

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, June 21, 2018 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial Attack Activity: Light (110) new fires
 New large incidents: 2
 Large fires contained: 2
 Uncontained large fires:** 9
 NIMOs committed: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Nationally, there are 29 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.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	2	55,316	6	1	4	191
NWCC	2	4,055	2	7	2	61
ONCC	2	2,936	4	5	0	94
OSCC	3	4,933	2	4	0	69
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	6	19,091	25	43	12	1,092
SWCC	10	96,477	16	20	7	552
RMCC	7	61,311	21	37	9	1,153
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	6	25,664	0	3	0	68
Total	38	269,783	76	120	34	3,280

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

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

416, San Juan NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Pechota) to NIMO (Reinarz) will occur tomorrow. Thirteen miles north of Durango, CO. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous residences threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Burro, San Juan NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Pechota) back to the local unit will occur today. Fourteen miles south of Rico, CO. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Badger Creek, Medicine Bow-Routt NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Greer) back to the local unit will occur today. Two miles northwest of Mountain Home, WY. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous residences and sage-grouse habitat 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			
416	CO-SJF	34,177	16	37	Ctn	7/31	632	-46	11	16	7	0	20.5M	FS
Burro	CO-SJF	3,741	26	53	Ctn	8/1	---	---	---	---	---	0	2M	FS
Badger Creek	WY-MRF	20,357	0	94	Ctn	6/30	260	-34	4	13	2	3	6.3M	FS
Upper Mailbox	CO-UPD	474	0	100	Ctn	---	67	-22	2	3	0	0	668K	BLM

UPD – Uncompahgre Field Office, BLM

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 10
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Buzzard, Gila NF. Ten miles east of Reserve, NM. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing and flanking. Structures threatened.

San Antonio, Valles Caldera National Preserve, NPS. Eighteen miles northwest of Los Alamos, NM. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Cottonwood, Cimarron District, New Mexico State Forestry. Twelve miles north of Cimarron, NM. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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Buzzard	NM-GNF	47,633	263	83	Ctn	7/5	100	-76	2	1	2	0	13.8M	FS
San Antonio	NM-VCP	495	0	35	Ctn	7/15	250	-13	8	5	3	0	1.7M	NPS
Cottonwood	NM-N2S	405	0	90	Ctn	6/21	38	0	1	2	0	0	380K	ST
Soldier Canyon	NM-MEA	1,270	0	100	Ctn	---	29	-15	1	2	0	0	5M	BIA
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Willow	NM-GNF	592	0	0	Comp	7/15	19	0	2	0	0	0	165K	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires: 8
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Trail Mountain, Manti-Lasal NF. IMT 2 (Roide). Fifteen miles northwest of Orangeville, UT. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and single-tree torching. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Little Melozitna River	AK-TAD	7,782	0	0	Comp	7/31	0	0	0	0	0	0	5K	ST
Dulby Hot Springs	AK-GAD	29,963	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4K	BLM
Mooseheart	AK-TAD	29,791	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5K	ST
Tusikpak Lake	AK-GAD	14,547	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	60K	BLM
North Innoko	AK-GAD	1,717	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	28K	FWS
Fairhaven Creek	AK-GAD	1,908	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4K	ST
Rabbit River	AK-GAD	700	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Continental Divide	AK-GAD	558	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Tumit Creek	AK-GAD	517	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7K	BLM
Unalakleet River	AK-GAD	484	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5K	BLM
Hather Creek	AK-GAD	256	0	0	Comp	9/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Kilolitna River	AK-TAD	12,800	0	0	Comp	10/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10K	BLM
Webber Creek	AK-UYD	2,944	0	0	Comp	10/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	NPS
Haystack	AK-TAD	421	0	0	Comp	10/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5K	BLM
Deniktaw Ridge	AK-GAD	18,387	0	0	Comp	UNK	0	0	1	0	1	0	306K	PRI
Kako Creek	AK-GAD	1,908	0	0	Comp	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	151K	BLM
Bismark	AK-GAD	876	0	0	Comp	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	144K	BLM
Fishing Village	AK-GAD	318	0	0	Comp	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	152K	PRI

TAD – Tanana Fire Zone, BLM

GAD – Galena Zone, BLM

UYD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM

SWS – Southwest Area Forestry, Alaska DOF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	4,658	0	0	2,222	0	6,880
Northwest Area	FIRES	1	1	0	0	8	2	12
	ACRES	44	85	0	0	11	0	140
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	15	2	17
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	68	0	68
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	0	0	28	2	33
	ACRES	0	20	0	0	39	9	68
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	5	0	0	3	0	8
	ACRES	0	173	0	0	11	252	436
Southwest Area	FIRES	5	0	0	0	2	3	10
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	95	273	369
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	26	1	27
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	117	2	119
TOTAL FIRES:		6	9	0	0	84	11	110
TOTAL ACRES:		45	4,936	0	0	2,564	537	8,082

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	76	0	0	132	8	216
	ACRES	0	198,389	0	0	19,682	57	218,128
Northwest Area	FIRES	53	44	10	2	345	116	570
	ACRES	496	2,351	1,512	0	766	70	5,195
Northern California Area	FIRES	36	10	0	1	876	117	1,040
	ACRES	8	728	0	0	6,870	502	8,108
Southern California Area	FIRES	13	23	3	4	1,516	118	1,677
	ACRES	19	541	4	252	16,684	998	18,498
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	382	1	0	0	93	37	513
	ACRES	2,425	1	0	0	959	30	3,415
Great Basin Area	FIRES	9	174	2	13	273	52	523
	ACRES	102	7,518	0	37	12,422	13,278	33,357
Southwest Area	FIRES	487	121	5	18	535	426	1,592
	ACRES	30,142	2,154	215	3,531	265,694	97,429	399,166
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	160	85	7	7	326	154	739
	ACRES	2,229	4,577	1,712	24	193,463	58,848	260,853
Eastern Area	FIRES	428	0	4	19	3,094	313	3,858
	ACRES	4,130	0	22	185	17,480	7,167	28,984
Southern Area	FIRES	399	67	36	37	15,714	281	16,534
	ACRES	115,077	310	2,923	18,972	1,007,323	27,340	1,171,945
TOTAL FIRES:		1,967	601	67	101	22,904	1,622	27,262
TOTAL ACRES:		154,628	216,569	6,388	23,001	1,541,342	205,720	2,147,648

Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)	28,560
Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)	1,700,487

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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0
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	1	0	158	1	160
	ACRES	0	0	1,028	0	1,644	158	2,830
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	1	0	158	1	160
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	1,028	0	1,644	158	2,830

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

Areas		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	3	0	11	1	15
	ACRES	0	0	56	0	36,158	70	36,284
Northwest Area	FIRES	25	29	9	7	0	170	240
	ACRES	2,472	5,546	4,497	414	0	45,984	58,913
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	3	9	16	1	125	154
	ACRES	0	1,792	5,627	1,938	35	18,066	27,458
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	3	2	0	130	137
	ACRES	0	90	405	48	0	12,550	13,093
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	9	13	39	3	4	110	178
	ACRES	3,006	12,437	10,191	12,203	257	13,757	51,851
Great Basin Area	FIRES	2	18	2	4	31	72	129
	ACRES	75	2,239	40	67	2,315	23,220	27,956
Southwest Area	FIRES	10	15	7	4	1	95	132
	ACRES	1,676	12,963	204	836	51	70,035	85,765
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	16	38	24	9	37	112	236
	ACRES	2,196	4,204	15,594	263	9,026	46,189	77,472
Eastern Area	FIRES	57	0	148	29	1,044	226	1,504
	ACRES	31,884	0	23,483	7,669	90,634	71,697	225,367
Southern Area	FIRES	71	0	147	37	59,199	968	60,422
	ACRES	18,820	0	123,842	120,230	2,344,517	966,394	3,573,803
TOTAL FIRES:		190	118	391	111	60,328	2,009	63,147
TOTAL ACRES:		60,129	39,271	183,939	143,668	2,482,993	1,267,962	4,177,962

*** 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/>

Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTACRES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO- DATE	HECTACRES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	0	281	36,775
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	12	4,569
ALBERTA	5	5	582	30,288
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	144	10	1,653
SASKATCHEWAN	12	2,169	227	31,114
MANITOBA	2	632	219	74,722
ONTARIO	7	281	265	7,896
QUEBEC	2	0	250	2,945
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	65	114
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	182	191
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	119	191
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	0	0
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	40	48,342
TOTALS	30	3,231	2,252	238,800

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: Scattered wet, strong storms are expected across the Pacific Northwest and the Northern Rockies as a weak cold front moves on shore and inland. To the south, the strong ridge of high pressure will continue to create hot and dry conditions. Pockets of critical fire weather conditions are possible across the northern Great Basin, northern California, and southeastern Oregon as breezy winds encounter the hot, dry air. In the East, strong thunderstorms are expected across the Mid-West and the Mississippi River as a low pressure area over the region intensifies and draws in moisture from the Gulf of Mexico. In Alaska, high pressure across the Interior and low pressure along the West Coast will allow for an increasingly unstable southeasterly flow to remain in place across the state. Scattered thunderstorms are expected across the eastern Interior.

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



Wildland/Urban Interface Watchouts

Operational Engagement Category

The primary consideration is to first assure firefighter and public safety. It is a must to assess potential fire behavior, ingress/egress routes, nature of the threat, hazardous materials, and available water supplies before engaging in the protection of any structures. The first step in conducting a safe operation is to assess whether the firefighting operations can be conducted safely.

Consider the “Wildland/Urban Interface Watchouts” in completing a risk analysis for the urban interface area to be protected. Remember there are three categories of structures:

- Those that are not threatened.
- Those that are threatened.
- Those that have already been lost or too dangerous to protect.

Wildland/Urban Interface Watchouts:

- Poor access and narrow, one-way roads. A rapidly spreading fire could trap apparatus and personnel before they can turn around or move away from the flames and smoke.
- Observe bridge limits. Exceeding bridge limits could lead to bridge failure with a resultant blocking of ingress/egress routes that could result in the loss of an escape route or loss of equipment.
- Inadequate water supply. Without a reserve supply of water, the fire can overtake an area before the fuels can be cleared away.
- Natural fuels are located 30 feet or closer to structures on level ground. Remember structures on slopes require greater clearance. Structures are located on canyon slopes or “chimneys” on slopes of 30% or more with continuous, flashy fuels. The resulting rate of spread of any fire in this terrain can quickly extend beyond control.

Extreme fire behavior: Situations involving crowning, large flame heights and erratic fire behavior can extend in an unpredictable manner beyond the control of any number of personnel. Strong winds of 25+ MPH: Winds increase the chance of spotting over the heads of firefighters and trapping them between both fire areas. Winds also cause greater preheating of fuels in the path of a fire front.

- The need to evacuate the public, livestock, pets, and/or animals. This critical activity can pull personnel from the firefighting activity and can distract attention from fire behavior at a time when the greatest alertness is needed.
- Propane and above ground fuel tanks that are next to wooden structures or close to vegetation.
- Power lines and poles: What is their location in relation to the structures that are being protected? Watch for both overhead and downed power lines.
- Local citizens are attempting suppression activities. Lack of knowledge in fire suppression may lead to unsafe tactics.
- Airtanker retardant drops and helicopter bucket operations: Establish communications and keep fire personnel out of the drop zone.

Resources:

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

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