

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Saturday, August 27, 2022 – 0730 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 3**

**National Fire Activity:**

Initial attack activity:	Light (109 fires)
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires: **	17
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	10
***Complex IMTs committed:	0

\*\*\*Complex Incident Management Teams (CIMTs) are configured to respond to large, complex fires and can expand and reduce staffing in all functional areas as necessary to meet the needs of the incident.

Nationally, there are 26 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.

[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 Boise, ID. One RC-26 aircraft with Distributed Real-Time Infrared (DRTI) capability and support personnel from the 162nd Operations Group (Arizona Air National Guard) have been deployed to Eugene, OR in support of wildland fire operations.

One Boeing 737 airtanker from New South Wales, Australia is supporting fire suppression efforts in the western United States.

Active Incident Resource Summary							
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel	Change in Personnel
AICC	1	13	1	1	0	26	-8
NWCC	18	39,780	84	100	29	3,434	50
ONCC	3	97,008	50	145	22	2,535	91
OSCC	2	475	3	16	8	184	0
NRCC	30	44,421	14	69	12	841	108
GBCC	14	117,472	41	90	23	2,041	109
SWCC	1	341,735	3	3	2	516	0
RMCC	2	8,214	0	7	0	22	0
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	5	2,810	0	0	0	17	-19
<b>Total</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>651,928</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>9,616</b>	<b>125</b>

**Northwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 45  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 8  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 6

**White River**, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 7). IMT 2 (NW Team 8) mobilizing. IMT is also managing the Irving Peak fire. Twenty-three miles northwest of Leavenworth, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, backing and isolated torching. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Irving Peak**, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS. Twenty-six miles northwest of Leavenworth, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, backing and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Rum Creek**, Medford District, BLM. IMT 2 (NW Team 13). Twelve miles northwest of Hugo, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Active fire behavior with running, crowning and group torching. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Cedar Creek**, Willamette NF, USFS. IMT 1 (PNW Team 3). Fifteen miles east of Oakridge, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Windigo**, Umpqua NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 10). IMT 2 (NW Team 9) mobilizing. IMT is also managing the Potter and Big Swamp fires. Twenty miles southwest of La Pine, OR. Closed timber litter, timber and medium slash. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Potter**, Willamette NF, USFS. Forty-six miles southwest of La Pine, OR. Closed timber litter, timber and medium slash. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and spotting. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Big Swamp**, Willamette NF, USFS. Thirty-seven miles southwest of La Pine, OR. Closed timber litter, timber and medium slash. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and isolated torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Crocketts Knob**, Malheur NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 12) mobilizing. Nineteen miles north of Prairie City, OR. Brush and timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Medicine Valley**, Yakama Agency, BIA. Four miles west of White Swan, WA. Brush and grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, running and spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect. Last narrative 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			
White River	WA-OWF	986	21	1	Ctn	10/30	274	-38	5	12	3	0	7.9M	FS
Irving Peak	WA-OWF	1,536	164	1	Ctn	10/31	50	7	2	1	0	0	2.3M	FS
Rum Creek	OR-MED	1,256	297	0	Ctn	10/31	639	60	21	13	4	0	5.3M	BLM
Cedar Creek	OR-WIF	7,602	226	0	Ctn	10/1	980	-74	16	14	9	0	27.5M	FS
Windigo	OR-UPF	1,007	0	99	Ctn	10/1	192	-33	3	0	1	0	16M	FS
Potter	OR-WIF	628	0	96	Ctn	10/30	282	-19	7	8	4	0	11M	FS
Big Swamp	OR-WIF	110	0	97	Ctn	10/30	64	0	1	2	0	0	2M	FS
Crocketts Knob	OR-MAF	1,000	0	0	Ctn	9/30	238	36	7	7	5	0	1.2M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Medicine Valley	WA-YAA	300	---	60	Comp	8/29	88	---	2	17	1	0	20K	BIA

**Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 11  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 4  
 NIMOs committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**2022 SRF Lightning Complex** (2 fires), Six Rivers NF, USFS. Transfer of command from NIMO (NIMO Team 1) to NIMO (NIMO Team 4) will occur today. IMT 2 (CA Team 14). One mile northeast of Willow Creek, CA. Timber and slash. Active fire behavior with flanking, torching and spotting. Several communities, numerous structures and infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

**McKinney**, Klamath NF, USFS. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (CA Team 12) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. Fifteen miles northwest of Yreka, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Yeti**, Klamath NF, USFS. Eight miles northeast of Happy Camp, CA. Closed timber litter and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Several communities, numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road 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			
2022 SRF Lightning Complex	CA-SRF	28,984	871	80	Ctn	8/27	1,970	127	41	132	17	8	56M	FS
McKinney	CA-KNF	60,138	0	99	Ctn	8/30	466	0	8	8	5	185	71.9M	FS
Yeti	CA-KNF	7,886	0	98	Ctn	9/1	99	-4	1	5	0	0	16.7M	FS

### **Great Basin Area (PL 3)**

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

**Four Corners**, Payette NF, USFS. IMT 2 (GB Team 4). Six miles west of Cascade, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, area and road closures in effect.

**Moose**, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (NR Team 2) to IMT 2 (GB Team 5) will occur on 8/29. Seventeen miles north of Salmon, ID. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking and backing. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Cherry Gulch**, Winnemucca District, BLM. Fifteen miles south of Denio, NV. Brush and tall grass. Extreme fire behavior with running and uphill runs. Structures threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Four Corners	ID-PAF	9,201	449	18	Ctn	9/24	762	-4	20	35	8	0	13.3M	FS
Moose	ID-SCF	96,681	105	42	Ctn	10/31	777	-15	11	33	6	7	54.1M	FS
* Cherry Gulch	NV-WID	2,000	---	0	Ctn	8/30	129	---	2	13	1	0	200K	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Porphyry	ID-PAF	2,044	79	5	Comp	10/15	142	27	3	2	2	0	739K	FS
Ross Fork	ID-STF	950	70	10	Comp	10/31	17	0	0	1	0	0	525K	FS
Woodtick	ID-SCF	5,750	14	16	Comp	9/30	26	0	1	0	1	0	4.4M	FS
Norton	ID-SCF	1,404	725	21	Comp	10/31	2	0	0	0	0	0	880K	FS
Wolf Fang	ID-SCF	1,497	231	0	Comp	10/1	1	0	0	0	0	0	65K	FS
Dismal	ID-PAF	1,836	172	0	Comp	10/15	3	-9	0	0	0	0	44K	FS
Halfway Hill	UT-SCS	11,702	0	95	Comp	10/1	8	-3	0	1	0	2	11.8M	ST

STF – Sawtooth NF, USFS      SCS – South Central Area, Utah DOF

**Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 20  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Garceau**, Flathead Agency, BIA. Seven miles northeast of Hot Springs, MT. Tall grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures and energy infrastructure threatened.

\* **Wallow**, Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, USFS. Thirty-six miles east of Elk River, ID. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior. Last narrative 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			
Garceau	MT-FHA	6,724	0	65	Ctn	8/31	150	-44	2	8	5	0	4.1M	BIA
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Wallow	ID-NCF	315	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	25K	FS
Hog Trough	MT-BRF	1,701	0	77	Comp	10/30	155	-2	3	2	3	0	10.7M	FS
Redhorn	MT-FHA	511	0	21	Comp	10/1	9	0	0	0	1	0	3.2M	BIA
Diamond Watch	ID-IPF	832	19	44	Comp	9/30	27	0	1	1	0	0	564K	FS
Dean Creek	MT-FNF	328	---	0	Comp	10/31	7	---	0	0	0	0	35K	FS
Van Camp	ID-NCF	283	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	7K	FS
Fire Creek	ID-NCF	141	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Sutton	MT-KNF	108	---	95	Comp	10/15	54	---	2	0	1	0	2.2M	FS
Quartz	MT-GNP	1,696	---	0	Comp	10/31	35	---	0	0	0	0	60K	NPS
Castle	ID-NCF	377	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	150K	FS
Clover	MT-BDF	1,103	---	51	Comp	10/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	2.1M	FS
Weasel	MT-KNF	2,350	---	40	Comp	9/30	7	---	0	1	0	0	1.3M	FS
Indian Ridge	MT-BRF	4,425	---	0	Comp	10/31	36	---	1	0	0	0	36K	FS
Eneas Peak	ID-IPF	772	---	0	Comp	9/30	4	---	0	0	0	0	525K	FS
Cannon	MT-FNF	1,384	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS

BRF– Bitterroot NF, USFS    IPF – Idaho Panhandle NF, USFS    FNF – Flathead NF, USFS    KNF – Kootenai NF, USFS  
 GNP – Glacier NP, NPS    BDF – Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF, USFS

**Southern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 15  
 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			
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Rodgers	CA-YNP	715	---	10	Comp	10/15	18	---	1	0	1	0	130K	NPS
Red	CA-YNP	1,046	---	10	Comp	9/28	29	---	3	0	1	0	130K	NPS

YNP – Yosemite NP, NPS

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 6  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Juniper Road Two**, North Carolina Forest Service. Seven miles northwest of Holly Ridge, NC. Southern rough. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Juniper Road Two	NC-NCS	1,226	0	95	Ctn	9/15	1	0	0	0	0	0	872K	ST

**Southwest Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 0  
 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			
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Dragon	AZ-GCP	1,362	---	0	Comp	9/1	7	---	0	1	0	0	900K	NPS

GCP – Grand Canyon NP, NPS

**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	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	7	2	0	0	26	10	45
	ACRES	301	51	0	0	35	847	1,234
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	10	1	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	7	3	10
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	1	13	1	15
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	27	2	29
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	2	0	0	1	9	8	20
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	26	3	30
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	3	0	0	3	4	10
	ACRES	0	8	0	0	1	1,207	1,216
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	1	1	2
	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	2	0	0	0	4	0	6
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	20	0	22
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>109</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>304</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>2,062</b>	<b>2,541</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	186	0	0	346	31	<b>563</b>
	ACRES	0	1,531,859	0	0	1,575,953	10	<b>3,107,822</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	172	293	23	37	716	648	<b>1,889</b>
	ACRES	1,556	48,002	257	22	13,592	12,346	<b>75,775</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	6	23	5	17	2,267	258	<b>2,576</b>
	ACRES	2	285	20	131	14,432	97,176	<b>112,047</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	24	37	8	24	2,905	363	<b>3,361</b>
	ACRES	114	295	103	5,373	18,735	3,209	<b>27,828</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	374	21	6	4	840	466	<b>1,711</b>
	ACRES	27,260	2,106	546	1,678	12,041	14,041	<b>57,671</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	30	491	5	33	586	288	<b>1,433</b>
	ACRES	6,632	27,520	58	37	36,224	157,688	<b>228,158</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	384	183	7	27	516	794	<b>1,911</b>
	ACRES	39,404	13,326	15	2,717	159,631	760,794	<b>975,887</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	278	316	13	24	1,039	261	<b>1,931</b>
	ACRES	18,075	6,248	142	597	179,609	10,629	<b>215,300</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	88	0	20	11	5,559	324	<b>6,002</b>
	ACRES	253	0	680	17	39,287	2,895	<b>43,132</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	804	4	26	65	24,644	628	<b>26,171</b>
	ACRES	103,548	88	5,942	3,054	1,109,498	39,584	<b>1,261,714</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>2,160</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>39,418</b>	<b>4,061</b>	<b>47,548</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>196,843</b>	<b>1,629,728</b>	<b>7,763</b>	<b>13,626</b>	<b>3,159,003</b>	<b>1,098,372</b>	<b>6,105,335</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2012 – 2021 as of today)</b>	<b>40,017</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2012 – 2021 as of today)</b>	<b>5,132,205</b>

\*\*\*Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

\*\*\*Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <https://qacc.nifc.gov/>



## Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO- DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	48	353	1,248	39,450
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	274	175,285
ALBERTA	0	82	899	124,440
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	237	430,237
SASKATCHEWAN	3	2,267	357	243,052
MANITOBA	3	6	181	168,382
ONTARIO	0	78	219	2,516
QUEBEC	1	0	369	29,571
NEWFOUNDLAND	3	270	75	24,259
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	175	138
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	118	3,364
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	2	0
NATIONAL PARKS	7	7,510	49	21,365
TOTALS	65	10,566	4,274	1,262,057

\*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Another upper-level trough will move into the Pacific Northwest and northern Rockies today. Dry and windy conditions are likely ahead of a cold front in southeast Oregon, southern and central Idaho, along the Sierra Front into western and northern Nevada, and in portions of Wyoming. Westerly sustained winds of 15-20 mph, gusting 20-40 mph amid minimum relative humidity of 8-25% are expected across these areas and may expand into portions of eastern Idaho and southwest Montana ahead of the cold front and cloud cover. Isolated drier thunderstorms are possible in northern and central Idaho into Montana and northern Wyoming. Isolated to scattered showers are likely in portions of Washington, western Oregon, and northern Idaho into western and central Montana as well. Temperatures will also be 5-15°F cooler today than previous days. Scattered monsoon thunderstorms will continue over the greater Four Corners region, and thunderstorms are likely across portions of the Plains, western Great Lakes, and much of the Southeast. Strong to severe storms are possible from Minnesota into the Texas Panhandle.

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



# The 10 Standard Firefighting Orders

## *Operational Engagement Category*

The orders are arranged according to their importance and grouped in a logical sequence: fire behavior, fireline safety, and organizational control.

Review and consider Standard Firefighting Orders as a part of every shift.

- Did you receive or request an adequate briefing, including weather, current and predicted fire behavior, wind direction, predicted humidity, fuel moisture, and/or local factors?
- Do you have a map of the fire? Are topography, fuel types, and spread direction defined?

The Fire Behavior group addresses conditions the firefighter will encounter – weather, fire status, and fire behavior.

1. Keep informed on fire weather conditions and forecasts.
  2. Know what your fire is doing at all times.
  3. Base all actions on current and expected behavior of the fire.
- Are you familiar with direction, distance, location, and size of escape routes and safety zones?
  - Discuss the need for a lookout, such as extreme fire behavior or a fire located out of your line-of-sight.
  - Discuss the importance of situational awareness.

The Fireline Safety group emphasizes personal safety.

4. Identify escape routes and safety zones, and make them known.
  5. Post lookouts when there is possible danger.
  6. Be alert. Keep calm. Think clearly. Act decisively.
- Review the importance and means of sharing tactical decisions and resource movement.
  - Review other factors influencing potential changes in tactics, which could affect control of your forces.

The Organizational Control group is centered around tactical decisions.

7. Maintain prompt communications with your forces, your supervisor, and adjoining forces.
  8. Give clear instructions and be sure they are understood.
  9. Maintain control of your forces at all times.
- After you have considered, discussed, and acted on the previous nine orders:
    10. Fight fire aggressively, having provided for safety first.

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