### National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Thursday, July 25, 2019 – 0530 MT National Preparedness Level 2

## National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Moderate (238 new fires)

New large incidents:9Large fires contained:12Uncontained large fires:\*\*23Area Command teams committed:0NIMOs committed:1Type 1 IMTs committed:2Type 2 IMTs committed:4

Nationally, there are 105 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

Link to Understanding the IMSR.

One RC-26 aircraft with Distributed Real-Time Infrared (DRTI) capability and support personnel from the 141st Air Refueling Wing (Washington Air National Guard) have been deployed to Fairbanks, AK in support of wildland fire operations in Alaska.

Five wildland fire suppression crews and one Interagency Resource Representative (IARR) are assigned to support large fires in Alberta, Canada.

	Ac	tive Incide	nt Res	ource S	ummary	
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	29	1,156,306	66	13	14	2,199
NWCC	10	52,638	17	70	4	667
ONCC	1	9,000	0	2	0	34
oscc	2	158	5	6	0	131
NRCC	2	651	4	9	5	172
GBCC	20	160,153	26	67	13	1,107
SWCC	14	34,634	27	64	14	1,395
RMCC	5	3,559	2	5	0	73
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	8	9,656	0	7	0	47
Total	91	1,426,756	147	243	50	5,825

<sup>\*\*</sup>Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy. **Link** to Geographic Area daily reports.

#### Alaska Area (PL 5)

New fires:	10
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	6
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs Committed:	3

**Chalkyitsik Complex** (4 fires), Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (AK Black Team) to IMT 2 (AK Green Team) will occur today. Fifteen miles east of Chalkyitsik, AK. Timber. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and spotting. Numerous structures threatened.

**Shovel Creek**, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (NR Team 6) back to the local unit occurred yesterday. Twenty miles northwest of Fairbanks, AK. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, short-range spotting and isolated torching.

**Swan Lake**, Kenai-Kodiak Area, Alaska DOF. IMT 2 (EA Gold Team). Started on FWS land six miles northeast of Sterling, AK. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Cornucopia Complex** (9 fires), Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. NIMO (Portland). Twenty-five miles west of Fort Yukon, AK. Timber and brush. Extreme fire behavior with running, flanking and group torching.

**Kobe**, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. Twenty-five miles northwest of Healy, AK. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

**Grouse Creek**, Tanana Zone, BLM. Nine miles northeast of Rampart, AK. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing and single tree torching. Structures threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

**Smith Creek**, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Previously reported incident. Fourteen miles northwest of Crooked Creek, AK. Timber. Active fire behavior. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

**Little Creek**, Tanana Zone, BLM. Started on state land six miles east of Ruby, AK. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Boundary River**, Tok Area, Alaska DOF. Started on Native Corporation land 37 miles southeast of Tok, AK. Timber and short grass. No new information.

**Montana Creek**, Mat-Su Area, Alaska DOF. Started on private land 13 miles south of Talkeetna, AK. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Residences threatened.

**Garnet Creek**, Tanana Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Started on Native Corporation land 12 miles southeast of Rampart, AK. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing and single tree torching. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

- \* **Pitka River**, Galena Zone, BLM. Forty-six miles southwest of Huslia, AK. Brush and hardwood slash. Active fire behavior with running and torching. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.
- \* Allen Creek, Tanana Zone, BLM. Started on state land 40 miles west of Tanana, AK. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

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Incident Name	Unit	Acres	Chge	%	Comp	Est	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Chalkyitsik Complex	AK-UYD	482,953	9,502	0	Comp	8/31	333	52	11	0	3	2	5.5M	N/A
Shovel Creek	AK-FAS	21,309	0	54	Ctn	7/30	228	-138	2	0	2	0	25.2M	ST
Swan Lake	AK-KKS	102,229	0	72	Comp	8/31	234	-72	2	2	2	0	23.5M	FWS
Cornucopia Complex	AK-UYD	85,331	2,322	5	Comp	8/31	272	-58	12	0	0	0	4.5M	N/A
Kobe	AK-FAS	896	0	80	Ctn	7/27	120	-38	3	6	0	1	1.2M	ST
Grouse Creek	AK-TAD	30,276	5,276	5	Comp	8/2	107	0	4	0	1	0	1.2M	BLM
Smith Creek	AK-SWS	53,108	41,908	80	Comp	9/1	22	0	1	0	0	0	458K	ST
Little Creek	AK-TAD	125	-10	0	Ctn	7/25	76	0	3	0	0	0	181K	ST
Boundary River	AK-TAS	18,000		95	Ctn	7/27	3		0	0	1	0	4.3M	TRI
Montana Creek	AK-MSS	367	0	75	Ctn	7/28	1	-13	0	0	0	0	2.3M	PRI
Garnet Creek	AK-TAD	7,000	1,000	0	Comp	7/31	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	TRI
* Pitka River	AK-GAD	300		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
* Allen Creek	AK-TAD	142		0	Comp	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Larç	ge Fires Bei	ng Manage	d With a S	Strateg	y Other T	han Full	Suppress	ion Withou	ut a Typ	e 1 or 2	2 IMT	Assign	ed	
Rainbow 2	AK-DAS	18,050	50	0	Comp	12/31	47	-16	1	0	0	0	1.6M	ST
Kolmakof Hills	AK-SWS	9,573	0	95	Comp	9/1	25	0	1	0	0	0	382K	TRI
McCally Creek	AK-SWS	3,098	0	70	Comp	9/1	26	1	1	0	0	0	911K	TRI
Hess Creek	AK-UYD	173,467	0	0	Comp	7/31	103	1	4	5	1	3	2.1M	ST
Mauneluk River	AK-GAD	8,297	0	0	Comp	8/30	38	0	1	0	1	0	1.3M	TRI
Hidden Creek	AK-SWS	1,100	0	97	Comp	9/1	31	-17	1	0	0	0	1M	ST
McArthur Creek	AK-TAS	25,174		1	Comp	7/30	0		0	0	0	1	510K	ST
Southern Salmon Trout River	AK-UYD	319		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Salmon Trout	AK-UYD	1,829		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FSW
Preacher Creek	AK-UYD	651		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Fort Creek	AK-UYD	300		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Old Grouch Top	AK-SWS	222,708		0	Comp	9/2	0		0	0	0	0	28K	ST
Tom Cook Slough	AK-GAD	4,064		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	10K	FWS
Strangle Creek	AK-UYD	1,329		0	Comp	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Toklat River	AK-TAD	505		0	Comp	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Buster Creek	AK-TAD	112		0	Comp	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Batchelor Creek	AK-UYD	105		0	Comp	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Bergman Creek	AK-TAD	42,300		0	Comp	7/31	8		0	0	1	0	775K	BLM
Lloyd Mountain	AK-TAD	32,744		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	900K	ST
Foraker	AK-TAD	46,294		0	Comp	7/31	3		0	0	1	0	195K	NPS
Tundra Lake	AK-SWS	922		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	65K	TRI
Melozitna River	AK-TAD	1,061		0	Comp	8/31	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Chetaslina	AK-CRS	2,125		0	Comp	8/30	19		0	0	2	0	121K	NPS
North River	AK-GAD	110,451		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	40K	BLM

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	Unit	Acres	Chge	%	Comp	ESI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Pete Andrews Creek	AK-SWS	3,931		1	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	169K	TRI
Beaver House Hill	AK-SWS	1,100		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	TRI
Jump Peak	AK-SWS	309		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	3.3K	TRI
Aghaluk Creek	AK-SWS	1,531		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	28K	TRI
Door Creek	AK-SWS	792		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Beaver	AK-MID	13,854		0	Comp	7/31	2		0	0	0	0	345K	PRI
Swift Creek	AK-SWS	436		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1.7K	ST
Horn Foothills	AK-SWS	2,419		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Dry Creek 2	AK-MID	1,870		0	Comp	10/15	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Taylor Mountains	AK-SWS	1,121		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Black River	AK-UYD	74,367		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	305K	BLM
Little Mud River	AK-TAD	72,596		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	5K	FWS
Wilderness	AK-TAD	49,088		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	6K	BLM
Little Crazy Mountain	AK-UYD	43,181		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Marr	AK-UYD	20,782		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	12.7K	BLM
Victoria Mountain	AK-UYD	12,623		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	45K	BLM
Devil's Elbow	AK-SWS	7,500		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	34K	ST
Snowshoe Creek	AK-TAD	3,418		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	6K	ST
Yukon Charley	AK-UYD	2,886		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	2.4K	NPS
Little Titnuk	AK-SWS	2,678		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Page Mountain	AK-SWS	33,786		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	161K	ST
Sunshine Mountains	AK-SWS	16,393		8	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	3.4K	ST
Fuller Creek	AK-SWS	7,949		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	7.8K	BLM
Little Kasigluk	AK-SWS	4,409		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1.1K	FWS
Door Mountains	AK-SWS	4,034		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1.4K	ST
Biederman Bluff	AK-UYD	2,827		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	12K	FWS
Three Castle	AK-UYD	2,746		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	2K	TRI
Grayling Creek	AK-UYD	919		0	Comp	7/31	0		0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Swift River	AK-SWS	786		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Molybdenum Mountains	AK-SWS	638		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Iditarod River	AK-SWS	604		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Stony River Flats	AK-SWS	314		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Holokuk River	AK-SWS	209		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Nugget Creek	AK-FAS	15,963		0	Comp	10/1	6		0	0	0	0	110K	ST
Dry Creek	AK-FAS	13,124		0	Comp	8/15	0		0	0	0	0	20K	ST
South Fork Buckland River	AK-GAD	3,237		0	Comp	9/30	0		0	0	0	0	10K	BLM
Kugruk River 1	AK-GAD	2,707		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	15K	BLM

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modent Name	Offic	Acres	Chge	/0	Comp	LSI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Buckland 3	AK-GAD	2,338		0	Comp	9/30	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Kateel River	AK-GAD	1,887		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Koyuk River	AK-GAD	892		0	Comp	9/30	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Cotton Village	AK-SWS	600		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	1K	ST
East Fork Dennison	AK-TAS	400		0	Comp	7/30	0		0	0	0	0	3K	ST
Cripple Creek	AK-FAS	181		0	Comp	8/15	0		0	0	0	0	48K	ST

DAS – Delta Area, Alaska DOF

CRS - Valdez-Copper River Area, Alaska DOF

MID - Military Zone, BLM

#### Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:32New large incidents:1Uncontained large fires:3Type 1 IMTs Committed:2

**Museum**, Coconino NF. IMT 1 (SW Team 2). One mile north of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber and logging slash. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Cellar**, Prescott NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (SW Team 1) back to the local unit will occur today. Twenty miles south of Prescott, AZ. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Huck**, San Carlos Agency, BIA. Five miles north of San Carlos, AZ. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with running and flanking.

**Rim 2**, San Carlos Agency, BIA. Previously reported incident. Fifteen miles north of Fort Thomas, AZ. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Pers	onnel	R	esource	:S	Strc	\$\$	Origin
incluent Name	Offit	Acres	Chge	70	Comp	ESI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Museum	AZ-COF	1,887	487	12	Ctn	8/15	679	228	15	29	7	0	3.3M	FS
Cellar	AZ-PNF	7,512	0	58	Ctn	8/1	182	-132	1	4	4	0	6.3M	FS
* Huck	AZ-SCA	700		0	Ctn	7/30	23		1	2	0	0	22K	BIA
Rim 2	AZ-SCA	4,560	2,070	80	Comp	7/27	8	-18	0	1	0	0	60K	BIA
La	rge Fires Bei	ng Manag	ed With a	Strateg	y Other	Than Ful	II Suppres:	sion Witho	ut a Ty	pe 1 or	2 IMT	Assigne	ed	
Roberts	NM-CIF	5,020	2	0	Comp	8/30	61	-1	1	1	1	0	1M	FS
Castle	AZ-KNF	910	50	2	Comp	9/15	180	12	3	11	1	0	1.3M	FS
Newman	AZ-COF	4,970		77	Comp	8/3	91		3	3	1	0	1M	FS
Bear	NM-GNF	832		50	Comp	8/30	0		0	0	0	0	225K	FS
Bronco Gulch	AZ-SCA	11,523		75	Comp	UNK	15		0	3	0	0	150K	BIA
Rocky	NM-GNF	640		0	Comp	7/31	14		0	1	0	0	372K	FS
South	NM-GNF	3,060		0	Comp	7/31	1		0	0	0	0	195K	FS
White Springs	AZ-FTA	2,200		0	Comp	8/15	54		2	0	0	0	100K	BIA
Whiting	AZ-ASF	2,280		70	Comp	UNK	50		2	2	0	0	130K	FS

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Perso	onnel	R	esource	es	Strc	\$\$	Origin
incident ivallie	Offic	Acres	Chge	70	Comp	LSI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Hart	AZ-COF	460		0	Comp	7/30	44		1	2	0	0	15K	FS
Duke	AZ-COF	380		0	Comp	7/25	16		0	2	0	0	20K	FS
Black	NM-GNF	1,235		74	Comp	7/30	1		0	0	0	0	40K	FS
Skid	NM-GNF	165		41	Comp	UNK	1		0	0	0	0	25K	FS
CIF – Cibola NF	KNF – Ka	ibab NF	GNF -	Gila NF	FTA -	- Fort A	oache Age	ncy, BIA	ASF ·	- Apach	ne-Site	reaves	NF	

#### **Great Basin Area (PL 2)**

New fires:31New large incidents:1Uncontained large fires:6Type 2 IMTs Committed:1

**Vader**, Salmon-Challis NF. IMT 2 (GB Team 5). Twelve miles west of Stanley, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Sheep**, Idaho National Laboratory, DOE. Ten miles south of Mud Lake, ID. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with running, creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Lookout Point**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Sixteen miles northwest of Murphy Hot Springs, ID. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Canyon**, Boise NF. Fourteen miles west of Stanley, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

\* **Cedar Canyon**, Battle Mountain District, BLM. Forty-two miles southwest of Battle Mountain, NV. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Marys, Boise District, BLM. Fifteen miles northeast of Riddle, ID. Brush and short grass. No new information.

		Siz	ze	0.4	Ctn/		Perso	onnel	R	esource	s	Strc	\$\$	Origin
Incident Name	Unit	Acres	Chge	%	Comp	Est	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Vader	ID-SCF	443	7	76	Ctn	7/31	259	-30	8	2	5	0	1.5M	FS
Sheep	ID-INE	113,612	14,112	45	Ctn	7/25	109	0	0	17	1	1	650K	DOE
Lookout Point	ID-TFD	10,195	8,195	50	Ctn	7/27	73	17	1	2	2	0	450K	BLM
Canyon	ID-BOF	324	0	80	Ctn	8/9	145	-58	4	2	2	0	1.7M	FS
* Cedar Canyon	NV-BMD	250		0	Ctn	7/25	92		2	5	2	0	50K	BLM
Marys	ID-BOD	300		0	Ctn	7/25	22		0	4	0	0	5K	BLM
Hot Spring	ID-TFD	11,300	-81	100	Ctn		26	-10	1	5	0	0	375K	BLM
Summit	NV-WID	6,447	-193	100	Ctn		0	-105	0	0	0	0	65K	BLM
Midas	NV-EKD	1,668	-13	100	Ctn		0	-62	0	0	0	0	85K	BLM
Sheep Canyon	NV-WID	1,633	93	100	Ctn		45	-23	1	5	0	0	80K	BLM
Rebel Creek	NV-WID	1,399	-1	100	Ctn		0	-12	0	0	0	1	55K	BLM
Lava	ID-TFD	1,202	402	100	Ctn		29	-37	1	2	0	0	90K	BLM
Buffalo Valley	NV-WID	1,105	0	100	Ctn		0	-10	0	0	0	0	55K	BLM
Buck	ID-BOD	301	0	100	Ctn		63	1	2	2	0	0	72K	BLM
Old Greg	NV-PERX	120	0	100	Ctn		0	-69	0	0	0	0	60K	PRI

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Pers	onnel	R	esource	es	Strc	\$\$	Origin
modent Name	o iii	Acres	Chge	/0	Comp	ESI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Lar	ge Fires Bei	ng Manag	ed With a	Strateg	y Other 7	Γhan Ful	I Suppress	sion Witho	ut a Ty	pe 1 or	2 IMT	Assigne	ed	
Peavine Canyon	UT-MLF	286	8	0	Comp	8/15	157	1	6	8	0	0	734K	FS
Shady	ID-SCF	1,072		0	Comp	10/31	25		1	2	0	0	15K	FS
Skull Flat	UT-FIF	1,630		75	Comp	9/1	16		0	1	0	0	150K	FS
Waterfall	ID-SCF	300		0	Comp	10/31	1		0	0	0	0	5K	FS

WID – Winnemucca District, BLM EKD – Elko District, BLM PERX – Pershing County MLF – Manti-La Sal NF

FIF - Fishlake NF

## Northwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:66New large incidents:4Uncontained large fires:5

- \* **Pipeline**, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. Seven miles north of Selah, WA. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and backing.
- \* **Desert Canyon**, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. Eight miles northwest of Orondo, WA. Timber, brush and short grass. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.
- \* **Kusshi Creek**, Yakama Agency, BIA. Twenty-one miles south of White Swan, WA. Timber, brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, spotting and group torching. Area and road closures in effect.

**Drummond Basin**, Vale District, BLM. Thirty-two miles south of Jordan Valley, OR. Grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Round Butte**, Burns District, BLM. Thirty miles south of Burns, OR. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Perso	onnel	R	esource	:S	Strc	\$\$	Origin
incident Name	Offic	Acres	Chge	70	Comp	LSt	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
* Pipeline	WA-SES	4,000		0	Ctn	7/26	97		3	4	1	0	300K	ST
* Desert Canyon	WA-SES	1,000		0	Ctn	7/29	148		5	10	1	0	NR	ST
* Kusshi Creek	WA-YAA	320		0	Ctn	7/27	80		2	8	1	0	300K	BIA
Drummond Basin	OR-VAD	2,410	-90	95	Ctn	7/25	25	-8	0	6	1	1	115K	BLM
Round Butte	OR-BUD	1,209	9	85	Ctn	7/25	40	-32	0	7	0	0	55K	BLM
* Miller Island	OR-CGF	900		100	Comp		28		1	2	0	0	5K	FS

CGF - Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, FS

#### **Northern Rockies (PL 1)**

New fires:10New large incidents:1Uncontained large fires:1

<sup>\*</sup> **Moss Ranch**, Flathead Agency, BIA. Fourteen miles southwest of Ronan, MT. Timber, brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and torching.

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Perso	onnel	R	esource	:S	Strc	\$\$	Origin
Incident Name	Offic	Acres	Chge	70	Comp	LSI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
* Moss Ranch	MT-FHA	500		10	Ctn	7/30	82		2	1	2	0	100K	ST

## Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires:10New large incidents:0Uncontained large fires:1

**Reveille**, Pike and San Isabel NF. Ten miles north of Gardner, CO. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Siz	ze	%	Ctn/	Est	Perso	onnel	Re	esource	s	Strc	\$\$	Origin
Reveille	Oill	Acres	Chge	70	Comp	LSI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Reveille	CO-PSF	219	0	5	Ctn	7/31	13	2	0	1	0	0	2.6M	FS
Lar	Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned													
441	CO-SJF	295		10	Comp	8/15	32		2	0	0	0	50K	FS

SJF – San Juan NF

### Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires:17New large incidents:0Uncontained large fires:1

**Bloodworth**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Sixty-three miles south of San Angelo, TX. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/	Est	Personnel		Resources		s	Strc	\$\$	Origin
		Acres	Chge	70	Comp	LSI	Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli	Lost	CTD	Own
Bloodworth	TX-TXS	300	-100	90	Ctn	7/25	6	0	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Mada	TX-TXS	1,235	735	100	Ctn		5	-5	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Сар	TX-TXS	351	0	100	Ctn		4	-8	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Whitney	GA-CIP	441		95	Comp	7/26	9		0	2	0	0	593K	NPS

CIP - Cumberland Island National Seashore, NPS

# Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	3	0	0	7	0	10
Alaska Alea	ACRES	0	144,160	0	0	69,751	0	213,911
Northwest Area	FIRES	9	0	0	0	36	21	66
Nottilwest Alea	ACRES	345	0	0	0	172	838	1,355
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	22	3	25
Notthern Camornia Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	19	0	19
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	30	4	35
Southern California Area	ACRES	0	0	160	0	25	2	187
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	6	3	10
NOTHER ROCKIES Area	ACRES	335	0	0	0	10	0	345
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	17	0	0	6	8	31
Great Dasiii Area	ACRES	0	771	0	0	114,174	579	115,524
Southwest Area	FIRES	20	0	0	0	1	11	32
Southwest Area	ACRES	3,470	0	0	0	0	632	4,102
Doolsy Mountain Area	FIRES	2	2	0	0	2	4	10
Rocky Mountain Area	ACRES	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Courtharn Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	15	1	17
Southern Area	ACRES	0	0	1	0	324	0	325
TOTAL FIRES:		32	22	2	0	125	57	238
TOTAL ACRES:		4,150	144,934	161	0	184,476	2,051	335,772

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	207	0	0	317	24	548
Alaska Alea	ACRES	0	1,267,427	0	0	746,748	8	2,014,183
Northwest Area	FIRES	161	77	7	7	622	274	1,148
	ACRES	3,988	23,454	83	1	2,553	2,647	32,726
Northern	FIRES	12	11	3	2	1,256	153	1,437
California Area	ACRES	11	518	23	1	19,146	1,011	20,710
Southern California Area	FIRES	9	54	7	5	1,974	183	2,232
	ACRES	97	125	2,726	5	12,739	2,739	18,431
Northern	FIRES	555	17	10	2	336	156	1,076
Rockies Area	ACRES	5,368	166	1,424	0	5,080	717	12,756
Great Basin	FIRES	14	330	3	17	411	150	925
Area	ACRES	19	349,428	22	8	223,384	5,937	578,798
Southwest Area	FIRES	495	136	7	15	424	496	1,573
Southwest Area	ACRES	27,664	5,634	11	1,145	20,769	235,451	290,673
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	127	135	1	8	260	135	666
Area	ACRES	801	1,034	5,048	29	13,552	8,138	28,602
Eastern Area	FIRES	301	0	8	29	2,861	260	3,459
Eastern Area	ACRES	569	0	52	520	25,189	5,547	31,877
Southern Area	FIRES	204	0	31	39	11,030	206	11,510
	ACRES	22,144	0	1,423	2,152	177,394	13,037	216,150
TOTAL FIRES:		1,878	967	77	124	19,491	2,037	24,574
TOTAL ACRES:	60,662	1,647,787	10,812	3,861	1,246,555	275,232	3,244,908	

Ten Year Average Fires (2009 – 2018 as of today)	36,389
Ten Year Average Acres (2009 – 2018 as of today)	3,632,058

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.
\*\*\*Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <a href="https://gacc.nifc.gov/">https://gacc.nifc.gov/</a>

#### **Canadian Fires and Hectares**

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE	
BRITISH COLUMBIA	16	0	624	12,234	
YUKON TERRITORY	3	921	101	228,240	
ALBERTA	28	21,927	870	861,324	
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	9	3,384	109	20,050	
SASKATCHEWAN	5	6,525	198	23,184	
MANITOBA	1	1	207	96,958	
ONTARIO	4	1	265	262,948	
QUEBEC	1	172	168	6,643	
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	62	82	
NEW BRUNSWICK	1	0	131	177	
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	96	126	
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	1	9	
NATIONAL PARKS	2	16	51	148,462	
TOTALS	70	32,947	2,883	1,660,435	

<sup>\*1</sup> Hectare = 2.47 Acres

<u>Predictive Services Discussion</u>: A wet cold front will begin to move on-shore and into western Alaska by afternoon. Widespread showers could lead to some improvement in the live fuel moisture levels. Convection will be limited mostly to ANWR and the Upper Yukon Territory. In the West, the Four Corners high pressure ridge will begin to re-strengthen, allowing for another warming trend to move westward. Widely scattered storms will be possible across the central and southern Great Basin. Cooler conditions in the East will continue for another day, as the weakening upper level trough remains east of the Mississippi River.

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



This Day in History is a brief summary of a powerful learning opportunity and is not intended to second guess or be judgmental of decisions and actions. Put yourself in the following situation as if you do not know what the outcome will be. What are the conditions? What are you thinking? What are YOU doing?

## **Dutch Creek Incident**

**Incident Summary:** On June 12th, 2008, Andy Palmer graduates from high school. He completes Basic Firefighter training June 24<sup>th</sup> and Wildland Fire Chain Saw training (S-212) June 28<sup>th</sup>. He is hired as a seasonal firefighter on an engine crew June 29<sup>th</sup> and completes his A Faller taskbook on July 4th. July 22, 2008, the engine receives a resource order for the Iron Complex, California. The supervision at the park are motivated to see the engine crew obtain an assignment and call the crew in on their day off. The crew suffers a series of complications enroute to the fire including mechanical problems with the engine that lead to the eventual separation of the crew and engine captain after arriving at the incident. The remaining crew members are encouraged to pursue a line assignment as a falling team. The IMT personnel assign the crew as a falling module. During that assignment the crew cuts a tree that is outside their falling qualifications. A class C ponderosa pine is cut, falling downslope into a fire-damaged sugar pine. A portion of the sugar pine breaks off and falls upslope, hitting firefighter Andy Palmer, resulting in multiple severe injuries...*and the loss of a firefighters' life*. It was Andy's first fire assignment.

Zero Hour. July 25<sup>th</sup>, a radio transmission comes into Iron Complex dispatch: "Man Down Man Down. We need help. Medical emergency. Dozer pad. Broken leg. Bleeding. Drop Point 72 and dozer line. Call 911, we need help."

The local Sheriff's office receives a call from incident command and begins inquiring for a helicopter. Two air medical services decline the mission due to poor visibility from smoke, California Highway Patrol's helicopter was not available and the US Coast Guard (USCG) had not yet been contacted.

Other firefighters arrive on scene. Nomex shirts are used as pressure bandages on shoulder and leg injuries. The injured firefighter is reported as having severe bleeding and being conscious. The severity of the injuries and the sense of urgency are *not* communicated to paramedics dispatched in an ambulance to the incident.

As the medics arrive on scene they realize the injuries are much more serious than they had been told and decide to facilitate a rapid evacuation via carryout.

**Fifty-five minutes since the accident.** The patient is prepared to move and the decision is made to go to the ambulance rather than waiting for the helicopter. The ambulance is approximately 2000 ft down the dozer line.

#### One hour and 25 minutes since the accident.

A third paramedic has arrived on scene and the decision is made to wait for the helicopter. Firefighters start clearing a zone for hoist extraction.

One hour and 50 minutes since the accident. Multiple delays of the USCG helicopter are caused due to poor communications of patient status, potential use of a Forest Service helicopter assigned to the fire, and method of extraction. Once the USCG is enroute, communication about the new extraction location, radio frequencies and patient status is an issue and slows the extrication efforts. While being transferred to the hoist basket, personnel on the ground report profuse bleeding. No patient care can be given while being hoisted.

**Two hours and 47 minutes since the accident**. During the flight, cardiac arrest treatment protocol is initiated and the helicopter lands at Redding Municipal Airport with CPR in progress.

Three hours and 26 minutes since the accident. An ER Physician pronounced time of death, via radio. The Coroner later determined that Andy Palmer's death was caused by excessive blood loss.

#### **Discussion Points:**

- Identify and discuss a variety of options for medical evacuation (ATV, wheeled litter, etc.) anticipating that a helicopter will not be available.
- If the crewmember sitting beside you were to be seriously injured on the fireline, what would you and your crew do? How thorough is your unit or IMT's Incident Emergency Plan? Consider doing a mock-up medical evacuation from start to finish. Utilize the new Medical Incident Report in your IRPG to effectively communicate emergency information. Use this 6MFS to learn how to use the MIR. Assess the drill with an AAR.
- Read page 2 in your IRPG.

Resources: Factual Report: Dutch Creek Fatality, Youtube Video - We Will Never Forget You: Remembering Andy Palmer, 6MFS on how to use the new Medical Incident Report