

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1996 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

*** THE TEN STANDARD FIRE ORDERS ARE FIRM ***
*** WE DON'T BREAK THEM; WE DON'T BEND THEM ***

CURRENT SITUATION: Good progress continued on large fires. Increased initial attack activity was experienced in Northern California yesterday. No new large fires or significant fire activity was reported.

Eastern Area Large Fires:

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT MNS	ST MN	SIZE 2,000	% 100	EST CTN	TOTAL CTN	CRW PERS	ENG 0	HELI 0	STRC 0	EST 0	SSS 5K	C-T-D 5K
DEVIL'S HOLE					---		0	0	0	0	0		

MNS = Minnesota State

Rocky Mountain Large Fires:

The LIZZIE SPRINGS fire (765 acres) on Rock Springs District, BLM is being suppressed under a confine or contain suppression strategy.

Northern Rockies Large Fires:

Thirty-two fires are in a confine or contain suppression strategy totaling 54,841 acres.

Eastern Great Basin Large Fires:

Two fires are in a confine or contain suppression strategy totaling 21,340 acres.

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN NORTHERN ***
*** AND WESTERN NEVADA FOR STRONG COLD FRONT WINDS ***

A strong Pacific cold front will move into the west coast states early today and into the Northern Rockies and northern Great Basin later in the day. This front will bring wind, rain and snow, especially to the higher elevations. Precipitation and high humidities are expected for the Pacific Northwest and Northern Rockies. Dry and windy conditions will develop in the Great Basin and central Rockies. California and the desert Southwest will have dry and breezy conditions. High temperatures will range from the 40's to the 50's in the Pacific Northwest and Northern Rockies. Southern California and the desert Southwest will be in the 80's and 90's.

		FIRES:		Yesterday			
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST		1					1
CA-NORTH					13	3	16
CA-SOUTH					3	1	4
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST		2			2	4	8
GB-WEST		2					2
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN						2	2
EASTERN	12						12
SOUTHERN							0
USA	12	5	0	0	18	10	45

		ACRES BURNED: Yesterday					
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST		0			82	80	162
CA-NORTH					0	0	0
CA-SOUTH							NR
NORTHERN					3	50	153
GB-EAST		100					1
GB-WEST		1					NR
SOUTHWEST						4	4
ROCKY MTN							16
EASTERN	16						0
SOUTHERN							336
USA	16	101	0	0	85	134	

SOUTHERN USA	17	8	74	7	9	3	1	0	7	21
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FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES
 NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES
 NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date								
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL	
ALASKA	7	45	34	6	572	17	681	
NORTHWEST	216	471	16	40	1,825	1,547	4,115	
CA-NORTH	61	105	2	26	2,580	952	3,726	
CA-SOUTH	10	323	3	279	4,104	1,047	5,766	
NORTHERN	785	106	47	29	706	1,503	3,176	
GB-EAST	54	1,003		27	500	1,001	2,585	
GB-WEST		873	3	61	117	238	1,292	
SOUTHWEST	1,246	361	13	101	1,473	2,299	5,493	
ROCKY MTN	960	884		74	1,189	734	3,841	
EASTERN	256			61	13,029	357	13,703	
SOUTHERN	2		109	94	47,554	1,203	48,962	
USA	3,597	4,171	227	798	73,649	10,898	93,340	

ACRES BURNED: Year to date								
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL	
ALASKA	16	179,029	138,906	4,379	273,281	166	595,777	
NORTHWEST	133,156	230,086	5,557	5	29,495	260,959	659,258	
CA-NORTH	247	9,188	272	384	16,370	127,366	153,827	
CA-SOUTH	2,032	40,866	31	59,683	165,948	196,965	465,525	
NORTHERN	27,861	15,123	9,414	5,266	113,526	69,667	240,857	
GB-EAST	406	1,057,381		8,055	120,060	117,931	1,303,833	
GB-WEST		428,011	885	288	90,593	83,965	603,742	
SOUTHWEST	36,674	9,498	3,155	5,470	73,475	209,561	337,833	
ROCKY MTN	19,992	189,887		10,642	31,355	41,551	293,427	
EASTERN	1,068			533	157,732	18,310	177,643	
SOUTHERN	45		30,331	12,773	1,059,407	42,873	1,145,429	
USA	221,497	2,159,069	188,551	107,478	2,131,242	1,169,314	5,977,151	

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