

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2006 – 0800 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationally with 129 new fires reported. Nine new large fires were reported, nine in the Southern Area and one in the Rocky Mountain Area. Thirteen large fires were contained, thirteen in the Southern Area and one in the Rocky Mountain Area. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont.

SOUTHERN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

WEST TEXAS IA, Texas Forest Service. A Texas State Type 2 Incident Management Team (Hanneman) is assigned in Midland, TX. The Team is assisting local jurisdictions with managing initial and extended attack fires and a fire prevention program within the 140 million acre fire management response area. One new fire in Terrell County was reported. Acres, structure losses and costs represent cumulative fire activity for the response area.

HAPPY HOLLOW, Arkansas Forestry Commission. This fire is four miles southeast of Timbo, AR in timber. No further information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
WEST TEXAS IA	TX	TXS	3,894	NR	UNK	236	0	15	3	0	9.1M	N/A
HAPPY HOLLOW	AR	ARS	232	NR	UNK	4	6	0	0	0	NR	ST
HORN MOUNTAIN	AR	BUP	1,340	100	---	24	14	0	0	0	NR	NPS
WILSON RD	OK	OKS	120	100	---	3	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
CANE FORK	KY	KYS	246	100	---	6	1	1	0	0	NR	PRI
BRISTOW RD.	OK	OKS	700	100	---	3	0	1	0	0	NR	PRI
MID DAY	OK	OMA	546	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	15K	BIA
TANYARD HILL	KY	KYS	378	100	---	6	1	2	0	0	NR	PRI
GAMBLER	FL	EAQ	600	100	---	5	0	1	1	0	NR	DOD
RATTLESNAKE DEN	OK	OKS	750	100	---	8	0	4	0	0	NR	ST
DEAD RABBIT	OK	OKS	800	100	---	7	0	3	0	0	NR	ST
LOW GAP	AR	ARS	425	100	---	6	8	0	0	0	NR	ST
ROAD 417	OK	OMA	700	100	---	13	0	3	0	0	9K	BIA
WOOL LN	TN	TNS	120	100	---	10	0	2	0	0	NR	ST

EAQ – Eglin Air force Base

KYS – Kentucky Division of Forestry

OKS – Oklahoma Division of Forestry

OMA – Okmulgee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs

BUP – Buffalo National River, National Park Service

TNS – Tennessee Division of Forestry

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

YELLOW, Standing Rock Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs. This fire is six miles south of Cannon Ball, SD in grass. Cultural sites are threatened. Mop up continues.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
YELLOW	ND	SRA	500	85	4/5	20	0	9	0	0	NR	BIA
OBEE	KS	KSX	6,000	100	---	21	0	4	0	3	NR	PRI

KSX – Kansas Counties

OUTLOOK:

Fire Weather Watches: today and tomorrow for relative humidity values below 35% over most of Florida.

Weather Discussion: A low pressure system moving through the Southwest will bring dry, windy weather to eastern portions of New Mexico and Colorado as well as western Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. In the Southeast, high pressure is beginning to spread dry air over the area.

Geographic Area Weather	High Temperatures	Minimum Relative Humidity	Wind
Southern Area: Northeast FL:	Around 80.	20 to 25%	NW 3 to 10 mph.
Eastern Area Mostly sunny across the Great Lakes and Big Rivers. Mostly cloudy with lingering rain or snow showers over the Northeast and northern Mid-Atlantic states.	60 to 70 degrees in the Big Rivers. 48 to 56 in the Great Lakes. 45 to 55 Mid-Atlantic Compact.	28 to 38% across the Big Rivers. 30 to 40% Great Lakes and Mid-Atlantic states.	West to Northwest at 15 to 25 mph and gusty in Michigan, the Northeast, and Mid-Atlantic states. Light and variable across the western Great Lakes and Big Rivers.
Southern California Area Showers, heavy at times. Snow level lowering to 4,000 feet Central California and 5,000 feet Southern California Tuesday night.	40 to 55 mountains. 55 to 65 valleys. 55 to 65 upper deserts. 70 to 80 lower deserts.	50 to 70%.	Southwest 12 to 25 mph with higher gusts.
Rocky Mountain Area Partly Cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms across Kansas. Mainly, dry over eastern Colorado.	60 to 70 degrees.	20% to 30% eastern Colorado and western Kansas. 30% to 40% central and eastern Kansas	South to Southwest 10 to 20 mph.
Southwest Area Breezy to windy with variable clouds across the Southwest Area. Isolated thunderstorms west Texas. A few showers across northern Arizona and far northwest New Mexico.	70s and 80s lower elevations. 40s to 60s across the higher elevations of the Southwest Area.	15% to 25% across the lower elevations of Arizona, New Mexico and southwest Texas. 20 to 40% across west Texas and the higher elevations of the Southwest Area.	Southwest 15 to 30 mph across Arizona and New Mexico. South to southeast 15 to 25 mph west Texas.



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Topic of Choice

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		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	4					1	5
	ACRES	1					0	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1					0	1
	ACRES	120					1	121
Eastern Area	FIRES	1			1	73	5	80
	ACRES	1			1	67	42	111
Southern Area	FIRES			1	1	37	5	42
	ACRES			1	0	4,340	117	4,458
TOTAL	FIRES	6	1	1	2	349	11	129
	ACRES	122	0	1	1	4,407	160	4,691

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR TO DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	10		2		3	2	17
	ACRES	6		3		2	0	11
Northern California	FIRES					72	8	80
	ACRES					1,555	1,244	2,799
Southern California	FIRES		4				25	29
	ACRES		10				11,095	11,105
Northern Rockies	FIRES	12	1		1	4	4	22
	ACRES	35	100		223	36	14	408
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	2			1		3
	ACRES	51	10			28		89
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9		1			10
	ACRES		9		1			10
Southwest	FIRES	190	28	1	26	411	138	794
	ACRES	913	1,441	431	3,493	202,446	12,401	221,125
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	11	6	7	2	110	21	157
	ACRES	977	0	407	0	91,655	7,322	100,361
Eastern Area	FIRES	2		3	10	3,354	166	3,535
	ACRES	2		255	63	34,075	3,729	38,124
Southern Area	FIRES	311		106	14	16,792	435	17,658
	ACRES	22,665		12,030	1,723	1,432,627	25,709	1,494,754
TOTAL	FIRES	536	50	119	54	20,747	799	22,305
	ACRES	24,649	1,570	13,126	5,503	1,762,424	61,514	1,868,786

Five Year Average Fires	13,692
Five Year Average Acres	274,609

*** 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	0
	ACRES						4	4
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
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1		0		1		2
	ACRES	0		10		0		10
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						5,218	5,218
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	0	0	1	3	5
	ACRES	0	0	10	0	0	5,222	5,232

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		81	14			18	113
	ACRES		1,978	530			124	2,632
Northern California	FIRES	12	3	3	2		48	68
	ACRES	101	222	2,404	6		712	3,445
Southern California	FIRES		4	2			48	54
	ACRES		284	24			1,415	1,723
Northern Rockies	FIRES		5					5
	ACRES		618					618
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	6			1	2	10
	ACRES	4	1,116			2	350	1,472
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1	1				2
	ACRES		10	10				20
Southwest	FIRES	13	4	2			61	80
	ACRES	596	1,142	320			6,952	9,010
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	11	4	30	8	17	63	133
	ACRES	1,367	110	7,173	272	443	13,567	22,932
Eastern Area	FIRES			40	23	180	79	322
	ACRES			3,869	3,155	18,332	19,857	45,213
Southern Area	FIRES			105	25	189	621	940
	ACRES			47,066	6,752	97,850	490,991	642,659
TOTAL	FIRES	37	108	197	58	387	940	1,727
	ACRES	2,068	5,480	61,396	10,185	116,627	533,968	729,724

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WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR TO DATE:

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
	ACRES							0
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	0	0	0	0

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RESOURCES STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

AREA	CREWS FED	CREWS ST/OT	ENGS FED	ENGS ST/OT	HELI FED	HELI ST/OT	AIRT FED	AIRT ST/OT	OVRHD FED	OVRHD ST/OT
Alaska										
Northwest										
Northern California										
Southern California										
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest			3				4		3	
Rocky Mountain			12	4					4	6
Eastern Area									2	
Southern Area	2	28	25	31	3	4	3		133	104
Total	2	28	40	35	3	4	7	0	142	110

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