

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Thursday, June 12, 2008 – 0530 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Heavy (367 new fires)  
 New large fires: 5 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 4  
 Uncontained large fires: 11  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 4  
 Fire Use Teams committed: 1

\*\* Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. \*\*  
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

**Southern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 48  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1  
 Fire Use Teams committed: 1

**Indians**, Los Padres NF. IMT 2 (Smith). Eighteen miles west of King City, CA. Timber, chaparral and grass. Extreme fire behavior with spotting. Residences, recreation and cultural sites threatened.

**41**, Merced-Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Seventeen miles north of Fresno, CA. Grass and oak woodland. Smoldering.

**Clover - WFU**, Sequoia NF. FUMT (Beckman). Thirty-two miles north of Weldon, CA. Timber and brush. Isolated tree torching. Pacific Coast Trail reopened.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Indians	CA	LPF	10,800	9,500	13	UNK	1,243	407	37	61	5	1	2.7M	FS
41	CA	MMU	3,300	0	NR	UNK	228	0	3	34	0	0	NR	ST
Clover – WFU	CA	SQF	1,311	147	N/A	N/A	85	- 20	2	0	2	0	600K	FS
Lagrange	CA	TCU	1,346	546	100	---	148	- 155	6	18	0	2	NR	ST

TCU – Tuolumne-Calveras Unit, Cal Fire

### **Northern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 39  
New large fires: 2  
Uncontained large fires: 3

**Humbolt**, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. One mile east of Chico, CA. Grass. Wind-driven fire with rapid rates of spread. Multiple residences and power lines threatened. Road closures in effect.

**Martin**, San Mateo-Santa Cruz Unit, Cal Fire. Eight miles northwest of Santa Cruz, CA. Ponderosa pine, manzanita and chamise. Extreme fire behavior with rapid rates of spread. Numerous residences and power line threatened. Community of Bonny Doon under mandatory evacuation.

**Jackson**, Amador-El Dorado Unit, Cal Fire. Five miles south of Rio Oso, CA. Long range spotting. No further information received.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Humbolt	CA	BTU	3,500	---	0	UNK	NR	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
* Martin	CA	CZU	300	---	0	UNK	480	---	3	30	2	0	NR	ST
Jackson	CA	AEU	6,400	---	40	6/12	248	---	2	68	0	0	NR	ST
Ophir	CA	BTU	1,600	0	100	---	450	232	10	25	1	49	NR	ST
Pine	CA	LNU	860	160	100	---	341	179	12	23	1	0	250K	ST

LNU – Sonoma-Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire

### **Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 203  
New large fires: 2  
Uncontained large fires: 4  
NIMOs committed: 1  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Evans Road**, North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. IMT 2 (Hildreth) and NIMO (Custer). Seven miles south of Creswell, NC. Pocosin, chaparral, and southern rough. Isolated torching, creeping and smoldering in deep organic soils. Numerous structures threatened.

**South 1**, Great Dismal Swamp NWR. IMT 2 (Wilder). Twelve miles southeast of Suffolk, VA. Logging slash and blow down. Flanking and backing fire with spotting.

**Blue Trail**, Florida DOF. Four miles west of Sebastian, FL. Southern rough. Long range spotting. Smoke impacting Interstate 95.

**Salt Fork**, Texas Forest Service. Fifteen miles northeast of Stonewall, TX. Moderate fire activity.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Evans Road	NC	NCS	39,779	-416	40	UNK	473	95	1	51	6	0	1.74M	ST

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South 1	VA	GDR	900	550	10	7/1	51	33	4	3	1	0	65K	FWS
* Blue Trail	FL	FLS	300	---	0	UNK	13	---	0	4	1	0	NR	ST
* Salt Fork	TX	TXS	500	---	NR	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
The Holy Land	FL	FLS	3,100	100	100	---	5	0	0	3	0	0	NR	ST

FLS – Florida DOF

**Rocky Mountain (PL 1)**

New fires: 7  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Bridger**, Fort Carson FD. IMT 2 (Blume). Twenty miles east of Thatcher, CO. Rapid rates of spread with short crown runs and long range spotting. Evacuations in progress.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Bridger	CO	FCQ	10,000	---	0	UNK	126	---	4	7	4	0	NR	DOD

**Southwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 14  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Aggie**, Socorro Field Office, BLM. Twenty-five miles northwest of Carrizozo, NM. Slash, juniper and grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Aggie	NM	SCD	1,080	0	80	UNK	24	-4	1	4	1	0	22K	BLM

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Significant fire potential with windy and dry conditions should continue today over portions of northern California, northeast New Mexico, the Texas panhandle and south-central Colorado. Fair weather is on tap for California, the Southwest and southern Great Basin. Scattered thundershowers are expected from Florida to the Carolinas with mostly dry weather over coastal sections of North Carolina and Virginia.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### **Parking Safely on Slopes**

In 2005, three fireline fatalities related to improper parking on slopes occurred. One involved a water tender, another a fire engine, and the third was a command vehicle. In wildland fire operations, we frequently exit vehicles quickly, but it is imperative that anytime a vehicle is left unattended, time is taken to assure it is parked safely and will not present a hazard to ourselves or others. Standard operating procedures for parking vehicles safely on slopes are:

- Turn the front wheels up hill or into the inside/embankment.
- Firmly set the emergency brake.
- Put the vehicle in park (if automatic transmission) or in forward gear (if manual transmission); do not leave it in neutral.
- Turn off the engine.
- Chock the wheels. When utilizing chocks, make sure they are on the correct side in reference to the slope. Assure the chocks are approved to hold the weight of the vehicle and will grip on the road surface.
- Be especially aware of safe parking on slopes on incidents when moving a vehicle frequently, as in using engines in pumping operations along a roadway -- it is very easy to get complacent with procedures or not even realize that you are on a slightly different slope which would require placing chocks differently. It is the driver's responsibility to assure not only that the vehicle is operated safely, but is positioned and parked safely.

### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					5		5
	ACRES					134		134
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES	3			1	33	2	39
	ACRES	2			0	425	0	427
Southern California	FIRES					45	3	48
	ACRES					1,212	2,019	3,231
Northern Rockies	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1			1		2
	ACRES		1			1		2
Western Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Southwest	FIRES	6	1			4	3	14
	ACRES	3	6			53	0	62
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2			2	3	7
	ACRES		5			10,011	0	10,016
Eastern Area	FIRES					47		47
	ACRES					8		8
Southern Area	FIRES					196	7	203
	ACRES					2,226	45	2,271
TOTAL	FIRES	9	4	0	1	335	18	367
	ACRES	5	12	0	0	14,070	2,064	16,151

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1			183		184
	ACRES		206			1,267		1,473
Northwest	FIRES	44	13	4		82	56	199
	ACRES	531	6	1,398		301	70	2,306
Northern California	FIRES	55	4	5	6	499	121	690
	ACRES	44	1	161	5	12,355	57	12,623
Southern California	FIRES	10	31	6	4	1,338	126	1,515
	ACRES	0	385	97	2	5,671	6,773	12,928
Northern Rockies	FIRES	462	10	10		69	57	608
	ACRES	7,591	731	4,519		14,815	298	27,954
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	8	41	1	6	45	14	115
	ACRES	271	287	492	130	4,134	7	5,321
Western Great Basin	FIRES	5	38		7	21	12	83
	ACRES	10	2,643		3	2,231	17	4,904
Southwest	FIRES	333	100	5	31	486	240	1,195
	ACRES	8,909	12,724	280	601	228,175	35,795	286,484
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	146	17	19	2	184	47	415
	ACRES	927	428	2,002	0	59,699	803	63,859
Eastern Area	FIRES	309		10	18	6,762	253	7,352
	ACRES	1,897		247	264	48,374	1,671	52,453
Southern Area	FIRES	815		167	30	15,974	362	17,348
	ACRES	54,240		11,682	39,908	985,292	33,105	1,124,227
TOTAL	FIRES	2,187	255	227	104	25,643	1,288	29,704
	ACRES	74,420	17,411	20,878	40,913	1,362,314	78,596	1,594,532

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>35,851</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>1,154,145</b>

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

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		100					100
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	100	0	0	0	1	101

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					10		10
	ACRES					3,990		3,990
Northwest	FIRES	9	30	3	1		109	152
	ACRES	2,615	3,235	1,810	0		26,258	33,918
Northern California	FIRES	25	14	10	12	3	124	188
	ACRES	415	113	17,687	78	1,152	6,550	25,995
Southern California	FIRES		3	4	6	5	127	145
	ACRES		118	822	1,128	50	4,781	6,899
Northern Rockies	FIRES	5	21	54	4	23	134	241
	ACRES	208	2,613	14,969	219	1,104	16,601	35,714
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	18	5	6	13	43	87
	ACRES	170	2,543	346	639	2,289	10,897	16,884
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1	2	20		3	26
	ACRES		30	12	0		2,436	2,478
Southwest	FIRES	23	54	2	10		117	206
	ACRES	7,285	20,484	281	1,132		49,425	78,607
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	22	27	77	17	25	113	281
	ACRES	2,479	2,582	14,565	4,438	4,712	35,085	63,861
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		415	16	1,084	106	1,666
	ACRES	30,265		56,660	1,006	71,003	33,588	192,522
Southern Area	FIRES	26		101	74	385	785	1,371
	ACRES	15,153		55,591	58,468	219,834	772,940	1,121,986
TOTAL	FIRES	157	168	673	166	1,548	1,661	4,373
	ACRES	58,590	31,718	162,743	67,108	304,134	958,561	1,582,854

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### WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1	4	1			6
	ACRES		10	383	620			1,013
Northwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						2,019	2,019
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1,366	1,366
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
	ACRES			1				1
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						70	70
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	6	1	0	8	16
	ACRES	0	10	384	620	0	3,455	4,469

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	8	1	329	6,519
Yukon Territory	5	4	21	11
Alberta	6	-28	773	3,596
Northwest Territory	2	0	18	4,535
Saskatchewan	13	18,880	293	73,176
Manitoba	2	6	208	76,002
Ontario	0	0	113	96
Quebec	1	0	117	128
Newfoundland	1	0	42	93
New Brunswick	0	0	98	80
Nova Scotia	1	2	178	315
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	19	56
Total	39	18,864	2,209	164,606

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