

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Thursday, May 31, 2018 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial Attack Activity: Light (58) new fires  
 New large incidents: 3  
 Large fires contained: 2  
 Uncontained large fires:\*\* 5  
 Area Command teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Nationally, there are 3 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

\*\*Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

<b>Active Incident Resource Summary</b>						
<b>GACC</b>	<b>Incidents</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	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	1	521	2	0	0	43
SWCC	6	63,789	18	39	12	884
RMCC	3	3,861	7	20	5	359
EACC	1	818	0	0	0	5
SACC	6	91,275	0	14	0	63
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>160,264</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1,354</b>

**Southwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 6  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Buzzard**, Gila NF. IMT 2 (Millert). Ten miles east of Reserve, NM. Timber. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Residences threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Buzzard	NM-GNF	20,300	1,988	34	Ctn	6/12	520	74	9	16	6	0	4.3M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Kellar	NM-LNF	750	130	0	Comp	5/31	159	0	3	9	1	0	763K	FS

LNF – Lincoln NF

### **Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

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

**Horse Park**, Tres Rios Field Office, BLM. IMT 2 (Esperance). Fifteen miles southwest of Norwood, CO. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and creeping. Residences threatened. Area and road closures in effect.

\* **Spool**, Las Animas County. Seventeen miles southwest of Kim, CO. Short Grass and Timber. Active fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Horse Park	CO-SJD	1,240	40	50	Ctn	6/2	272	101	6	7	3	0	1.6M	BLM
* Spool	CO-LSX	450	---	95	Ctn	6/4	42	---	1	1	1	0	30K	C&L
* Test Center	CO-PUX	2,171	---	100	Ctn	---	45	---	0	12	1	0	1K	C&L

PUX – Pueblo County

### **Eastern Area (PL 2)**

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

\* **Webster**, Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge, FWS. Ten miles southeast of Middle River, MN. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Webster	MN-AGR	818	---	75	Ctn	NR	5	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS

### **Great Basin Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 3  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Pine Ridge**, Vernal Field Office, BLM. Fourteen miles northwest of Vernal, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pine Ridge	UT-VLD	521	2	70	Ctn	6/20	43	-100	43	-10	2	0	638K	BLM

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New Fires: 6  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
75 Road	OK-OKS	6,000	0	100	Ctn	---	4	-17	0	2	0	0	37K	ST
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Tye River	VA-VAF	2,057	0	80	Comp	UNK	5	0	0	1	0	0	335K	FS
CN 346-B	AL-ALF	478	0	80	Comp	6/30	9	0	0	2	0	0	15K	FS

OKS – Oklahoma DOF    VAF – George Washington & Jefferson NF    ALF – National Forests in Alabama

**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	1	0	0	6	0	<b>7</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	1	1	0	18	2	<b>22</b>
	ACRES	0	0	1	0	35	0	<b>36</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	<b>6</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	1	0	<b>3</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	2	1	0	0	0	3	<b>6</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	1	2	<b>5</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	2	<b>6</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	226	1	<b>226</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	<b>6</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	56	0	<b>56</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>328</b>

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	12	0	0	67	7	<b>86</b>
	ACRES	0	2	0	0	178	1	<b>181</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	23	23	5	0	223	61	<b>335</b>
	ACRES	255	236	1,507	0	359	28	<b>2,385</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	2	8	0	0	449	59	<b>518</b>
	ACRES	0	10	0	0	480	326	<b>816</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	11	7	2	3	1,055	74	<b>1,152</b>
	ACRES	19	42	3	252	8,015	22	<b>8,353</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	327	1	0	0	68	24	<b>420</b>
	ACRES	2,342	1	0	0	911	23	<b>3,277</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	6	101	2	10	161	34	<b>314</b>
	ACRES	87	1,586	0	35	3,627	185	<b>5,520</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	389	80	4	13	445	331	<b>1,262</b>
	ACRES	28,055	2,116	215	3,289	212,269	59,180	<b>305,124</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	119	47	6	5	261	78	<b>516</b>
	ACRES	2,193	1,294	1,712	7	187,421	297	<b>192,924</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	423	0	3	19	2,936	301	<b>3,682</b>
	ACRES	4,124	0	21	185	17,010	7,152	<b>28,492</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	392	67	28	32	14,835	250	<b>15,604</b>
	ACRES	115,064	310	2,721	18,869	976,853	23,208	<b>1,137,025</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>1,692</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>20,500</b>	<b>1,219</b>	<b>23,889</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>152,139</b>	<b>5,597</b>	<b>6,179</b>	<b>22,637</b>	<b>1,407,123</b>	<b>90,422</b>	<b>1,684,097</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)</b>	<b>24,969</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)</b>	<b>1,229,478</b>

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	15	0	0	0	39	54
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	234	234
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	32	32
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	94	0	94
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>416</b>

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

<b>Areas</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	3	0	11	1	<b>15</b>
	ACRES	0	0	56	0	36,158	70	<b>36,284</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	21	27	9	7	0	155	<b>219</b>
	ACRES	2,270	5,483	4,497	414	0	43,105	<b>55,769</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	3	8	12	0	120	<b>143</b>
	ACRES	0	1,792	7,444	438	0	17,498	<b>27,172</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	3	1	0	123	<b>129</b>
	ACRES	0	90	405	40	0	11,769	<b>12,304</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	9	13	39	3	4	99	<b>167</b>
	ACRES	2,976	12,437	10,191	12,203	257	13,124	<b>51,188</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	2	18	2	4	32	71	<b>129</b>
	ACRES	75	2,239	40	67	2,420	23,060	<b>27,901</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	10	15	6	4	1	95	<b>131</b>
	ACRES	1,676	12,963	194	836	51	70,035	<b>85,755</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	11	36	22	9	37	110	<b>225</b>
	ACRES	223	3,889	14,960	263	7,338	45,339	<b>72,012</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	57	0	143	29	987	223	<b>1,439</b>
	ACRES	31,884	0	23,346	7,669	84,703	70,169	<b>217,771</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	68	0	141	33	56,252	937	<b>57,431</b>
	ACRES	18,760	0	117,763	106,832	2,282,531	947,436	<b>3,473,322</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>178</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>57,324</b>	<b>1,934</b>	<b>60,028</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>57,864</b>	<b>38,893</b>	<b>178,896</b>	<b>128,762</b>	<b>2,413,458</b>	<b>1,241,605</b>	<b>4,059,478</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/>

## Canadian Fires and Hectacres

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTACRES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTACRES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	2,880	254	34,393
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	9	2,669
ALBERTA	6	0	529	29,216
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	3	1
SASKATCHEWAN	2	8	200	28,070
MANITOBA	13	6,950	199	71,085
ONTARIO	1	0	199	4,285
QUEBEC	3	0	181	158
NEWFOUNDLAND	2	0	51	104
NEW BRUNSWICK	1	0	153	160
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	95	155
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	9	11
NATIONAL PARKS	2	2,002	26	40,072
TOTALS	31	11,841	1,908	210,378

\*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Critical fire weather conditions are expected across portions of the Southwest as the upper level trough along the coast strengthens slightly and begins to slowly move inland. Breezy southwesterly winds along with the typically low afternoon humidity levels will create an active burn environment across the Four Corners Region. Further north, scattered showers and storms will be possible across the central and northern Great Basin and the Northern Rockies as a cold front moves across the region. As has been the case thus far, storms should be wet. Hot and humid conditions are expected across the Great Plains as high pressure extends from central Mexico up to Hudson Bay in Canada. In the East, a passing front will incorporate moisture from the remnants of the tropical storm to create another soggy day from the Mississippi River east to the coast, excluding New England where high pressure will keep things warm and dry.

In Alaska, low pressure in the Gulf and another along the Arctic Coast will keep moisture in place across the state's interior regions. Expect another day of scattered showers and wet storms. The driest areas with the lowest precipitation probabilities will be across the northern Interior from Fort Yukon west to Galena where a weak high pressure ridge will keep most of the shower activity at bay.

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





## Vehicle Entrapment

*Vehicles/Roads Category*

If you find yourself in a fire entrapment situation where a shelter deployment is not possible, using a vehicle for refuge may be an option. The following are some considerations for a vehicle entrapment:

- Park the vehicle in an area void of vegetation.
- Burn out around the vehicle if there is time.
- Park behind a natural barrier or structure. Consider that a structure could become involved which could severely impact nearby exposures/vehicles ([Harris Fire, SoCal, 2007](#)).
- Do not park on the downhill side of a road or under power lines or over-hanging vegetation.
- Stay out of saddles and draws.
- Position the vehicle in a direction that provides the area occupied by crew personnel the maximum protection from an approaching flame front.
- Set the parking break, leave the motor running at high RPM, and keep the vehicle lights on.
- Roll up the windows and do not lock the doors since someone else might need to get in.
- Cover windows with fire shelters with reflective material placed against window.
- You must protect your airway; remain as low in the vehicle as possible, and use a dry bandana to cover your nose and mouth.
- Expect the following conditions if you are trapped inside the vehicle:
  - Temperatures may reach over 200 degrees Fahrenheit.
  - Smoke and sparks may enter the vehicle.
  - Plastic parts may start to melt and give off toxic gases.
  - Windows may start to crack.
  - Exposed skin may receive radiant heat burns.
- If the vehicle catches fire, or windows blow out, and you must exit the vehicle before the fire has passed, then:
  - Each crewmember should cover themselves with a fire shelter.
  - Exit the vehicle from the side away from the greatest heat.
  - Stay together and get as low to the ground as possible, moving away from the vehicle.
  - Deploy your shelter in a safe area.

### Resources:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)  
[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)  
[Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide](#)

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