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**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT**  
**FRIDAY, MAY 17, 2002- 0530 MDT**  
**NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

**CURRENT SITUATION:**

Initial attack activity was light across the nation. One new large fires was reported in the Southern California Area. Four large fires were contained, one in Eastern Area and three in Southwest Area. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and Utah.

**SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:**

INDIAN, Prescott National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. This fire, burning in ponderosa pine and brush, is three miles south of Prescott, AZ. Highway 89 is closed. Three communities remain evacuated and an evacuation center has been established at Prescott Mile High Middle School. During the initial phase of the fire, five homes and two outbuildings were lost.

LOS LAMENTOS, New Mexico State Forestry Office, Socorro District. This fire is 40 miles east of Agua Prieta, Mexico. Under international agreement, a Unified Command between the Bureau of Land Management Las Cruces District, the Coronado National Forest and the New Mexico State Forestry Division was established to assist Mexico with suppression efforts. The fire was contained at 10,000 acres on the south side of the US border. All US forces have demobilized.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
INDIAN	AZ	PNF	1,000	45	UNK	601	18	27	3	7	652K
SPRINGER	AZ	COF	874	100		267	7	8	2	0	624K
GUADALUPE	NM	N6S	282	100		205	4	0	0	0	250K
LOS LAMENTOS	NM	N3S		100		0	0	0	0	0	12K

COF = Coconino National Forest

N6S = New Mexico State Forestry Office, Bernalillo District

N3S = New Mexico State Forestry Office, Socorro District

**SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:**

BLACKJACK BAY COMPLEX, Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge. A Unified Command has been established between an interagency Fire Use Management Team (Zimmerman), the Georgia Forestry Commission and the Florida Division of Forestry. This lightning caused complex, consisting of the Blackjack 02, Bay Creek and Number One Island fires, is approximately ten miles northeast of Fargo, GA. A Wildland Fire Action Plan has been implemented for the south end of the swamp. Stephen Foster State Park is closed and structure protection measures are in place. Crews continue to monitor and map the fire. Transfer of command from Zimmerman's Fire Use

Management Team to Adam's Fire Use Management Team will likely occur on 5/18. CLEMENTSVILLE COMMAND, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is near Martin, FL. No significant change occurred.

REC AREA COMMAND, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is near the Miccosukee Indian Reservation. The fire is currently in monitor status. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
BLACKJACK BAY COMPLEX	GA	OKR	87,918	0	UNK	302	2	35	6	0	1.4M
CLEMENTSVILLE COMMAND	FL	FLS	1,012	90	UNK	14	0	8	2	0	NR
REC AREA COMMAND	FL	FLS	4,000	0	UNK	2	0	2	0	0	NR

#### ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

FURNISH, Colorado State Forest Service, Pueblo Dispatch Center Counties. This fire is in Las Animas and Baca Counties, 80 miles east of Trinidad, CO. The fire is burning in pinon pine, juniper, sage, and grass in steep, isolated canyons and plateaus. Limited suppression tactics are being utilized due to difficult access, poor radio communications and low resource values. Minimal overnight relative humidity recovery contributed to a significant acreage gain. A 400 acre spot fire was successfully suppressed.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
FURNISH	CO	PBX	8,600	20	UNK	18	0	5	0	0	NR

#### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

ELDERWOOD, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Tulare Unit. This fire is north of Woodlake, CA. Light winds with moderate rates of spread carried the fire.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
ELDERWOOD	CA	TUU	160	90	5/17	61	2	7	0	0	NR

#### EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
RED LAKE 468	MN	RLA	8,480	100	---	17	0	5	1	0	65K

RLA = Bureau of Indian Affairs, Red Lake Agency

## OUTLOOK:

High pressure over Arizona and western New Mexico will bring sunny, warm and dry conditions to the Southwest Area. A cold front will push south across the plains of west Texas and eastern New Mexico bringing partly cloudy skies and high temperatures in the 60's and 70's. In western New Mexico and Arizona, high temperatures will be in the 70's in the mountains and near 100 at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity will range from 20 to 50 percent in areas under the influence of the front and 5 to 10 percent elsewhere. Ahead of the front, winds will be northeast at 10 to 20 mph. Winds will be southwest at 5 to 15 mph in the remainder of the area.

A strong cold front moving southeast into Southern Area will bring partly sunny to partly cloudy skies with showers, thunderstorms and moderate rain in Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia. High temperatures will be in the 90's in Texas and south Florida, 60's and 70's north of the front, and in the 80's elsewhere. Minimum relative humidity will range from 40 to 60 percent. Winds will be northerly at 10 to 15 mph in areas behind the cold front. Ahead of the front, winds will be southwest at 10 to 15 mph, gusting to 20 mph.

A stationary cold front over Rocky Mountain Area will bring partly cloudy to mostly sunny skies with isolated showers and thunderstorms east of the Continental Divide. High temperatures in western Colorado will be 65 to 75 in the mountains and in the 70's to upper 80's at lower elevations. Elsewhere, high temperatures will be 55 to 65 at lower elevations and in the 50's in the mountains. Minimum relative humidity will range from 8 to 18 percent in southwest Colorado and 30 to 45 percent in the remainder of the region. Winds will be easterly at 10 to 20 mph east of the Continental Divide and westerly, gusting to 20 mph west of the Divide.

High pressure moving into Eastern Area from Canada will bring partly to mostly sunny skies with cool, dry conditions. Over the mid Atlantic states, showers and thunderstorms are expected along the leading edge of the cold front as it moves eastward toward the Atlantic Ocean.



## **SERIOUS INJURY PROCEDURES**

Dealing with serious injuries on the fireline can add even more stress to our hectic work environment. If you encounter a serious injury, consider the following:

Administer first aid and call for medical aid and transportation, if needed.

Do not release the injured person's name except to authorities. Never broadcast the injured person's name over the radio or cell phone.

Do not allow unauthorized picture taking or release of pictures.

Notify the Incident Commander. The IC's job is then to do the following:

- Assign a person to supervise evacuation, if necessary, and to stay with the patient until medical care arrives. In rough terrain, at least 15 workers will be required to carry a stretcher.
- Assign a person to gather facts and witness statements and preserve evidence until the investigation can be assumed by the Safety Officer or appointed investigating team.
- Notify dispatch.

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>5</u>		<u>5</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>51</u>		<u>51</u>
NORTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
CA-NORTH	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>3</u>					<u>5</u>	<u>8</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>2</u>					<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>
CA-SOUTH	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>1</u>			<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>0</u>			<u>160</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>160</u>
NORTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>7</u>					<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>12</u>					<u>6</u>	<u>18</u>
GB-EAST	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
GB-WEST	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
SOUTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>10</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>17</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>			<u>282</u>	<u>1,874</u>	<u>2,158</u>
ROCKY MTN	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>1</u>			<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>1</u>			<u>8,201</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,202</u>
EASTERN	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>34</u>				<u>34</u>		<u>68</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>9,622</u>				<u>364</u>		<u>9,986</u>
SOUTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>			<u>0</u>		<u>61</u>		<u>61</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>			<u>2,435</u>		<u>1,916</u>		<u>4,351</u>
TOTAL	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>116</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>179</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>9,638</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2,435</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,974</u>	<u>1,882</u>	<u>24,930</u>

\*\*\*Some data reflects initial report of activity for the last 7 days for those units that are on a weekly reporting schedule.\*\*\*



FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	<u>FIRES</u>	1		1		75	9	86
	<u>ACRES</u>	0		1,000		792	13	1,805
NORTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	11	11	1		48	26	97
	<u>ACRES</u>	17	8	300		55	245	625
CA-NORTH	<u>FIRES</u>	20		1		253	43	317
	<u>ACRES</u>	14		0		483	26	523
CA-SOUTH	<u>FIRES</u>	22	19	2	2		140	185
	<u>ACRES</u>	5	367	11	1		5,666	6,050
NORTHERN	<u>FIRE</u>	424	3	13		60	34	534
	<u>ACRES</u>	3,447	57	1,353		16,257	732	21,846
GB-EAST	<u>FIRES</u>	14	44		6	43	14	121
	<u>ACRES</u>	74	235		61	373	26	769
GB-WEST	<u>FIRES</u>	4	5		5	19	10	43
	<u>ACRES</u>	312	2		4	7	275	600
SOUTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	505	65	13	25	400	349	1,357
	<u>ACRES</u>	12,163	6,250	5,145	120	40,167	100,215	164,060
ROCKY MTN	<u>FIRES</u>	17	31	12	9	414	65	548
	<u>ACRES</u>	137	152	509	512	27,313	5,894	34,517
EASTERN	<u>FIRES</u>	552		11	16	5,021	213	5,813
	<u>ACRES</u>	29,409		1,139	465	35,834	2,645	69,492
SOUTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>	85		84	37	16,895	586	17,687
	<u>ACRES</u>	16,829		93,875	4,769	197,049	17,578	330,100
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>FIRES</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>23,228</b>	<b>1,489</b>	<b>26,788</b>

	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>62,407</u>	<u>7,071</u>	<u>103,332</u>	<u>5,932</u>	<u>318,330</u>	<u>133,315</u>	<u>630,387</u>
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**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>3</u>				<u>11</u>	<u>14</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>113</u>				<u>2,920</u>	<u>3,033</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>215</u>	<u>215</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>2</u>		<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>2</u>		<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>400</u>	<u>400</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>			<u>5</u>		<u>10</u>		<u>15</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>			<u>709</u>		<u>1,786</u>		<u>2,495</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>1</u>			<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>60</u>			<u>60</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>36</u>

	<u>ACRES</u>	0	113	709	62	1,786	3,571	6,241
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**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
NORTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>224</u>	<u>354</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>3,469</u>	<u>7,860</u>	<u>1,925</u>	<u>192</u>	<u>292</u>	<u>30,122</u>	<u>43,860</u>
CA-NORTH	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>11</u>		<u>83</u>	<u>119</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>487</u>	<u>19,892</u>	<u>231</u>		<u>8,319</u>	<u>29,092</u>
CA-SOUTH	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>93</u>	<u>103</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>271</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>16,893</u>	<u>17,260</u>
NORTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>7</u>	<u>38</u>		<u>5</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>114</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>482</u>	<u>4,565</u>		<u>402</u>	<u>12,374</u>	<u>17,823</u>
GB-EAST	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>63</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1,244</u>	<u>445</u>	<u>2,382</u>	<u>199</u>	<u>8,286</u>	<u>12,563</u>
GB-WEST	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>171</u>	<u>171</u>
SOUTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>			<u>118</u>	<u>145</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>12,910</u>	<u>4,722</u>			<u>12,565</u>	<u>30,287</u>
ROCKY MTN	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>150</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>3,029</u>	<u>10,935</u>	<u>2,290</u>	<u>2,169</u>	<u>13,443</u>	<u>32,382</u>
EASTERN	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>15</u>		<u>163</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>430</u>	<u>126</u>	<u>738</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>8,672</u>		<u>38,620</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>37,507</u>	<u>19,501</u>	<u>104,590</u>
SOUTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>59</u>		<u>223</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>844</u>	<u>1,243</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>10,951</u>		<u>109,107</u>	<u>55,980</u>	<u>27,529</u>	<u>685,475</u>	<u>889,042</u>
TOTAL	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>537</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>541</u>	<u>1,609</u>	<u>3,033</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>23,938</u>	<u>26,036</u>	<u>190,482</u>	<u>61,367</u>	<u>68,098</u>	<u>807,149</u>	<u>1,177,070</u>

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

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				1			<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				1			<u>1</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
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CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

<u>PROVINCES</u>	<u>FIRES YESTERDAY</u>	<u>HECTARES YESTERDAY</u>	<u>FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE</u>	<u>HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE</u>
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>255</u>	<u>1,196</u>
<u>YUKON TERRITORY</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>ALBERTA</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>1,388</u>
<u>NORTHWEST TERRITORY</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>136</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>2,251</u>
<u>MANITOBA</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>208</u>	<u>184</u>	<u>7,714</u>
<u>ONTARIO</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>65</u>
<u>QUEBEC</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>63</u>
<u>NEWFOUNDLAND</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>44</u>
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>70</u>
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>71</u>
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>NATIONAL PARKS</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>75</u>
<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>458</u>	<u>1,019</u>	<u>12,947</u>

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

<u>AREA</u>	<u>CREW FED</u>	<u>CREW ST/OT</u>	<u>ENGS FED</u>	<u>ENGS ST/OT</u>	<u>HELI FED</u>	<u>HELI ST/OT</u>	<u>AIRT FED</u>	<u>AIRT ST/OT</u>	<u>OVRHD FED</u>	<u>OVRHD ST/OT</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>					<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>		

<u>NORTHWEST</u>	1		<u>13</u>						<u>16</u>	
<u>CA-NORTH</u>		1	<u>9</u>	1						
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>		2		7	1					3
<u>NORTHERN</u>										
<u>GB-EAST</u>			<u>5</u>							
<u>GB-WEST</u>										
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>32</u>	3	<u>19</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>	2			<u>144</u>	<u>48</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>			1	7						
<u>EASTERN</u>			<u>5</u>	2	1				<u>5</u>	
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	2		4	<u>45</u>	<u>5</u>	2			<u>58</u>	<u>73</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>38</u>	7	<u>56</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>10</u>	4	1	1	<u>223</u>	<u>124</u>

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