

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, June 1, 2010 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (91 new fires)
New large fires:	2 (*)
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires: **	7
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Nationally, there are 26 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

** Uncontained large fires includes only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.**

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

Department of Interior personnel are assigned to several locations in the Gulf of Mexico to assess and mitigate impacts resulting from the Deepwater Horizon oil spill.

- A total of 329 Fish and Wildlife Service personnel are assigned to Delta, Breton and Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuges, as well as Houma, LA and Mobile, AL.

- A total of 205 National Park Service personnel are assigned to Gulf Islands National Seashore, Jean Lafitte Park and Preserve, Everglades National Park, Dry Tortugas, Biscayne National Park, De Soto National Memorial and Big Cypress National Preserve.

Alaska Area (PL 4)

New fires:	11
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Eagle Trail, Tok Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. IMT 2 (Allen). One mile south of Tanacross, AK. Spruce. Active fire behavior with spotting, running and group torching. Village of Tanacross threatened. Traffic delays along Alaska Highway.

Gilles Creek, Delta Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. IMT2 (Paul). Limited perimeter control incident. Twenty miles north of Delta, AK. Dormant brush, slash and black spruce. Moderate fire behavior with isolated group torching. Numerous structures threatened.

Toklat, Tanana Zone, BLM. Limited perimeter control incident. Started on state land 25 miles southwest of Nenana, AK. Black spruce and tundra. Moderate fire activity. Residences and outbuildings threatened.

* **Eklutna**, Mat-Su Area, Alaska DOF. Thirty-seven miles northeast of Anchorage, AK. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior.

Cascaden Ridge, Tanana Zone, BLM. Previously reported limited perimeter control incident. Twelve miles southwest of Livengood, AK. Dormant brush, slash and black spruce. Active fire behavior with isolated torching. Structures and outbuildings threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Turquoise Lake, Southwest Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. Confine/contain incident. Fifteen miles southwest of Farewell, AK. Black spruce. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Applegate, Tanana Zone, BLM. Started on State land 25 miles northeast of Manley Hot Springs, AK. Dormant brush, slash and black spruce. Active fire behavior with group-tree torching and spotting. Numerous structures threatened.

Lone Mountain, Southwest Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. Confine/contain incident. One mile north of Lone Mountain, AK. Black spruce. Active fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Healy River, Delta Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. Thirty-eight miles east of Delta Junction, AK. Black spruce and mixed hardwoods. 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
Eagle Trail	AK	TAS	13,242	4,658	15	UNK	535	6	17	12	5	0	2.7M	ST
Gilles Creek	AK	DAS	16,400	2,400	N/A	N/A	252	100	11	1	1	0	600K	ST
Toklat	AK	TAD	127,176	27,040	N/A	N/A	196	22	8	0	4	0	NR	ST
* Eklutna	AK	MSS	1,296	---	0	6/5	90	---	5	1	2	0	175K	ST
Cascaden Ridge	AK	TAD	14,075	---	N/A	N/A	39	---	2	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Turquoise Lake	AK	SWS	56,340	28,340	N/A	N/A	0	-140	0	0	0	8	78K	ST
Applegate	AK	TAD	14,578	2,578	NR	UNK	114	84	5	5	1	0	NR	ST
Lone Mountain	AK	SWS	30,000	20,400	N/A	N/A	0	0	0	0	0	0	2K	ST
Healy River	AK	DAS	100	0	5	6/15	41	19	2	0	0	0	311K	ST

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 13
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Horseshoe, Coronado NF. IMT 1 (Hughes). Five miles south of Portal, AZ. Timber. Backing fire with short upslope runs.

Horse, Gila NF. Confine/contain incident. Thirty-six miles northwest of Silver City, NM. Timber. Creeping. 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
Horseshoe	AZ	CNF	1,600	200	0	6/15	801	151	23	26	6	0	2.6M	FS
Horse	NM	GNF	987	317	N/A	N/A	26	1	1	0	0	0	NR	FS
New	NM	CCP	17,309	0	100	---	20	-24	0	0	1	0	3.2M	NPS

CCP – Carlsbad Caverns NP

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 2
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Beaver, Uncompahgre Field Office, BLM. Five miles southeast of Norwood, CO. Timber and brush. 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
Beaver	CO	UPD	2,641	---	NR	UNK	28	---	1	3	1	0	NR	BLM

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 23
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Robbers Roost**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land 20 miles southwest of Van Horn, TX. Timber, juniper and heavy brush. 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
* Robbers Roost	TX	TXS	9,200	---	70	6/2	16	---	0	3	1	0	NR	PRI

Predictive Services Discussion: Fire potential in the Alaska interior will moderate slightly today due to cooler temperatures, higher humidity and scattered wet thundershowers. A low pressure system in the West will bring gusty winds to portions of the Southwest, southern Great Basin and Rocky Mountain Areas. Scattered thundershowers are expected across much of the Southeast.

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



Today's discussion is from the
Wildland / Urban Interface Category.

WILDLAND/URBAN INTERFACE -- STRUCTURE PROTECTION

The primary consideration of any operation is to assure firefighter and public safety. It is a must to assess potential fire behavior, ingress/egress routes, nature of the threat, hazardous materials, and available water supplies before engaging in the protection of any structure.

- Factors that may make an attempt to save a structure hopeless or too dangerous include:
 - The fire is making a sustained run and there is little or no clearance between the structure and the fuel.
 - The fire behavior is extreme; spot fires are numerous and the spread is outpacing containment.
 - Water supply will not last as long as the threat of the fire.
 - The fire intensity dictates that you leave the fire area immediately.
 - The structure is constructed of wood and has a wood, shake roof.
 - The roof of the structure is more than one-quarter involved.
 - There is fire inside of the structure or windows are broken and there is no way to quickly repair them.
 - You can safely remain at the structure because your escape route could become unusable.

- When implementing a plan to protect structures, consider the following:
 - Don't enter a burning structure unless you are trained, equipped, and authorized. Firefighter safety and survival is the number one priority.
 - Always stay mobile and wear all of your PPE.
 - Back in equipment to allow for a quick escape.
 - Coil a short, charged line with fog nozzle on your engine for safety and quick knock down capability.
 - Don't make long hose lays. Keep at least 100 gallons of water reserve in your tank.
 - Check the road system before the fire approaches. Know bridge limits, alternate access routes, and turnarounds for your vehicle and other support vehicles.
 - Determine if residents are home. Leave on the inside and outside lights, regardless of the time of day. Close the garage door.
 - Place the owners' ladder at a corner of the home on the side with the least fire threat.
 - Coil and charge garden hoses.
 - Check and mark hazmat; e.g., LPG, pesticides, and paint storage.

References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#) pages 12-14 (2010 version)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1			10		11
	ACRES		23,574			63,745		87,319
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES					10		10
	ACRES					2		2
Southern California	FIRES		1			18		19
	ACRES		40			37		77
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	2	3		1	1	6	13
	ACRES	2	75		1	4	1,198	1,280
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1				1	2
	ACRES		2				0	2
Eastern Area	FIRES					11	2	13
	ACRES					30	0	30
Southern Area	FIRES					23		23
	ACRES					9,510		9,510
TOTAL	FIRES	2	6	0	1	73	9	91
	ACRES	2	23,691	0	1	73,328	1,198	98,220

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		19	13	1	226	3	262
	ACRES		55,357	1,037	0	203,551	1	259,946
Northwest	FIRES	9	5			60	24	98
	ACRES	193	2			119	2	316
Northern California	FIRES	1	1			348	34	384
	ACRES	0	0			840	9	849
Southern California	FIRES	5	33	3	2	479	74	596
	ACRES	2	4,956	14	2	2,966	126	8,066
Northern Rockies	FIRES	286	4	0		84	56	430
	ACRES	2,473	17	760		707	150	4,107
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	5	18	2		69	14	108
	ACRES	14	23	1		494	23	555
Western Great Basin	FIRES		16	1	3	11		31
	ACRES		18	15	0	46		79
Southwest	FIRES	214	85	4	29	178	205	715
	ACRES	2,030	4,416	33	17,808	25,641	8,387	58,315
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	122	24	3	6	84	40	279
	ACRES	2,039	664	3,051	0	10,913	2,206	18,873
Eastern Area	FIRES	614		19	21	6,957	429	8,040
	ACRES	2,707		3,920	19	70,299	4,234	81,179
Southern Area	FIRES	493		42	21	13,877	408	14,841
	ACRES	32,015		1,575	128	191,363	16,856	241,937
TOTAL	FIRES	1,749	205	87	83	22,373	1,287	25,784
	ACRES	41,473	65,453	10,406	17,957	506,939	31,994	674,222

Ten Year Average Fires	31,652
Ten Year Average Acres	1,063,019

*** 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							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES				0			0
	ACRES				2			2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	2	0	0	2

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		2			11		13
	ACRES		3,000			21,497		24,497
Northwest	FIRES	6	41	6	1		97	151
	ACRES	2,582	6,786	1,867	11		17,086	28,332
Northern California	FIRES	1	20	11	18		196	246
	ACRES	10	347	20,635	33		6,603	27,628
Southern California	FIRES		7	9		4	213	233
	ACRES		1,157	1,313		35	1,801	4,306
Northern Rockies	FIRES	68	21	97	8	25	156	375
	ACRES	2,296	3,860	25,030	1,240	920	17,231	50,577
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		17	6	4	24	38	89
	ACRES		1,689	2,745	505	1,370	7,791	14,100
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2	1		5	11
	ACRES		68	1,395	83		118	1,664
Southwest	FIRES	19	15	5	3		89	131
	ACRES	1,333	13,173	131	886		38,196	53,719
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	34	55	108	17	46	150	410
	ACRES	1,727	6,315	24,600	2,464	6,059	20,651	61,816
Eastern Area	FIRES	47		233	24	1,102	156	1,562
	ACRES	62,783		36,836	5,511	74,851	57,717	237,698
Southern Area	FIRES	15		179	64	8,761	1,105	10,124
	ACRES	2,705		73,108	56,838	249,082	1,102,535	1,484,268
TOTAL	FIRES	190	181	656	140	9,973	2,205	13,345
	ACRES	73,436	36,395	187,660	67,571	353,814	1,269,729	1,988,605

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>.

Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	162	1,089	241	1,924
Yukon Territory	0	0	20	19,964
Alberta	368	687	708	1,746
Northwest Territory	0	0	5	5
Saskatchewan	65	1,808	152	12,467
Manitoba	106	3,993	156	25,864
Ontario	248	903	525	11,722
Quebec	130	84	352	97,485
Newfoundland	8	23	15	24
New Brunswick	63	84	101	108
Nova Scotia	171	415	229	450
Prince Edward Island	0	0	1	1
National Parks	12	11	12	11
Total	1,333	9,098	2,517	171,771

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