

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1996 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL IV

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

CURRENT SITUATION: A slight increase in initial attack activity was reported yesterday. A few of the large fires also experienced increased fire activity associated with warmer and drier weather. Resource mobilization through NICC remained minimal.

Northwest Large Fires:

SPRING, Umpqua NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Duke) is assigned. Retardant assisted in controlling a minor run that occurred after the inversion lifted yesterday.

MOOLACK COMPLEX, Willamette NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Johnson) is assigned. Warmer, drier weather and spot fires are hampering containment efforts.

TOWER, Umatilla NF. A Type I Incident Management Team (Richer) is assigned. The 5th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, 1st Marine Expeditionary Force (Lt. Col. Seal, Commander) is assigned. The fire is contained.

One fire is under a confine/contain suppression strategy for 3,650 acres.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
SPRING	UPF	OR	15,445	86	9/12	673	17	10	3	0	46M	10.8M
MOOLACK CPX	WIF	OR	11,735	90	9/12	834	24	8	8	0	NR	7.3M
TOWER	UMF	OR	50,650	100	----	894	29	13	5	8	2.2M	12.0M

Northern Rockies Large Fires:

SHEPARD MTN, Custer NF. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bailey) is assigned. Control lines are being extended on the west flank to cut off activity in West Rosebud Creek. Residents were allowed to return to their dwellings in the East Rosebud Lake area. Several islands of timber burned out yesterday afternoon due to higher temperatures and lower humidities. This type of fire behavior is expected to continue.

Fifty fires are under a confine/contain suppression strategy for 42,994 acres.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
SHEPARD MTN	CNF	MT	12,800	70	9/12	695	20	12	10	36	NR	2.3M

Rocky Mountain Large Fires:

STOCKWELL II. Big Horn NF. A Type I Incident Management Team (Liebersbach) is assigned. Good progress was made yesterday as stable weather conditions and light winds minimized fire activity. Structures continue to be threatened.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
NAME				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
STOCKWELL II	BHF	WY	2,880	25	9/14	674	22	16	5	0	NR	2.4M

Eastern Great Basin Large Fires:

ASPEN HOLLOW, Bridger-Teton NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Sisk) is assigned. Good progress was made on the south and east portions of the fire as the fire activity was limited to interior areas.

Three fires are in a confine/contain suppression strategy for 19,150 acres.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
NAME				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
ASPEN HOLLOW	BTF	WY	2,748	35	UNK	326	13	1	3	0	NR	651K

Southern Area Incidents:

HURRICANE FRAN, Wilmington, NC. A Type I Incident Management Team (O'Bannon) is managing a Receiving and Distribution Center at Ft. Bragg, NC. The volume of supplies shipped increased yesterday as more local distribution points were established.

Alaska Large Fires:

Ten fires are in a limited protection status totalling 342,723 acres.

OUTLOOK

*** FIRE WEATHER WATCHES ARE POSTED FOR DRY LIGHTNING AND GUSTY ***
*** WINDS IN EASTERN NEVADA, SOUTHEAST IDAHO AND SOUTHWEST WYOMING ***

High pressure aloft will continue over the western United States Tuesday. Monsoon moisture over the Great Basin and desert Southwest will move northward on Tuesday bringing dry lightning to the northern Great basin. Wet thunderstorm activity will continue in the southern Great Basin, central and southern Rockies and desert Southwest. Winds will be light and variable away from thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from the 70's and 80's at the higher elevations to the 90's to 115 in the desert Southwest.

FIRES: Yesterday

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
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ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST					9	3	12
CA-NORTH	1				10	1	12
CA-SOUTH				1	20		21
NORTHERN					1	6	7
GB-EAST		10			3	6	19
GB-WEST		19		1	1		21
SOUTHWEST		7		1		1	9
ROCKY MTN						1	1
EASTERN					6	2	8
SOUTHERN					61	2	63
USA	1	36	0	3	111	22	173

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST					2	3	5
CA-NORTH	0				22	0	22
CA-SOUTH				0	312		312
NORTHERN					0	1	1
GB-EAST		192			1	1	194
GB-WEST		8		0	40		48
SOUTHWEST		1		0		0	1
ROCKY MTN						1	1
EASTERN					4	0	4
SOUTHERN					486	1	487
USA	0	201	0	0	867	7	1,075

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources										
AREA	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOP.		AIRTNK.		OVERHEAD	
	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	59	45	54	7	34				651	215
CA-NORTH		3		5	1				5	3
CA-SOUTH	14		5		4	4			79	
NORTHERN	23		5	13	13				207	22
GB-EAST	24		32	6	13					
GB-WEST			6	2	1				4	
SOUTHWEST	4		10		1					
ROCKY MTN	19		22		7		3		8	
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN	3								18	
USA	146	48	134	33	74	4	3	0	972	240

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	6	46	33	6	497	17	605	

NORTHWEST	183	428	14	40	1,563	1,355	3,583
CA-NORTH	45	61	2	22	2,117	871	3,118
CA-SOUTH	10	305	2	238	3,629	942	5,126
NORTHERN	743	99	46	28	558	1,270	2,744
GB-EAST	54	864		26	427	833	2,204
GB-WEST		797	3	58	104	208	1,170
SOUTHWEST	1,201	354	13	101	1,450	2,230	5,349
ROCKY MTN	870	905		71	985	686	3,517
EASTERN	244			61	11,705	352	12,362
SOUTHERN	2		106	93	47,342	1,165	48,708
USA	3,358	3,859	219	744	70,377	9,929	88,486
5 YEAR AVERAGE							58,398

ACRES BURNED: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	1	204,285	138,902	4,379	186,942	166	534,690
NORTHWEST	133,230	217,069	1,556	5	25,608	267,059	644,527
CA-NORTH	236	7,539	500	368	14,661	126,208	149,512
CA-SOUTH	2,032	40,811	30	56,473	162,224	169,357	430,927
NORTHERN	16,053	14,462	3,054	5,009	110,554	64,503	213,635
GB-EAST	406	1,048,518		7,930	115,593	109,370	1,281,817
GB-WEST		421,441	602	287	59,811	74,144	556,285
SOUTHWEST	36,849	9,461	3,155	5,470	73,398	209,153	337,486
ROCKY MTN	27,810	196,244		10,642	21,558	45,594	301,848
EASTERN	566			533	153,976	18,317	173,392
SOUTHERN	45		30,084	12,770	1,055,105	42,297	1,140,301
USA	217,243	2,159,830	177,883	103,866	1,979,430	1,126,168	5,764,420
5 YEAR AVERAGE							2,096,048

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