

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2001- 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationwide. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, Utah and Texas.

EASTERN AREA SUPPORT:

DUANE STREET SUPPORT, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Stam) is assigned. The team will continue to provide planning support at the Duane Street Fire Station and logistics support to manage warehouse operations at Pier 36.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

70, Butte Unit, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. A CDF Type 1 Incident Management Team (Stovall) is assigned. This fire is 25 miles north of Oroville, CA. Highway 70 is closed at Big Bend. Other road closures also remain in effect.

INCIDENT NAME	ST UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	\$\$\$ LOSS C-T-D
70	CA BTU	1588	70	10/26	1541	30	58	9	0	1.41M

OUTLOOK:

*** A RED FLAG WARNING HAS BEEN ISSUED IN WESTERN VIRGINIA, NORTHWEST NORTH CAROLINA AND WESTERN SOUTH CAROLINA FOR LOW MINIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY AND STRONG, GUSTY WINDS ***

High pressure aloft over the Northern California Area is bringing lighter winds and warm, dry conditions. Conditions will remain mostly sunny, with temperatures in the low 60s to low 80s inland. Relative humidity will range from 10-20%, driest inland. Winds will be mostly north to east at 8 to 12 mph.

A cold front is ushering in a dry and windy airmass to the Mid-Atlantic States. Winds will remain strong through the early evening hours, especially at higher elevations. Temperatures will be in the lower 40s in the mountains and upper 50s in the Carolina Piedmont with minimum relative humidity ranging in the upper teens to mid 20s. Along the Appalachians and southeastward through the Carolina Piedmont, winds will range from 20 to

35 mph.

In the Great Basin Area, weather conditions will remain dry. Temperatures will be in the 60s across northern Nevada and Utah, to the lower 80s in southern Nevada. Minimum relative humidity will range from the mid teens across southern Nevada, to the mid 20 to 40 percent range in the northern portion of the region. Winds will be light and variable.

High pressure continues to dominate southwest Texas. Temperatures will be in the mid 60s in the higher elevations to upper 80s along the Rio Grande. Minimum relative humidity will be in the upper teens to 25 percent with winds light and variable.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES					5	2	7
NORTHWEST	ACRES					0	0	0
CA-NORTH	FIRES					0		0
CA-NORTH	ACRES					541		541
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		1			1		2
GB-EAST	ACRES		2			1		3
GB-WEST	FIRES						1	1
GB-WEST	ACRES						0	0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES						2	2
ROCKY MTN	ACRES						1	1
EASTERN	FIRES						1	1
EASTERN	ACRES						0	0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					163	3	166
SOUTHERN	ACRES					3562	14	3576
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	169	9	179
TOTAL	ACRES	0	2	0	0	4104	15	4121

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	2	2	16	2	324	3	349
ALASKA	ACRES	0	1085	1613	5842	205080	3263	216883
NORTHWEST	FIRES	269	427	29	47	1985	1747	4504
NORTHWEST	ACRES	98139	298164	7339	972	99782	107348	611744

CA-NORTH	FIRES	184	80	7	26	3216	1261	4774
CA-NORTH	ACRES	291	75032	4370	5	48815	107062	235575
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	117	318	20	89	2396	895	3835
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	438	9240	1368	19	35199	38144	84408
NORTHERN	FIRE	863	52	23	38	843	880	2699
NORTHERN	ACRES	10764	4919	454	2858	15577	133575	168147
GB-EAST	FIRES	77	1096	2	64	760	1150	3149
GB-EAST	ACRES	706	320487	300	918	131417	52978	506806
GB-WEST	FIRES	19	683	4	16	167	250	1139
GB-WEST	ACRES	8982	461452	1	812	21060	61787	554094
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1224	192	16	44	763	1831	4070
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	7108	5498	4568	1083	19850	22956	61063
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	345	718	29	66	642	644	2444
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2171	13928	301	181	49949	15278	81808
EASTERN	FIRES	341		10	58	11126	488	12023
EASTERN	ACRES	14900		18	499	41709	5574	62700
SOUTHERN	FIRES	86		82	1083	24713	754	26718
SOUTHERN	ACRES	5414		22877	37506	622594	19810	708201
TOTALS	FIRES	3527	3568	238	1533	46935	9903	65704
TOTALS	ACRES	148913	1189805	43209	50695	1291032	567775	3291429

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		1	1		3	1	6
ALASKA	ACRES		5	745		449	1081	2280
NORTHWEST	FIRES	22	93	11			402	528
NORTHWEST	ACRES	4781	51110	10760			53468	120119
CA-NORTH	FIRES	20	7	30	9		61	127
CA-NORTH	ACRES	262	160	14229	696		11409	26756
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		2	9	4		44	59
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		12	439	269		9305	10025
NORTHERN	FIRES	22	8	168		57	346	601
NORTHERN	ACRES	1771	5855	23303		4737	31572	67238
GB-EAST	FIRES		19	6	7	27	139	198
GB-EAST	ACRES		19299	2913	1545	2147	34028	59932
GB-WEST	FIRES		13		1		2	16
GB-WEST	ACRES		6925		0		182	7107
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	21	36	12	2	2	301	374
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	2841	25047	35746	995	500	71017	136146
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	34	120	3	5	63	227
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2500	10320	15127	303	867	31890	61007
EASTERN	FIRES	10		74	10	323	135	552
EASTERN	ACRES	8641		22556	1355	47133	7694	87379
SOUTHERN	FIRES	7		208	15	142	957	1329
SOUTHERN	ACRES	718		67105	35093	87697	728345	918958
TOTAL	FIRES	104	213	639	51	559	2451	4017
TOTAL	ACRES	21514	118733	192923	40256	143530	979991	1496947

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES				2		2	4
NORTHWEST	ACRES				1		1	2
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				38		12	50
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				11107		113	11220
NORTHERN	FIRES				16		53	69
NORTHERN	ACRES				3977		52199	56176
GB-EAST	FIRES				2		3	5
GB-EAST	ACRES				610		598	1208
GB-WEST	FIRES	2	33		1		1	37
GB-WEST	ACRES	0	7801		618		1	8420
SOUTHWEST	FIRES				5		23	28
SOUTHWEST	ACRES				2873		8062	10935
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	23	1	2		14	41
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	0	2788	48	934		963	4733

EASTERN	FIRES									0
EASTERN	ACRES									0
SOUTHERN	FIRES									0
SOUTHERN	ACRES									0
TOTAL	FIRES	3	56	1	66	0	108	234		
TOTAL	ACRES	0	10589	48	20120	0	61937	92694		

RESOURCE 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	1		11						34	
CA-NORTH	1	27	2	56		5			11	70
CA-SOUTH	1								4	
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST			3		1					
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST									3	
ROCKY MTN			3							
EASTERN									50	21
SOUTHERN									1	
TOTAL	3	27	19	56	1	5	0	0	103	91

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