

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, June 11, 2009 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (93 new fires)
 New large fires: 1 (*)
 Large fires contained: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 6
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

** Uncontained large fires do not include confine/contain incidents. **

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 23
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Pioneer, Tonto NF. IMT 2 (Sciacca). Eight miles south of Globe, AZ. Chaparral. Moderate fire activity.

Meason, Gila NF. IMT 2 (McBratney). Confine / contain management strategy. Twenty-six miles north of Mimbres, NM. Hardwood litter. Minimal fire activity.

Cato, Roswell Field Office, BLM. Forty-five miles east of Roswell, NM. Grass. Active fire behavior. Residences Threatened.

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Pioneer | AZ | TNF | 953 | 376 | 30 | 6/18 | 291 | 76 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 1.4M | FS |
| Meason | NM | GNF | 3,700 | 59 | NR | UNK | 107 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 0 | NR | FS |
| * Cato | NM | ROD | 6,000 | --- | NR | UNK | 85 | --- | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | NR | BLM |

Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 3
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 3

Tonclonukna Creek, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Seven miles south of Telida, AK. Black spruce and tundra. Moderate fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Dillinger, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Twelve miles northeast of Farewell, AK. Mixed spruce and tundra. Running, torching, and spotting.

Broken Snowshoe, Southwest Area, Alaska DOF. Ten miles north of McGrath, AK. Black spruce. No further information received. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

| 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 |
|-------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Tonclonukna Creek | AK | SWS | 30,887 | 5,860 | NR | UNK | 45 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | NR | ST |
| Dillinger | AK | SWS | 19,000 | 137 | NR | UNK | 10 | -8 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 63K | ST |
| Broken Snowshoe | AK | SWS | 25,345 | 0 | 62 | UNK | 0 | -29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.6M | ST |

Southern Area (PL 1)

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

Union Pacific West, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land five miles west of Marfa, TX. Grass. No new information.

| 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 |
|--------------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Union Pacific West | TX | TXS | 945 | --- | 90 | UNK | 34 | --- | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | NR | PRI |

Predictive Services Discussion: Alaska will see isolated to scattered thunderstorms across the north and east with dry conditions in the interior. Windy conditions will continue across the Southwest with dry conditions emerging across the southeast half of the area. Across the remainder of the West, daily thundershowers will be common.

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



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 | | | | | 3 | | 3 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 60 | | 60 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 13 | 1 | | | 6 | 2 | 22 |
| | ACRES | 13 | 0 | | | 3 | 0 | 16 |
| Northern California | FIRES | | | | | 10 | 2 | 12 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | | | | 8 | 2 | 10 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | | | | | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 0 | | 0 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| | ACRES | | 0 | | | | | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 1 | 4 | | 1 | 7 | 10 | 23 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 7,025 | | 0 | 1,039 | 399 | 8,463 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | | | 3 | | 3 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 3 | | 3 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | | | 14 | | 14 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 47 | | 47 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 14 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 53 | 19 | 93 |
| | ACRES | 13 | 7,025 | 0 | 0 | 1,160 | 399 | 8,597 |

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | 6 | 5 | 3 | 201 | 3 | 218 |
| | ACRES | | 8,514 | 610 | 2,562 | 156,126 | 0 | 167,812 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 70 | 52 | 1 | 4 | 166 | 137 | 430 |
| | ACRES | 225 | 1,158 | 1 | 2 | 559 | 289 | 2,234 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 26 | 18 | 1 | 5 | 511 | 205 | 766 |
| | ACRES | 22 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 1,397 | 300 | 1,739 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 9 | 21 | 3 | 3 | 1,040 | 176 | 1,252 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 473 | 4 | 539 | 3,286 | 2,494 | 6,796 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 191 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 96 | 77 | 379 |
| | ACRES | 543 | 432 | 369 | 0 | 14,862 | 233 | 16,439 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 2 | 44 | 3 | 4 | 65 | 32 | 150 |
| | ACRES | 20 | 63 | 187 | 0 | 167 | 6 | 443 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 3 | 55 | | 2 | 30 | 18 | 108 |
| | ACRES | 20 | 197 | | 0 | 68 | 6 | 291 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 324 | 134 | 5 | 32 | 429 | 344 | 1,268 |
| | ACRES | 8,323 | 64,674 | 13 | 2,048 | 131,829 | 36,568 | 243,455 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 150 | 43 | 13 | 1 | 209 | 48 | 464 |
| | ACRES | 1,038 | 43 | 533 | 42 | 61,693 | 226 | 63,575 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 388 | | 27 | 24 | 10,898 | 456 | 11,793 |
| | ACRES | 1,205 | | 767 | 110 | 101,963 | 6,411 | 110,456 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 293 | | 150 | 39 | 26,657 | 479 | 27,618 |
| | ACRES | 35,253 | | 27,204 | 62,241 | 857,811 | 24,727 | 1,007,236 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 1,456 | 383 | 212 | 118 | 40,302 | 1,975 | 44,446 |
| | ACRES | 46,649 | 75,573 | 29,688 | 67,545 | 1,329,761 | 71,260 | 1,620,476 |

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| Ten Year Average Fires | 35,794 |
| Ten Year Average Acres | 1,223,330 |

*** 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 | 9 | | | | | | 9 |
| | ACRES | 3,477 | | | | | | 3,477 |
| Northern California | FIRES | | 2 | | | 3 | 4 | 9 |
| | ACRES | | 0 | | | 330 | 196 | 526 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | | | | | 15 | 15 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | 37 | 37 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | ACRES | 14 | | | | | | 14 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 3 |
| | ACRES | 21 | 1,800 | 250 | | | | 2,071 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| | ACRES | | | | | | | 0 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | | | 2 | | 1 | 8 | 11 |
| | ACRES | | | 247 | | 700 | 9,165 | 10,112 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 11 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 27 | 48 |
| | ACRES | 3,512 | 1,800 | 497 | 0 | 1,030 | 9,398 | 16,237 |

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Alaska | FIRES | | | | | 8 | | 8 |
| | ACRES | | | | | 3,068 | | 3,068 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 19 | 100 | 19 | 2 | | 82 | 222 |
| | ACRES | 7,122 | 7,746 | 4,068 | 31 | | 12,258 | 31,225 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 26 | 35 | 17 | 33 | 9 | 174 | 294 |
| | ACRES | 224 | 2,515 | 26,529 | 163 | 1,780 | 8,221 | 39,432 |
| Southern California | FIRES | | 6 | 8 | 2 | | 123 | 139 |
| | ACRES | | 459 | 531 | 201 | | 9,368 | 10,559 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 18 | 21 | 74 | 2 | 20 | 174 | 309 |
| | ACRES | 1,101 | 3,734 | 18,180 | 345 | 2,174 | 17,242 | 42,776 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1 | 31 | 2 | 9 | 28 | 42 | 113 |
| | ACRES | 8 | 2,980 | 770 | 317 | 219 | 9,105 | 13,399 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | | 6 | 2 | | | 5 | 13 |
| | ACRES | | 1,268 | 62 | | | 219 | 1,549 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 17 | 27 | 3 | 8 | | 186 | 241 |
| | ACRES | 777 | 36,418 | 501 | 1,054 | | 84,315 | 123,065 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 37 | 39 | 102 | 10 | 35 | 120 | 343 |
| | ACRES | 3,511 | 4,674 | 17,307 | 5,851 | 876 | 28,549 | 60,768 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 62 | | 402 | 40 | 1,728 | 161 | 2,393 |
| | ACRES | 72,698 | | 63,164 | 9,200 | 81,341 | 45,327 | 271,730 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 5 | | 238 | 75 | 775 | 957 | 2,050 |
| | ACRES | 2,370 | | 122,531 | 88,109 | 279,552 | 907,995 | 1,400,557 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 185 | 265 | 867 | 181 | 2,603 | 2,024 | 6,125 |
| | ACRES | 87,811 | 59,794 | 253,643 | 105,271 | 369,010 | 1,122,599 | 1,998,128 |

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Canada Fires and Hectares

| Provinces | Fires Yesterday | Hectares Yesterday | Fires Year-To-Date | Hectares Year-To-Date |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| British Columbia | 17 | 1,978 | 466 | 28,207 |
| Yukon Territory | 0 | 0 | 16 | 15,528 |
| Alberta | 3 | 5 | 656 | 2,370 |
| Northwest Territory | 4 | 9 | 10 | 14 |
| Saskatchewan | 3 | 0 | 277 | 7,296 |
| Manitoba | 0 | 0 | 44 | 1,969 |
| Ontario | 1 | 0 | 139 | 203 |
| Quebec | 1 | 0 | 209 | 308 |
| Newfoundland | 0 | 0 | 89 | 371 |
| New Brunswick | 0 | 0 | 150 | 232 |
| Nova Scotia | 0 | 0 | 125 | 936 |
| Prince Edward Island | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| National Parks | 0 | 1 | 24 | 21,679 |
| Total | 29 | 1,994 | 2,205 | 79,112 |

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