National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Friday, June 17, 2011 – 0530 MT National Preparedness Level 3

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Heavy (325 new fires)

New large fires: 7 (*)
Large fires contained: 5
Uncontained large fires: ** 36
Area Command Teams committed: 1
NIMOs committed: 1
Type 1 IMTs committed: 7
Type 2 IMTs committed: 9

Nationally, there are 17 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

Link to Geographic Area daily reports.

Two MAFFS C-130 aircraft and support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing, California Air National Guard, Channel Islands, CA are deployed to Albuquerque, NM. Col. Jay Pittman is the Air Expeditionary Group Commander.

Southwest (PL 5)

New fires:	10
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	6
Area Command Teams committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Monument, Coronado National Memorial, NPS. IMT 1 (Poncin). Four miles east of Hereford, AZ. Grass. Extreme fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Track, Cimarron District, New Mexico DOF. IMT 2 (Pierson). One mile north or Raton, NM. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Wallow, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. Area Command Team (Loach). IMT 1 (Reinarz, Pendleton and Hughes), and IMT 2 (Walker). Twenty-three miles southwest of Alpine, AZ. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Horseshoe 2, Coronado NF. IMT 1 (Thomas). Seven miles southwest of Portal, AZ. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Evacuations in effect.

Loop, Carlsbad Caverns NP. Fifteen miles southwest of Carlsbad, NM. Grass. Moderate fire behavior.

Godfrey, Socorro District, New Mexico DOF. Fourteen miles south of Animas, NM. Brush, slash and grass. Residences threatened. No further information received.

^{**} Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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
Monument	AZ	СОР	18,580	9,280	15	UNK	764	228	22	49	5	50	2.8M	NPS
Track	NM	N2S	26,533	913	25	6/27	844	146	24	43	6	14	3.9M	ST
Wallow	ΑZ	ASF	487,016	8,564	33	UNK	4,418	-153	90	284	16	72	59.8M	FS
Horseshoe 2	ΑZ	CNF	198,174	13,976	65	6/22	1,335	-44	34	65	7	23	42M	FS
Loop	NM	ССР	30,487	49	90	UNK	137	-163	4	11	0	1	1.1M	NPS
Godfrey	NM	N3S	6,800	3,800	10	UNK	32	0	1	4	0	0	75K	ST

Southern Area (PL 5)

New fires:	255
New large fires:	6
Uncontained large fires:	29
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	5

NIMO (Gage) is assigned to manage large fires and provide support to initial attack operations for the West Branch Operational Area in Texas. Texas IMT 2 (Hannemann) is managing existing and new fires located in Texas state initial attack zones.

Honey Prairie, Okefenokee NWR. IMT 1 (Wilder). Five miles northeast of Fargo, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Pains Bay, Alligator River NWR. North Carolina IMT 2 (Hendricks). Nineteen miles south of Manns Harbor, NC. Timber and brush. Short runs with isolated torching. Numerous structures threatened.

Impassable Bay, National Forests in Florida. IMT 2 (Kidd). Fifteen miles northeast of Lake City, FL. Southern rough. Creeping and smoldering.

Oil Pad Complex (3 fires), Big Cypress Preserve, NPS. IMT 2 (Dueitt). Twenty miles north of Ochopee, FL. Southern rough. No new information.

Espanola, Florida DOF. Florida IMT 2 (Graham). Seven miles southeast of Bunnell, FL. Southern rough. Active fire behavior.

Bird Ranch 2, Texas Forest Service. Thirteen miles west of Paducah, TX. Mesquite, juniper, and grass. Minimal fire activity.

Dos Amigos, Texas Forest Service. Fifteen miles west of Robert Lee, TX. Brush and grass. Minimal fire activity.

Race Pond, Okefenokee NWR. Previously reported fire. Ten miles south of Waycross, GA. Hardwood litter. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Trail 3, Florida DOF. Twenty-two miles west of Jupiter, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

Santa Fe, Florida DOF. Four miles south of Hampton, FL. Grass. No further information received.

Sweat Farm Again, Georgia Forestry Commission. Twelve miles west of Waycross, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect

Bad Land, Florida DOF. Sixteen miles south of Bronson, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

WF Texas Point West, Texas Point NWR. Five miles southwest of Sabine Pass, TX. Grass. No new information.

Swamp, Florida DOF. Twenty-eight miles west of Ocala, FL. Southern rough. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

C-4, St. Vincent NWR. Four miles southeast of Indian Pass, FL. Grass. Smoldering.

Bolt, Texas Forest Service. Three miles east of Las Lomitas, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

Maytown Road, Florida DOF. Two miles east of Farmton, FL. Southern rough. Active fire behavior.

Camp Boothe Oaks, Texas Forest Service. Seven miles southwest of Sweetwater, TX. Grass. Minimal fire activity.

Waverly, Georgia Forestry Commission. Three miles east of Waverly, GA. Southern rough. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

Doc Whitfield, Florida DOF. Ten miles northeast of Port St. Joe, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

Lake Wimico, Florida DOF. Six miles northeast of Odena, FL. Grass. No further information received.

Toilet Road, National Forests in Mississippi. Sixteen miles northeast of Wiggins, MS. Southern rough. Smoldering.

- * Fortune 2, Texas Forest Service. Four miles northeast of Leuders, TX. Grass. Active fire behavior.
- * **Nugent,** Texas Forest Service. Ten miles northeast of Hawley, TX. Grass. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened.
- * New Hope, Florida DOF. Six miles south of Indiantown, FL. Southern rough. Moderate fire activity.
- * Little Haw Creek, Florida DOF. Nine miles northeast of De Leon Springs, FL. Southern rough. Moderate fire activity.
- * Sikorsky, Florida DOF. Fourteen miles west of Jupiter, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

Milligan, Cherokee NF. Two miles southeast of Citico, TN. Timber and slash. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

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Honey Prairie	GA	OKR	200,926	5,289	N/A	N/A	495	-21	1	69	6	1	16.1M	FWS
Pains Bay	NC	ALR	45,294	0	85	UNK	234	0	0	23	3	2	11M	FWS
Impassable Bay	FL	FNF	11,100	0	20	6/24	38	0	0	8	5	0	950K	FS

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Oil Pad Complex	FL	ВСР	9,725		0	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	110K	NPS
Espanola	FL	FLS	5,047	741	40	UNK	70	0	0	30	0	0	1.8M	ST
Bird Ranch 2	TX	TXS	29,976	0	90	UNK	0	-49	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Dos Amigos	TX	TXS	19,391	0	95	UNK	0	-50	0	0	0	18	NR	ST
Race Pond	GA	GAS	15,100		50	6/25	50		0	4	2	0	2M	ST
Trail 3	FL	FLS	6,528	0	90	UNK	3	0	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Santa Fe	FL	FLS	6,500	1,000	85	UNK	12	0	0	0	2	0	NR	ST
Sweat Farm Again	GA	GAS	5,000	2,900	30	6/25	75	29	0	23	2	2	20K	ST
Bad Land	FL	FLS	3,175	0	80	UNK	12	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
WF Texas Point West	TX	TPR	3,090		50	6/17	33		0	7	2	0	60K	FWS
Swamp	FL	FLS	1,500		60	UNK	1		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
C-4	FL	SVR	1,307	0	90	UNK	8	0	0	2	0	0	55K	FWS
Bolt	TX	TXS	1,300	0	90	UNK	0	-1	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Maytown Road	FL	FLS	1,200	0	50	UNK	27	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Camp Boothe Oaks	TX	TXS	1,116	0	80	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Waverly	GA	GAS	1000	300	75	6/18	27	7	0	5	1	2	7K	ST
Doc Whitfield	FL	FLA	820	0	85	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Lake Wimico	FL	FLS	670	0	10	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Toilet Road	MS	MNF	490	0	90	UNK	20	0	0	4	1	0	10K	FS
* Fortune 2	TX	TXS	400		0	UNK	65		0	9	4	0	NR	ST
* Nugent	TX	TXS	400		0	UNK	31		0	4	1	1	NR	ST
* New Hope	FL	FLS	400		50	UNK	6		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
* Little Haw Creek	FL	FLS	365		50	UNK	19		0	0	1	0	NR	ST
* Sikorsky	FL	FLS	300		10	UNK	8		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Milligan	TN	CNF	286		50	UNK	78		3	1	0	0	249K	FS
Rhoades Ranch	TX	TXS	2,010	0	100		93	0	2	11	0	2	NR	ST
Dantes Inferno	MS	MSS	732	0	100		13	4	0	3	0	0	7K	ST
McClarty	TX	TXS	716	0	100		0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
* Ackerman	SC	FMF	401		100		10		0	3	0	0	8K	FS
Sutton Cemetary	TX	TXS	170	0	100		5	-37	0	1	0	0	NR	ST

MSS – Mississippi Forestry Commission FMF – Francis Marion and Sumter National Forests

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	13
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Duckett, Pike and San Isabel NF. IMT 2 (Pechota). Eight miles northwest of Westcliffe, CO. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

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
Duckett	со	PSF	2,969	861	10	6/28	434	40	11	24	3	0	2.2M	FS

Alaska Area (PL 3)

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

Hastings, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Kurth) to IMT 2 (Allen) will occur today. Fifteen miles northwest of Fairbanks, AK. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

East Volkmar, Delta Area, Alaska DOF. Twenty-five miles northeast of Delta Junction, AK. Black spruce. Minimal fire activity. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Kiliovilik**, Galena Zone, BLM. Twenty-five miles southwest of Shungnak, AK. Grass. 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
Hastings	AK	FAS	23,110	0	N/A	N/A	690	-127	26	1	8	2	13M	ST
East Volkmar	AK	DAS	58,050	0	N/A	N/A	286	-28	12	0	5	0	6.8M	ST
* Kiliovilik	AK	GAD	500		N/A	N/A	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM

Predictive Services Discussion: Critical fire weather conditions associated with strong winds of 20 to 30 mph and low relative humidity below 15 percent will continue over Arizona, New Mexico, southern Utah, southern Colorado, and West Texas. Hot and dry conditions with isolated to widely scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue from Texas to Florida. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue across the northern half of the United States. In Alaska, temperatures will start to warm and there will be less shower activity.

Predictive Services Outlook products: http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm



Today's discussion is from "This Day in History"

"Lessons Learned" serve as brief summaries of powerful learning opportunities. You can use these summaries as a foundation and launch point for further dialogue and discussion. Apply these lessons learned to yourself, your crew, and your unit.

Origin of the 10 and 18's – June 17th, 1957

Summary: The original ten Standard Firefighting Orders were developed in 1957 by a task force commissioned by the USDA-Forest Service Chief Richard E. McArdle. The task force reviewed the records of 16 tragedy fires that occurred from 1937 to 1956. The Standard Firefighting Orders were based in part on the successful "General Orders" used by the United States Armed Forces. The Standard Firefighting Orders are organized in a deliberate and sequential way to be implemented systematically and applied to all fire situations.

Shortly after the Standard Firefighting Orders were incorporated into firefighter training, the 18 Situations That Shout Watch Out were developed. These 18 situations are more specific and cautionary than the Standard Fire Orders and described situations that expand the 10 points of the Fire Orders with the intent that if firefighters follow the Standard Firefighting Orders and are alerted to the 18 Watch Out Situations, much of the risk of firefighting can be reduced. Below is the original recommendation and fire orders from the report.

Standard Firefighting Orders. Recommendation:
Adopt for service-wide use the attached "Standard
Firefighting Orders." These orders are to be committed
to memory by all personnel with fire control
responsibilities.

STANDARD FIREFIGHTING ORDERS

- FIRE WEATHER. Keep informed of fire weather conditions and predictions.
- INSTRUCTIONS. Know exactly what my instructions are and follow them at all times.
- 3. <u>RIGHT THINGS FIRST</u>. Identify the key points of my assignment and take action in order of priority.
- 4. ESCAPE PLAN. Have an escape plan in mind and direct subordinates in event of a blow-up.
- 5. <u>SCOUTING</u>. Thoroughly scout the fire areas for which I am responsible.
- COMMUNICATION. Establish and maintain regular communication with adjoining forces, subordinates, and superior officers.
- 7. <u>A</u>LERTNESS. Quickly recognize changed conditions and immediately revise plans to handle.
- LOOKOUT. Post a lookout for every possibly dangerous situation.
- DISCIPLINE. Establish and maintain control of all men under my supervision and at all times know where they are and what they are doing.
- 10. <u>S</u>UPERVISION. Be sure men I commit to any fire job have clear instructions and adequate overhead.

Discussion Points

Have everyone at the briefing look at the IRPG outside back cover, the current Standard Fire Orders. Compare the current and original list.

- Is the same material covered?
- What are the biggest differences?

Though the Fire Orders are in the form of a list, they are *not* a checklist. The intended use of the Orders is not to check off 1 through 10 and be done with them, but to act as reminders of conditions that need to be continuously maintained and assessed.

 What is the connection between the Standard Fire Orders and situational awareness?

Originally there were 13 Watchout Situations with the last 5 being added on in 1987.

 If you could add one more Watch Out what would it be and why?

The original recommendation in 1957 states that the Fire Orders "are to be committed to memory".

 What do you and your crew/unit do to help each other remember and understand the 10 & 18's?

Discussion Opportunities

Resources: - REPORT OF FIRE TASK FORCE

http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/fire/information/1957_report/index.htm

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIRES					1		1
Alaska	ACRES					0		0
	FIRES						1	1
Northwest	ACRES						0	0
	FIRES					12	1	13
Northern California	ACRES	-				20		24
						16	1	21 17
Southern California	FIRES					16	1	17
	ACRES					23	1	24
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
Notthern Nockies	ACRES							0
- · · · · · · · ·	FIRES		3		1	5		9
Eastern Great Basin	ACRES		 157		0	5		162
	FIRES		2					2
Western Great Basin	ACRES		1					1
Courthurson	FIRES	4	1			3	2	10
Southwest	ACRES	4				3,800	13,996	17,800
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	2	6		1	1	3	13
Nocky Wountain	ACRES	0	0		0	0	501	501
	FIRES					3	1	4
Eastern Area	ACRES					3	0	3
	FIRES	1				246	9	255
Southern Area	ACRES	-				3,928	69	3,997
	FIRES	6	12	0	2	287	18	325
TOTAL	ACRES	- 4	158		0	7,779	14,568	22,509

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		15	10	2	295	1	323
Alaska	ACRES		39,602	33,357	1,244	188,949	0	263,152
Northwest	FIRES	15	9		3	30	36	93
normwest	ACRES	12	19		4	45	36	116
Northern California	FIRES	1	2	3	3		28	37
Trontiloni Galilonia	ACRES	0	0	0	2,076		1,890	3,966
Southern California	FIRES	2	139	3	2	941	95	1,182
	ACRES	1	1,152	1	3	4,760	1,582	7,499
Northern Rockies	FIRES	103		4	1	48	19	175
TYOTHOTT TYOUNGS	ACRES	302		49	6	241	23	621
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	48	1	2	59	8	121
Lastorii Groat Basiii	ACRES	1,377	220	26	6	290	6	1,925
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	46	2	8	19	3	81
Western Great Basin	ACRES	10	88	12	0	400	0	510
Southwest	FIRES	481	148	10	15	562	310	1,526
	ACRES	5,645	76,376	181	13,619	373,597	937,175	1,406,593
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	176	38	21	4	253	112	604
	ACRES	3,004	115	3,422	2,269	222,820	27,106	258,736
Eastern Area	FIRES	335		24	14	2,935	188	3,496
	ACRES	353		2,611	71	24,752	14,052	41,839
Southern Area	FIRES	540		212	53	24,367	585	25,757
	ACRES	66,656		65,188	45,032	2,113,153	24,824	2,314,853
TOTAL	FIRES	1,659	445	290	107	29,509	1,385	33,395
	ACRES	77,360	117,572	104,847	64,330	2,929,007	1,006,694	4,299,810

Ten Year Average Fires	35,881
Ten Year Average Acres	1,678,964

^{***} 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	_		50				50
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES	_					253	253
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1					1	2
Notthern Rockies	ACRES	50					1	51
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
	FIRES							0
Western Great Basin	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES	_						0
Southern Area	FIRES					7		7
	ACRES					721		721
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	1	0	7	1	10
	ACRES	50	0	50	0	721	254	1,075

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		11		12
	ACRES			20		5,715		 5,735
Northwest	FIRES	6	37	6	2		94	145
	ACRES	5,239	5,727	450	43		5,222	16,681
Northern California	FIRES	15	16	8	19		120	178
	ACRES	61	655	19,063	139		4,702	24,620
Southern California	FIRES		8	10		2	73	93
	ACRES		710	1,963		16	1,453	4,142
Northern Rockies	FIRES	39	12	35	1	13	87	187
	ACRES	1,437	653	7,225	141	211	3,717	13,384
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	16	3	1	32	24	76
	ACRES	54	2,229	1,023	55	695	5,183	9,239
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	1		2	9	16
	ACRES		121	550		64	296	1,031
Southwest	FIRES	18	25	3	3		77	126
	ACRES	1,727	191,660	1,428	45		73,027	267,887
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	38	31	89	17	45	120	340
	ACRES	4,664	6,877	14,174	4,703	7,932	30,087	68,437
Eastern Area	FIRES	29		534	21	832	127	1,543
	ACRES	60,253		42,176	3,780	49,086	39,264	194,559
Southern Area	FIRES	39		134	17	1,249	553	1,992
	ACRES	7,632		65,547	10,168	244,228	497,672	825,247
TOTAL	FIRES	184	149	824	81	2,186	1,284	4,708
	ACRES	81,067	208,632	153,619	19,074	307,947	660,623	1,430,962

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

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	1	0	154	10,785
Yukon Territory	0	0	31	34,776
Alberta	3	35	624	735,786
Northwest Territory	6	846	37	2,208
Saskatchewan	1	9,631	222	123,328
Manitoba	4	1	69	10,261
Ontario	1	3,884	230	6,660
Quebec	6	1,365	102	2,721
Newfoundland	1	0	22	69
New Brunswick	0	0	54	36
Nova Scotia	0	0	96	128
Prince Edward Island	0	0	1	1
National Parks	0	-10	13	54,275
Total	23	15,752	1,655	981,034

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to correction, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

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