 39 |
| | ACRES | 1,242 | 26 | | | 20 | 91 | 1,379 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | 6 | 2 | 1 | 18 | 6 | 33 |
| | ACRES | | 863 | 805 | 13 | 306 | 459 | 2,446 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 4 | 10 |
| | ACRES | | 105 | 550 | | 64 | 182 | 901 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 1 | 18 | 3 | 1 | | 56 | 79 |
| | ACRES | 1,500 | 12,949 | 1,428 | 15 | | 19,407 | 35,299 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 2 | 20 | 7 | 11 | 40 | 104 | 184 |
| | ACRES | 14 | 276 | 321 | 226 | 7,186 | 20,025 | 28,048 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | 10 | 6 | 168 | 36 | 220 |
| | ACRES | | | 376 | 3,039 | 13,477 | 17,293 | 34,185 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 32 | | 98 | 9 | 806 | 492 | 1,437 |
| | ACRES | 7,056 | | 56,281 | 7,794 | 158,824 | 469,491 | 699,446 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 68 | 86 | 133 | 41 | 1,035 | 861 | 2,224 |
| | ACRES | 9,824 | 16,513 | 61,051 | 11,137 | 179,877 | 529,933 | 808,335 |

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

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