

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Thursday, September 7, 2017 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 5**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity:	Light (111) new fires
New large incidents:	4
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:**	51
Area Command Teams Committed:	2
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	16
Type 2 IMTs committed:	22

\*\*Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.  
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

One MAFFS C-130 airtanker and support personnel each from the 146<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing, (California Air National Guard), 153<sup>rd</sup> Airlift Wing, (Wyoming Air National Guard) and the 302<sup>nd</sup> Airlift Wing (Colorado Springs, Air Force Reserve) have been deployed to Fresno, CA in support of wildland fire operations.

One RC-26 aircraft and support personnel from the 141<sup>st</sup> Aerial Refueling Wing (Washington Air National Guard) has been deployed to Fairchild AFB (Spokane, WA) in support of wildland fire operations.

One RC-26 aircraft and support personnel from the 187<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing (Alabama Air National Guard) has been deployed to Redding Municipal Airport (Redding, CA) in support of wildland fire operations.

<b>Active Incident Resource Summary</b>						
<b>GACC</b>	<b>Fires</b>	<b>Cumulative Acres</b>	<b>Crews</b>	<b>Engines</b>	<b>Helicopters</b>	<b>Total Personnel</b>
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	34	628,510	240	636	68	10,266
ONCC	10	225,031	88	293	33	4,377
OSCC	12	71,931	103	440	30	4,918
NRCC	56	731,964	63	336	54	4,703
GBCC	20	253,632	32	103	21	1,533
SWCC	1	1,870	0	0	0	6
RMCC	7	8,912	6	25	7	351
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>1,921,853</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>1,833</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>26,154</b>

## **Northwest Area (PL 5)**

New fires:	8
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	20
Area Command teams committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	7
Type 2 IMTs committed:	9

Area Command Team (Muir) is managing the Chetco Bar fire, Miller Complex and High Cascades Complex.

**Eagle Creek**, Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. Includes previously reported Indian Creek fire. IMT 1 (Pierson) and IMT 2 (Sheldon). One mile south of Cascade Locks, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with running, group torching and short-range spotting. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Chetco Bar**, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Livingston) and IMT 2 (Gales). Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, single-tree torching and creeping. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Jolly Mountain**, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. IMT 1 (Schulte). Thirteen miles northwest of Cle Elum, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Horse Creek Complex**, (4 fires), Willamette NF. IMT 1 (Day). IMT is also managing the Whitewater, Rebel, Potato Hill and Nash fires. Seven miles south of Belknap Springs, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with torching, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Whitewater**, Willamette NF. Ten miles east of Idanha, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and torching. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Rebel**, Willamette NF. Twenty-two miles north of Oakridge, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and torching. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Potato Hill**, Willamette NF. Twenty miles northwest of Sisters, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

**Nash**, Willamette NF. Six miles north of Elk Lake, OR. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Johnson) to IMT 1 (Day) occurred yesterday. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and torching. Structures threatened. Trail closures in effect.

**Norse Peak**, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. Florida IMT 2 (Dolan) and IMT 2 (Arroyo). IMT is also managing the American fire. Eleven miles west of Cliffdell, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**American**, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. Eleven miles west of Cliffdell, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching and flanking. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Umpqua North Complex**, (7 fires), Umpqua NF. IMT 1 (J. Kurth). Fifty miles east of Roseburg, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and backing. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Miller Complex**, (3 fires), Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Pechota). Seventeen miles east of Cave Junction, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**High Cascades Complex**, (4 fires), Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Knerr). Nine miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing, creeping and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Uno Peak**, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF. IMT 2 (Ciraulo). Sixteen miles northwest of Manson, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Jones**, Willamette NF. IMT 2 (Harrod). IMT is also managing the Staley fire. Ten miles northeast of Lowell, OR. Timber and grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Staley**, Willamette NF. Twenty-three miles south of Oakridge, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Horse Prairie**, Central Unit, Oregon Department of Forestry. ODF IMT 1 (Smith). Fifteen miles northwest of Canyonville, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and creeping. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

**Bridge Creek**, Colville Agency, BIA. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Rabe) back to local unit will occur tomorrow. Eleven miles northeast of Keller, WA. Timber and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Jade Creek**, Lake Unit, Oregon Department of Forestry. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Sinclair) back to local unit occurred yesterday. Sixteen miles east of Bly, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road closures in effect.

\* **Sawmill Creek**, South Puget Sound Region, Washington DNR. IMT 2 (Wakoski). Twenty-five miles west of Cle Elum, WA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Milli**, Deschutes NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Johnson) back to local unit occurred yesterday. Nine miles west of Sisters, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, backing and short-range spotting. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**North Pelican**, Fremont – Winema NF. Twenty-five miles northwest of Klamath Falls, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and single-tree torching. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**McKay**, Deschutes NF. Five miles northeast of La Pine, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior.

**Falcon Complex**, (2 fires), Umpqua NF. Twenty-five miles east of Tiller, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road closures in effect.

**Diamond Creek**, Okanogan - Wenatchee NF. Twenty-seven miles north of Winthrop, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**East Crater**, Gifford Pinchot NF. Ten miles northwest of Trout Lake, WA. Timber and grass. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Eagle Creek	OR-CGF	30,929	10,929	5	Comp	9/30	928	326	17	97	11	8	1.3M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	176,770	0	5	Ctn	10/15	1,550	-148	41	79	7	30	34.3M	FS
Jolly Mountain	WA-OWF	24,514	1,408	5	Ctn	10/15	809	34	17	77	9	0	13.6M	FS

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Horse Creek Complex	OR-WIF	21,876	1,166	0	Comp	9/30	180	31	5	13	0	0	2.6M	FS
Whitewater	OR-WIF	12,939	388	34	Comp	10/31	551	-39	10	17	2	0	28.2M	FS
Rebel	OR-WIF	7,784	289	19	Comp	9/30	56	-3	1	2	0	0	4.8M	FS
Potato Hill	OR-WIF	199	0	70	Ctn	UNK	56	-3	2	2	0	0	324K	FS
Nash	OR-WIF	6,159	453	0	Comp	10/1	40	-36	1	0	1	0	274K	FS
Norse Peak	WA-OWF	43,482	23,447	8	Comp	10/1	371	32	7	28	2	0	8M	FS
American	WA-OWF	1,320	685	0	Comp	10/1	2	0	0	0	0	0	403K	FS
Umpqua North Complex	OR-UPF	38,298	6,730	32	Comp	9/30	941	-15	17	68	5	1	24.8M	FS
Miller Complex	OR-RSF	32,217	3,521	31	Ctn	9/30	587	-23	14	37	4	0	15.6M	FS
High Cascades Complex	OR-RSF	52,575	10,455	18	Comp	10/15	786	44	22	27	6	0	38.9M	FS
Uno Peak	WA-OWF	6,520	503	1	Comp	10/15	233	13	5	8	1	1	1.5M	FS
Jones	OR-WIF	8,536	0	48	Ctn	9/30	426	-132	10	18	3	1	15.3M	FS
Staley	OR-WIF	2,300	66	78	Ctn	9/15	153	-15	3	7	0	0	8.2M	FS
Horse Prairie	OR-733S	16,436	17	30	Ctn	9/15	1,087	-12	42	39	8	2	10M	ST
Bridge Creek	WA-COA	3,711	2	85	Ctn	9/20	267	-9	3	14	1	0	15.7M	BIA
Jade Creek	OR-982S	782	0	99	Ctn	9/16	185	-77	2	21	2	0	2.2M	ST
* Sawmill Creek	WA-SPS	848	---	0	Ctn	11/1	54	---	0	5	0	0	150K	ST
Milli	OR-DEF	24,025	0	60	Ctn	10/1	63	-215	1	6	0	0	15M	FS
North Pelican	OR-FWF	3,425	25	20	Ctn	10/15	217	11	3	20	0	0	4.2M	FS
McKay	OR-DEF	1,221	0	90	Ctn	9/7	16	0	0	4	0	0	390K	FS
Falcon Complex	OR-UPF	2,935	0	62	Ctn	9/15	302	0	8	18	1	0	14M	FS
Diamond Creek	WA-OWF	104,000	9,000	65	Comp	10/15	10	-1	0	0	1	3	11.5M	FS
East Crater	WA-GPF	550	---	0	Ctn	9/23	19	---	0	1	0	0	20K	FS

### **Northern Rockies Area (PL 5)**

New fires: 4  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 13  
 Area Command teams committed: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 4  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 7

Area Command Team (Stutler) is managing large fires in western Montana.

**Caribou**, Kootenai NF. IMT 2 (Pearson). IMT is also managing the Gibraltar Ridge fire. Twenty-one miles northwest of Eureka, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching, backing and creeping. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Gibraltar Ridge**, Kootenai NF. Seven miles east of Eureka, MT. Timber and grass. No new information.

**Rice Ridge**, Lolo NF. IMT 1 (Poncin). IMT is also managing the Liberty fire. Six miles north of Seeley Lake, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, running and smoldering. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Liberty**, Flathead Agency, BIA. Seventeen miles southeast of Arlee, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting, flanking and group torching. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**West Fork**, Kootenai NF. IMT 2 (Esperance). IMT is also managing the Moose Peak fire. Seven miles northwest of Libby, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with group torching, backing and flanking. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Moose Peak**, Kootenai NF. Thirteen miles east of Trout Creek, MT. Timber. No new information.

**Highway 200 Complex**, (5 fires), Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Connell). IMT is also managing the Sunrise fire. Nine miles northwest of Plains, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with torching, spotting and uphill runs. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

**Sunrise**, Lolo NF. Eleven miles east of Superior, MT. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and backing. Residences threatened. Trail and area closures in effect.

**Sprague**, Glacier National Park. IMT 2 (Hutton). IMT is also managing the Adair Peak fire. Nine miles northeast of West Glacier, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with short crown runs and spotting. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Adair Peak**, Glacier National Park. Eighteen miles north of West Glacier, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Lolo Peak**, Lolo NF. IMT 1 (Turman). Ten miles southwest of Lolo, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with group torching, short-range spotting and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Meyers**, Beaverhead - Deerlodge NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Leach) to IMT 1 (Dueitt) will occur today. IMT is also managing the Sapphire Complex. Twenty-five miles southwest of Philipsburg, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, backing and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

**Sapphire Complex**, (3 fires), Lolo NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Almas) to IMT 1 (Dueitt) will occur today. Fifteen miles southeast of Clinton, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with creeping, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Alice Creek**, Helena – Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 2 (Bird). Fifteen miles northeast of Lincoln, MT. Timber and short grass. Active fire behavior with group torching and spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Hanover**, Nez Perce - Clearwater NF. Four miles northeast of Florence, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with group torching, creeping and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Strychnine**, Ponderosa Area Office, IDL. Five miles northeast of Harvard, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching, spotting and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**McCully**, Northwestern Land Office, Montana DNR. Seventeen miles northeast of Thompson Falls, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road closures in effect.

**East Fork**, Rocky Boy's Agency, BIA. IMT 1 (Martin). Ten miles east of Box Elder, MT. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

**Wolverine**, Blackfeet Agency, BIA. Ten miles northeast of St. Mary, MT. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened.

**Blue Bay**, Flathead Agency, BIA. Ten miles northeast of Polson, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Nelson Creek**, Bitterroot NF. Sixteen miles southwest of Conner, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and backing. Road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Liz Butte**, Nez Perce - Clearwater NF. Thirty-seven miles northeast of Kooskia, ID. Timber and grass. Moderate fire behavior with torching, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Painted Hill**, Northern Cheyenne Agency, BIA. Eight miles west of Lame Deer, MT. Timber and short grass. No new information.

**Red Butte**, Miles City Field Office, BLM. Started on private land 30 miles south of Miles City, MT. Timber, brush and short grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Caribou	MT-KNF	17,897	808	10	Comp	10/30	218	23	3	5	1	40	3.6M	FS
Gibraltar Ridge	MT-KNF	7,192	---	27	Comp	10/31	74	---	1	10	0	0	8.6M	FS
Rice Ridge	MT-LNF	119,857	1,307	5	Comp	10/15	725	39	10	61	4	0	32.6M	FS
Liberty	MT-FHA	23,053	693	17	Comp	10/15	230	-21	4	4	2	1	16.6M	BIA
West Fork	MT-KNF	6,498	738	0	Comp	10/7	139	35	2	4	0	0	1.7M	FS
Moose Peak	MT-KNF	4,993	---	0	Comp	10/30	7	---	0	0	0	0	100K	FS
Highway 200 Complex	MT-LNF	17,676	1,313	0	Comp	10/15	359	9	5	16	10	0	1.3M	FS
Sunrise	MT-LNF	26,155	0	90	Comp	9/30	27	0	0	2	1	0	31.1M	FS
Sprague	MT-GNP	13,343	0	35	Comp	11/1	159	4	1	12	2	1	2.8M	NPS
Adair Peak	MT-GNP	1,375	45	0	Comp	11/1	4	1	0	0	0	0	37K	NPS
Lolo Peak	MT-LNF	48,686	349	35	Ctn	10/1	415	-7	3	25	5	10	39.6M	FS
Meyers	MT-BDF	56,333	1,519	0	Ctn	10/21	376	31	5	21	3	1	26.6M	FS
Sapphire Complex	MT-LNF	43,516	91	53	Comp	10/31	314	-13	1	24	4	6	32.6M	FS
Alice Creek	MT-HLF	22,149	756	0	Comp	10/2	258	7	4	16	3	4	7M	FS
Hanover	ID-NCF	24,854	490	88	Comp	10/15	83	1	2	4	1	0	12.7M	FS
Strychnine	ID-PDS	970	0	30	Ctn	9/10	152	38	4	12	1	0	1.9M	ST
McCully	MT-NWS	637	0	25	Ctn	9/21	125	-4	2	10	0	0	550K	ST
East Fork	MT-RBA	21,518	0	90	Ctn	9/17	290	-19	5	29	2	5	2.6M	BIA
Wolverine	MT-BFA	3,035	0	90	Ctn	9/10	10	0	0	4	0	2	85K	BIA
Blue Bay	MT-FHA	490	0	80	Ctn	9/21	73	-1	2	3	3	0	2M	BIA
Nelson Creek	MT-BRF	280	0	60	Ctn	9/30	30	-25	1	0	1	0	1.1M	FS
* Liz Butte	ID-NCF	400	---	0	Comp	9/16	4	---	0	1	0	0	15K	FS
Painted Hill	MT-NCA	2,496	---	90	Ctn	UNK	4	---	0	1	0	0	100K	BIA
Red Butte	MT-MCD	700	---	30	Ctn	9/8	86	---	1	25	0	0	500K	PRI
Conrow	MT-BDF	2,741	0	100	Ctn	---	5	0	0	1	0	0	2.4M	CNTY

**Northern California Area (PL 5)**

New fires: 56  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 4  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 3  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Helena**, Shasta – Trinity NF. IMT 1 (von Tillow). IMT is also managing the Fork fire. Five miles northwest of Junction City, CA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with group torching, short-range spotting and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Fork**, Shasta – Trinity NF. Eight miles northwest of Weaverville, CA. Timber and brush. Last report unless new information is received.

**Salmon August Complex**. Klamath NF. IMT 2 (Zombro). Nine miles west of Etna, CA. Timber. Active fire behavior with spotting and running. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Orleans Complex**, (4 fires). Six Rivers NF. IMT 2 (Coots). Twenty miles north of Orleans, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and single-tree torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**CA-KNF-006098 Complex**, (2 fires). Klamath NF. IMT 1 (McGowan). Ten miles northwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Ponderosa**, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Patterson). Nine miles northeast of Oroville, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior.

**R-4**, Northern California District, BLM. Twenty-three miles east of Madeline, CA. Tall grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Helena	CA-SHF	15,880	4,867	30	Ctn	10/1	1,433	-18	29	119	10	133	6.1M	FS
Fork	CA-SHF	1,050	---	0	Ctn	10/1	12	---	0	3	0	0	9K	FS
Salmon August Complex	CA-KNF	65,117	6,630	14	Comp	10/20	1,482	-131	43	67	5	1	18.4M	FS
Orleans Complex	CA-SRF	19,802	699	53	Comp	9/30	394	34	1	31	8	0	32.2M	FS
CA-KNF-006098 Complex	CA-KNF	93,744	6,833	22	Comp	10/10	696	-3	8	41	5	0	31.6M	FS
Ponderosa	CA-BTU	4,016	0	93	Ctn	9/8	234	-941	4	20	4	54	18.8M	ST
R-4	CA-NOD	18,618	---	85	Ctn	9/18	106	---	3	9	1	0	575K	BLM

**Southern California Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 10  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 7  
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 1

**Pier**, Sequoia NF. IMT 1 (Minton). Seven miles east of Springville, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and smoldering. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Railroad**, Sierra NF. IMT 2 (Mills). Forty miles northeast of Chowchilla, CA. Timber and logging slash. Active fire behavior with backing and single-tree torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Mission**, Merced – Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Lawson). Three miles southeast of North Fork, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Road closures in effect.

**La Tuna Canyon**, Los Angeles City Fire Department. Twelve miles north of Los Angeles, CA. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Peak**, Merced – Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Four miles northwest of Ahwahnee, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

**Slinkard**, Bishop Field Office, BLM. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Wakoski) back to local unit occurred yesterday. Eight miles north of Walker, CA. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area closures in effect.

**Palmer**, Riverside Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles southwest of Calimesa, CA. Brush and tall grass. No new information.

**Empire**, Yosemite NP. Previously reported incident. Eight miles north of Wawona, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with flanking, backing and creeping. Trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pier	CA-SQF	20,864	335	25	Ctn	9/30	1,687	119	35	131	8	2	16.3M	FS
Railroad	CA-SNF	11,603	858	43	Ctn	9/15	962	90	16	95	8	17	11.4M	FS
Mission	CA-MMU	1,035	30	15	Ctn	9/9	1,245	515	21	131	10	4	4.5M	ST
La Tuna Canyon	CA-LFD	7,194	0	90	Ctn	9/8	212	-499	4	9	3	10	7M	CNTY
Peak	CA-MMU	680	0	90	Ctn	9/8	229	-7	7	32	0	2	850K	ST
Slinkard	CA-OVD	8,925	0	97	Ctn	9/9	59	-220	1	5	0	0	4.9M	BLM
Palmer	CA-RRU	3,874	---	90	Ctn	9/7	290	---	9	30	0	0	3M	ST
Empire	CA-YNP	5,637	1,387	55	Comp	10/31	13	---	1	1	0	0	924K	NPS

**Great Basin Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 22  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 5  
 NIMOs Committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Tungsten**, Carson City District, BLM. Sixty miles northeast of Fallon, NV. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with group torching, wind-driven runs and short-range spotting. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.



**Tank Hollow**, Uinta/Wasatch-Cache NF. IMT 2 (Chadwick). Eight miles northwest of Tucker, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with group torching and running. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Uintah**, Bear River Area, Utah DOF. One mile southeast of Uintah, UT. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Highline**, Payette NF. NIMO (Reinarz). Twenty-five miles northeast of Warren, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Trail and area closures in effect.

**Bearskin**, Boise NF. NIMO (Quesinberry). Twenty-one miles northeast of Lowman, ID. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with torching and uphill runs. Area closures in effect.

**Tohakum 2**, Western Nevada Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Bollier). Forty miles north of Nixon, NV. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing, flanking and creeping. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Pole Creek**, Bridger - Teton NF. Twenty-eight miles southeast of Afton, WY. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with backing, isolated torching and short-range spotting. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

**Ibex**, Salmon - Challis NF. Previously reported incident. Twenty-one miles west of Challis, ID. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, torching and creeping. Structures threatened. Road and trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

\* **Sage**, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. Thirty-three miles southwest of Tooele, UT. Timber. Extreme fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Tungsten	NV-CCD	17,000	5,000	50	Ctn	9/9	273	104	10	7	2	0	2M	BLM
Tank Hollow	UT-UWF	8,164	2,174	44	Ctn	10/15	320	-35	9	7	6	0	5.4M	FS
Uintah	UT-BRS	619	0	70	Comp	9/9	183	---	1	32	4	13	273K	ST
Highline	ID-PAF	70,938	2,996	0	Comp	10/15	109	18	2	0	1	0	1.9M	FS
Bearskin	ID-BOF	23,926	402	0	Comp	10/15	111	-19	2	9	1	0	1.1M	FS
Tohakum 2	NV-WNA	94,221	0	85	Ctn	9/9	321	-101	7	15	3	0	2.6M	BIA
Pole Creek	WY-BTF	3,504	0	55	Ctn	9/29	89	1	1	6	1	0	8.4M	FS
Ibex	ID-SCF	16,960	2,427	0	Comp	10/30	51	0	1	4	1	0	1.1M	FS
* Sage	UT-SLD	880	---	40	Ctn	UNK	25	---	0	4	1	0	100K	BLM

**Southern Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 2  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs Committed 3

**Hurricane Harvey**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Affected area encompasses much of the Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coast. Texas IMT 2 (Hanneman) has mobilized to College Station, TX to assist with coordinating city and county response efforts. FDNY IMT 2 has been mobilized to the Regional Staging Area in Katy, TX. IMT 2 (Parrish) has been mobilized to the Regional Staging Area in Beaumont, TX.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Harvey	TX-TXS	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	851	-152	18	76	0	0	NR	ST

**Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 5  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs Committed 1

**Deep Creek**, Routt County. IMT 2 (Greer). Nine miles northeast of Hayden, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior with short crown runs, short-range spotting and group torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

\* **Himes Peak**, White River NF. Thirty miles east of Meeker, CO. Timber, brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations, trail and area closures in effect.

**Big Red**, Routt NF. Previously reported incident. Forty-five miles north of Steamboat Springs, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Deep Creek	CO-RTX	2,287	198	0	Ctn	9/19	169	86	2	11	2	0	220K	CNTY
* Himes Peak	CO-WRF	113	---	0	Ctn	10/1	15	---	0	2	1	0	137K	FS
Big Red	CO-RTF	1,710	1,181	10	Comp	10/31	103	---	3	5	1	0	1.1M	FS

**Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	5	3	<b>8</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	3	<b>4</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	2	3	0	0	19	32	<b>56</b>
	ACRES	1	15	0	0	45	21,815	<b>21,876</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	9	1	<b>10</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1,738	<b>1,738</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	<b>4</b>
	ACRES	693	0	0	0	2	7,051	<b>7,746</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	8	0	0	10	4	<b>22</b>
	ACRES	0	6,451	0	0	956	5,895	<b>13,302</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	1	1	0	0	2	1	<b>5</b>
	ACRES	0	65	0	0	21	113	<b>199</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	<b>4</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	<b>2</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	12	<b>17</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>111</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>694</b>	<b>6,531</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,030</b>	<b>36,627</b>	<b>44,882</b>

**Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	170	0	0	171	13	<b>354</b>
	ACRES	0	567,659	0	0	81,345	1	<b>649,005</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	176	215	30	24	1,330	1,109	<b>2,884</b>
	ACRES	11,903	210,876	20,980	5,358	25,904	456,123	<b>731,144</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	70	71	5	12	2,203	724	<b>3,085</b>
	ACRES	116	39,887	70	37	34,411	292,506	<b>367,027</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	161	63	2	32	3,085	388	<b>3,731</b>
	ACRES	640	36,512	0	9,726	213,854	83,092	<b>343,824</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	599	102	17	29	1,392	642	<b>2,781</b>
	ACRES	49,710	364,854	1,182	10,828	258,888	465,495	<b>1,150,957</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	34	927	4	37	2,392	388	<b>3,782</b>
	ACRES	56,328	1,222,200	2	38	465,104	196,537	<b>1,940,209</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	683	224	16	42	685	865	<b>2,515</b>
	ACRES	45,893	23,368	151	1,389	114,015	355,372	<b>540,188</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	702	289	8	22	936	354	<b>2,311</b>
	ACRES	9,862	47,387	354	239	551,941	10,402	<b>620,185</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	343	0	13	14	3,325	293	<b>3,988</b>
	ACRES	696	0	19	129	16,964	3,108	<b>20,916</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	256	8	47	27	21,345	359	<b>22,042</b>
	ACRES	60,251	36	154,024	54,654	1,337,697	25,533	<b>1,632,195</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>3,024</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>36,864</b>	<b>5,135</b>	<b>47,473</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>235,399</b>	<b>2,512,779</b>	<b>176,782</b>	<b>82,398</b>	<b>3,100,123</b>	<b>1,888,169</b>	<b>7,995,650</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>50,424</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>5,493,727</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	9	0	0	0	0	0	<b>9</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	10	0	<b>10</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	96	0	<b>96</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>105</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	2	<b>8</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	64,850	100	<b>64,950</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	6	11	4	1	0	70	<b>92</b>
	ACRES	1,782	1,336	4,761	38	0	11,523	<b>19,440</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	5	6	11	0	89	<b>112</b>
	ACRES	20	654	239	258	0	9,671	<b>10,842</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	5	3	0	152	<b>163</b>
	ACRES	0	62	464	504	0	4,252	<b>5,282</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	6	13	42	6	11	93	<b>171</b>
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	514	6,413	<b>30,651</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	3	18	5	6	33	63	<b>128</b>
	ACRES	24	1,628	933	43	803	12,765	<b>16,196</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	22	33	4	5	5	97	<b>166</b>
	ACRES	3,791	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	61,661	<b>125,019</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	22	34	37	10	78	94	<b>275</b>
	ACRES	984	2,963	18,305	2,370	3,279	38,389	<b>66,290</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	51	0	169	22	1,199	177	<b>1,618</b>
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,148	97,977	64,958	<b>221,879</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	48	0	123	28	63,158	691	<b>64,048</b>
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,506,652	630,154	<b>2,372,304</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>159</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>64,490</b>	<b>1,528</b>	<b>66,781</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>40,636</b>	<b>57,334</b>	<b>169,421</b>	<b>145,396</b>	<b>1,680,180</b>	<b>839,886</b>	<b>2,932,853</b>

\*\*\* 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	5	3,333	1,205	1,165,000
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	114	330,326
ALBERTA	17	72	1,130	23,129
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	133	245	1,014,160
SASKATCHEWAN	0	10,355	314	253,527
MANITOBA	2	935	505	159,287
ONTARIO	1	0	706	92,124
QUEBEC	0	0	278	34,020
NEWFOUNDLAND	1	0	67	696
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	182	112
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	161	725
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	4	7
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	152	106,718
TOTALS	27	14,828	5,063	3,179,831

\* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Scattered wet storms from Oregon south to Mexico will become increasingly wet over southern Oregon and northern California as the remnants of Tropical Storm Lidia approach the West Coast again. Isolated storms are also expected across Washington, Idaho and western Montana, though moderate Haines-type conditions will continue. Looking elsewhere, a very deep and cool upper level trough will remain positioned over the East providing the eastern half of the nation with fall-like weather. Scattered storms will be possible across the southeast as a cold front begins to weaken over the area.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



## EXTREME FIRE BEHAVIOR 1

*Weather / Fire Behavior Category*

Mild, moderate and EXTREME fire behavior has always been present in cases of shelter deployment. It is critical for firefighters to maintain situational awareness of live and dead fuel moisture conditions as well as predicted and current weather conditions. As fire behavior changes, it is critical to act decisively to the changing situation.

Discuss the following indicators of extreme fire behavior:

- Relative humidity less than 15%
- 1-hour fuel moisture less than 5%
- Transition from surface to crown fire
- Smoldering fires that exist in the early part of the day are beginning to burn very actively as the day progresses.
- Approaching thunderheads with dark clouds beneath
- Presence of dust devils indicating an unstable atmosphere
- Increased spotting
- Sudden calm
- High clouds moving fast in direction different from surface wind
- Predicted Haines Index of 5 and 6 in those areas where this level is a good indicator of atmospheric instability
- Fire whirls



References:

Fire Whirls video produced by Rocky Mountain Research Station:  
<http://youtu.be/wEpW24WlgR8>

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