

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, June 2, 2009 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (123 new fires)
 New large fires: 3 (*)
 Large fires contained: 3
 Uncontained large fires: 4
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

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

Alaska Area (PL 2)

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

Broken Snowshoe, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. IMT 2 (Doty). Ten miles north of McGrath, AK. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

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
Broken Snowshoe	AK	SWS	25,445	-312	36	UNK	319	-2	13	0	5	0	1.7M	ST

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 23
 New large fires: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Melendrez Pass, Coronado NF. Ten miles east of Green Valley, AZ. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

Four Mile, San Carlos Agency, BIA. Fourteen miles northwest of Granville, AZ. Juniper and grass. No new information.

Skeleton, Coronado NF. Twenty five miles southwest of Animas, NM. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

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Melendrez Pass	AZ	CNF	5,004	3,579	50	6/3	210	28	7	12	0	0	250K	FS

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Four Mile	AZ	SCA	1,267	356	60	6/2	47	0	3	3	1	0	40K	BIA
* Skeleton	AZ	CNF	400	---	10	6/6	63	---	2	3	1	0	40K	FS
* Ghost Town	AZ	A3S	307	0	100	---	41	5	1	4	0	2	NR	ST

A3S – Tucson District, Arizona Department of Lands

Northwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 11
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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
Green Grass	OR	PRD	1,000	-1,000	100	---	0	-61	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM

PRD – Prineville District, BLM

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 8
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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
* SW Mashoes	NC	ALR	560	---	100	---	28	---	0	9	1	0	10K	FWS

ALR – Alligator River NWR

Predictive Services Discussion: Scattered wet thunderstorms will continue today in California, Oregon and the Great Basin. The Southwest Area will be warmer, drier with increasing southwest winds, especially across western Arizona. A few thunderstorms and higher humidity expected in northeast New Mexico. Much of the Alaska interior will be warmer and drier with cool, showery weather in the west. Gusty winds are expected over the north slopes of the Alaska Range.

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



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

Unburned Fuel Between You And The Fire

It is important for firefighters to recognize unburned fuel between themselves and the fire as Watchout Situation #11. Often it is not possible or practical to direct attack a fire. Before attempting indirect attack and any time the firefighter is in a position where there is unburned fuel between them and the fire, the following questions must be addressed immediately:

- Can you see the fire? Discuss situations you might find yourself in where you are out in the green and cannot see the fire. What can you do?
- Is fire spread in a direction away from you? Do you consider the potential for fire spread? Are you safe if the wind switches?
- Will your position be defensible when the fire reaches you? Talk about what must be taken into account when building indirect line or approaching a fire through the green.
- Is your line anchored? Discuss how you anchor indirect line.
- Are your escape routes and safety zones adequate? What is adequate?
- To reduce the risks:
 - Post lookouts
 - Consider a different location. Review situations where you constructed indirect line or approached a fire through the green and how you provided for your safety.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					0		0
Northwest	FIRES		3				8	11
	ACRES		2				4	6
Northern California	FIRES					13	12	25
	ACRES					3	1	4
Southern California	FIRES				0	17	1	18
	ACRES				300	16	0	316
Northern Rockies	FIRES					6	4	10
	ACRES					1	51	52
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1				2	4	7
	ACRES	0				0	0	0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	12	2			4	5	23
	ACRES	20	0			1	9	30
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Eastern Area	FIRES	4				13		17
	ACRES	3				155		158
Southern Area	FIRES					8		8
	ACRES					26		26
TOTAL	FIRES	17	6	0	0	66	34	123
	ACRES	23	2	0	300	202	65	592

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		5	5	3	185	1	199
	ACRES		5,279	63	2,450	92,796	0	100,588
Northwest	FIRES	21	36		1	118	91	267
	ACRES	77	2,931		1	314	362	3,685
Northern California	FIRES	11	11	1	4	301	143	471
	ACRES	15	13	0	1	389	295	713
Southern California	FIRES	7	17	3	4	866	118	1,015
	ACRES	0	464	4	548	2,988	2,240	6,244
Northern Rockies	FIRES	181	10	3	1	72	53	320
	ACRES	557	432	369	0	14,813	195	16,366
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	34	3	4	55	22	120
	ACRES	20	49	187	0	173	6	435
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	45		1	30	18	97
	ACRES	20	196		0	68	6	290
Southwest	FIRES	293	112	5	27	377	311	1,125
	ACRES	7,068	40,234	13	1,344	129,937	38,640	217,236
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	137	39	13	1	205	46	441
	ACRES	841	40	533	42	61,658	226	63,340
Eastern Area	FIRES	352		31	24	10,863	449	11,719
	ACRES	1,189		795	110	101,572	6,391	110,057
Southern Area	FIRES	293		148	39	25,329	473	26,282
	ACRES	35,253		26,232	62,241	749,679	24,679	898,084
TOTAL	FIRES	1,300	309	212	109	38,401	1,725	42,056
	ACRES	45,040	49,638	28,196	66,737	1,154,387	73,040	1,417,038

Ten Year Average Fires	33,537
Ten Year Average Acres	1,113,676

*** 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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						168	168
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
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						3	3
	ACRES						1,909	1,909
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2,077	2,077

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					9		9
	ACRES					3,068		3,068
Northwest	FIRES	10	100	19	1		81	211
	ACRES	3,645	7,746	4,068	1		12,176	27,636
Northern California	FIRES	26	33	16	32	7	175	289
	ACRES	224	164	26,229	162	1,401	8,459	36,639
Southern California	FIRES		6	5			104	115
	ACRES		459	143			9,165	9,767
Northern Rockies	FIRES	9	20	70	2	20	170	291
	ACRES	210	3,634	17,748	345	2,174	17,143	41,254
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	32	2	9	28	36	108
	ACRES	8	3,020	770	317	219	9,471	13,805
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6	2			5	13
	ACRES		1,268	62			219	1,549
Southwest	FIRES	15	21	2	8		186	232
	ACRES	735	30,658	251	1,054		84,215	116,913
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	37	35	102	9	35	120	338
	ACRES	3,511	4,206	17,307	5,340	858	28,549	59,771
Eastern Area	FIRES	57		395	40	1,484	161	2,137
	ACRES	72,289		61,750	9,200	73,990	44,592	261,821
Southern Area	FIRES	5		237	70	763	936	2,011
	ACRES	2,370		123,019	75,066	273,599	889,000	1,363,054
TOTAL	FIRES	160	253	850	171	2,346	1,974	5,754
	ACRES	82,992	51,155	251,347	91,485	355,309	1,102,989	1,935,277

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Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	9	452	371	6,266
Yukon Territory	0	1,530	9	1,861
Alberta	10	57	613	1,749
Northwest Territory	1	2	3	2
Saskatchewan	7	1,721	248	6,948
Manitoba	1	25	40	1,960
Ontario	0	0	131	193
Quebec	0	0	199	293
Newfoundland	1	1	81	361
New Brunswick	0	0	142	227
Nova Scotia	0	0	111	926
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	20	19,438
Total	29	3,786	1,968	40,224

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