

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2000 - 0900 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

A new large fire was reported in the Northwest Area. Initial attack activity was moderate in the Southern Area and light elsewhere. The National Interagency Coordination Center mobilized an airtanker, infrared aircraft, a helicopter, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Kansas, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, and Utah.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

PIÑON CANYON, Pike-San Isabel National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Hartman) is assigned. The fire is burning in salt cedar, pinyon-juniper and grass south of La Junta, CO on the Comanche National Grasslands. The fire experienced minor spread up canyon chutes and individual tree torching. The incident is providing initial attack resources for the Comanche National Grasslands.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
PIÑON CANYON	CO	PSF	830	30	6/26	72	2	11	0	0	NR	NR

WESTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BASIN, Elko Field Office BLM. This fire is 22 miles southwest of Jiggs, NV. The fire is burning in heavy sage, pinyon-juniper and grass. Winds, inaccessibility and unburned islands continue to challenge containment efforts.

TONKIN ROAD, Battle Mountain Field Office BLM. This lightning caused fire is 75 miles south of Carlin, NV. Air support on the west side of the fire helped to prevent the fire from burning over the ridge. Low humidities, difficult access and passing thunderstorms hindered suppression efforts.

BOX CANYON, Winnemucca Field Office BLM. This lightning caused fire is ten miles north of Winnemucca, NV. The fire is burning in cheatgrass and sagebrush. Good progress towards line construction has been made. Strong ridge top winds and steep terrain have hampered containment efforts.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BASIN	NV	EKD	2325	70	UNK	225	8	9	0	0	NR	NR
TONKIN ROAD	NV	BMD	1400	50	6/24	NR	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
BOX CANYON	NV	WID	1032	90	6/24	NR	0	2	0	0	NR	NR

NORTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

RANGE, Yakima Agency BIA. This human-caused fire is south of Toppenish, WA. State Highway 97 was closed for several hours due to movement of fire equipment and suppression operations. Containment objectives are being deterred by spotting due to high winds.

HARPHAM, Prineville District BLM. This fire is three miles southeast of Maupin, OR. Harpham Flat Campground was evacuated and one outbuilding was destroyed. There are communication problems due to the fire being located in a deep canyon.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOSS	LOSS	C-T-D
RANGE	WA	YAA	9500	80	6/25	105	1	15	2	UNK	UNK	UNK
HARPHAM	OR	PRD	800	0	6/25	41	1	5	1	1	NR	NR
SEATTLE FLAT	OR	PRD	3400	100	---	26	0	9	1	0	NR	NR
RYE VALLEY	OR	VAD	110	100	---	50	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	NR

VAD = Vale District BLM

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

MUSE COMMAND, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is east of St. Cloud, FL in Osceola County. No new information was received.

WILDCOW, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is in Hendry County near Felda, FL. No new information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOSS	LOSS	C-T-D
MUSE COMMAND	FL	FLS	1000	UNK	UNK	NR	3	0	2	1	NR	NR
WILDCOW	FL	FLS	600	95	6/23	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOSS	LOSS	C-T-D
WELLS	CA	INF	157	100	---	60	3	1	0	0	NR	NR

INF = Inyo National Forest

OUTLOOK:

For the western United States there will be scattered afternoon thunderstorms with gusty winds east of the line from Phoenix, Arizona to Las Vegas, Nevada through central Utah to Denver, Colorado into central Montana. The remainder of the west will be dry. Most thunderstorms in Utah will be dry.

Valley temperatures in the western United States will range from the 70's to 80's over northern portions and into the 90's over the south. Mountain temperatures will range 10 to 15 degrees cooler than nearby valleys. The lower deserts in southern California and Arizona will reach near 105 degrees. Minimum relative humidities will generally be 10 to 30 percent throughout the West, except for the coastal areas which will be above 70 percent.

Florida will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the 90's. Minimum relative humidities will be around 50 percent.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1	1	3	1	6
	ACRES			730	1	1011	0	1742
NORTHWEST	FIRES					1	2	3
	ACRES					0	2	2
CA-NORTH	FIRES	2			2		3	7
	ACRES	1			0		0	1
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					18	2	20
	ACRES					245	1	246
NORTHERN	FIRES	2						2
	ACRES	2						2
GB-EAST	FIRES	1	4		2	7	3	17
	ACRES	80	41		26	1	50	198
GB-WEST	FIRES		5			1	5	11
	ACRES		161			80	4	245
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	2	0		1	1	16	20
	ACRES	2	5		0	1	3	11
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	14			2	6	23
	ACRES	1	49			2	3	55
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					82		82
	ACRES					938		938
TOTAL	FIRES	8	23	1	6	115	38	191
	ACRES	86	256	730	27	2278	63	3440

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
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ALASKA	FIRES	1	8	18	5	227	2	261
	ACRES	6	1741	2682	708	21069	0	26206
NORTHWEST	FIRES	54	32	7		167	84	344
	ACRES	327	3294	303	2	1385	56	5367
CA-NORTH	FIRES	29	3	3	0	634	110	779
	ACRES	58	2	4		7049	3796	10909
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	15	29		9	997	209	1259
	ACRES	26	163		10	2520	2053	4772
NORTHERN	FIRE	540	7	17		391	85	1040
	ACRES	5583	38	1625		22556	359	30161
GB-EAST	FIRES	16	143		2	77	104	342
	ACRES	649	11362		0	692	1471	14174
GB-WEST	FIRES	6	100		3	16	56	181
	ACRES	60	7944		0	512	2079	10595
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	557	95	21	26	843	799	2341
	ACRES	10527	57092	17227	9030	244871	130967	469714
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	354	139	19	7	303	167	989
	ACRES	11970	4493	672	6492	26008	13099	62734
EASTERN	FIRES	760			25	8201	396	9382
	ACRES	15802			519	81796	15387	113504
SOUTHERN	FIRES	25		52	48	29736	853	30714
	ACRES	3871		7386	2991	532321	31367	577936
TOTALS	FIRES	2357	556	137	125	41592	2865	47632
	ACRES	48879	86129	29899	19752	940779	200634	1326072
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								40433
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								851644

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						100	100
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0

	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	100	100

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		3		4
	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIRES	13	21	25			183	242
	ACRES	4637	3534	5022			20193	33386
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	3	1		120	126
	ACRES		328	832	12		10315	11487
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	3		79	83
	ACRES			10	124		5092	5226
NORTHERN	FIRES	20	5	82	3	58	217	385
	ACRES	1775	1991	15962	395	6446	33683	60252
GB-EAST	FIRES		15	3	3	6	18	45
	ACRES		1497	700	975	153	11325	14650
GB-WEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1526	1526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	9	2	188	469
	ACRES	8385	14214	1888	4269	360	59491	88607
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	111	10	7	63	200
	ACRES	850	2743	19329	2937	675	20263	46797
EASTERN	FIRES	15		2	11	128	208	364
	ACRES	2947		400	1290	84281	18305	107223
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		137	61	103	704	1013
	ACRES	879		61589	35714	61971	453055	613208
USA TOTALS	FIRES	88	264	391	101	307	1782	2933
	ACRES	19473	24307	105857	45716	154265	633248	982866

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational use. Official totals may be obtained by contacting the Agencies directly.

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	0	301	11224
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	34	1034
ALBERTA	1	3	366	6853
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	41	1895
SASKATCHEWAN	2	1	187	5637
MANITOBA	4	19	130	11674
ONTARIO	0	0	232	913

QUEBEC		1		1		243		416
NEWFOUNDLAND		0		0		80		131
NEW BRUNSWICK		2		0		157		239
NOVA SCOTIA		0		0		106		350
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND		0		0		15		16
NATIONAL PARKS		0		0		10		43
TOTALS		10		24		1902		40425

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews	Crews	Engs	Engs	Heli	Heli	Airt	Airt	Ovrhd	Ovrhd
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST			20		2	1			5	
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH	1				1					
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST	15	4	30	2	15		1		29	
GB-WEST	7	9	25	14	3		3		10	4
SOUTHWEST	28	11	19	12	9	6			205	43
ROCKY MTN	3		16	11	2				21	6
EASTERN									2	
SOUTHERN		3		7	2				4	58
TOTAL	54	27	110	46	34	7	4	0	276	111

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