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**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2002 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 3**

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light across the nation. Nationally, 142 new fires were reported. Two new large fires were reported, one each in the Eastern Great Basin Area and Southern California Area. Three large fires were contained, one each in the Rocky Mountain, Northwest and Southern Areas. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

CURVE, Angeles National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Studebaker) is assigned. This fire is 30 miles north of Azusa, CA. Isolated torching and spotting were observed on the northeast flank in mixed conifer forest and heavy brush. Crews are constructing fireline on the northeast flank and mopping up on other flanks. Two hundred buildings are threatened; structure protection is in place. Highways 2 and 39 are closed.

MOUNTAIN, Los Angeles County. This fire, burning in brush, is located in Glendale, California. Rapid rates of spread and intense fire behavior was observed. One hundred and seventy-eight structures are threatened. Control efforts are being hampered by steep terrain. Crews are relying on air support.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
CURVE	CA	ANF	19,375	80	9/10	1,711	47	72	13	73	9.8M
MOUNTAIN	CA	GLN	1,100	0	9/10	593	10	37	6	0	NR

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

MT. ZIRKEL COMPLEX, Routt National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bennett) is assigned. This complex, comprised of the Burn Ridge and Hinman fires, is 25 miles north of Steamboat Springs, CO. Smouldering and creeping were observed in heavy dead and down spruce, lodgepole pine and fir. Crews are cold trailing, hot-spotting and mopping up.

BIG FISH, White River National Forest. A Fire Use Management Team (Cook) is assigned. The Team is also managing the Lost Lakes fire. This lightning-caused Wildland Fire Use Incident, which began on July 19th, is 34 miles southwest of Steamboat Springs, CO. The fire is being managed for resource benefit and a confinement strategy is in place. Precipitation minimized fire activity in heavy dead and down spruce, fir and aspen. Personnel are holding confinement lines along the north fork of the White River and monitoring fire behavior.

LOST LAKES, Routt National Forest. A Fire Use Management Team (Cook) is assigned. This lightning-caused Wildland Fire Use Incident, which began on July 8th, is 20 miles west of Yampa, CO. The fire is in monitor status and is being managed for resource benefit. Rainfall resulted in minimal fire behavior in heavy dead and down spruce and fir.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
MT. ZIRKEL COMPLEX	CO	RTF	31,016	93	9/25	314	6	4	4	0	13.1M
BIG FISH	CO	WRF	17,056	0	UNK	51	1	0	1	8	1.8M
LOST LAKES	CO	RTF	5,538	0	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
THOMPSON CREEK	CO	WRF	171	100	---	80	1	0	1	0	620K

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BOUNDARY, Moab Field Office, Bureau of Land Management. This fire is 35 miles north of Green River, UT and is burning in Douglas fir and oak brush. The fire is in monitor status. Precipitation minimized fire behavior.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRG LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
BOUNDARY	UT	MOD	200	90	9/11	0	0	0	0	0	50K

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

BUCKSKIN, Coronado National Forest. This fire is in the Chiricahua Wilderness Area, 30 miles north of Douglas, AZ. Minimal fire behavior was observed due to heavy precipitation. Helicopters are hot-spotting.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
BUCKSKIN	AZ	CNF	107	95	UNK	12	4	0	7	0	69K

NORTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
OFFICE BRIDGE	OR	WIF	160	100	---	259	6	8	1	0	2.0M

WIF = Willamette National Forest

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
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INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
ROCKY	OK	OKS	115	100	---	8	0	3	1	0	NR

OKS = Oklahoma Division of Forestry

OUTLOOK:

The Southern California Area can expect mostly sunny skies with a chance of afternoon showers and thunderstorms in the mountains east of Los Angeles. High temperatures will be in the mid 70's to mid 80's in coastal areas, upper 60's to near 90 in the mountains, mid 80's to mid 90's in the valleys and mid 80's to 102 in the deserts. Minimum relative humidity will range from 7 to 20 percent in the mountains and deserts, 15 to 30 percent in the inland valleys, and above 45 percent near the coast. Winds will be southeast to southwest at 7 to 15 mph in the mountains, south to west at 7 to 15 mph in the deserts, and onshore at 7 to 15 mph along the coast.

An upper level low pressure system moving across the Rocky Mountain Area will bring showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the 50's in the mountains to low 70's at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity will range from 25 to 35 percent. Winds will be variable at 5 to 15 mph.

A southwesterly flow of tropical moisture over the Eastern Great Basin Area will bring partly sunny skies with showers and thunderstorms in central and southern Utah. High temperatures will be from the 60's in the mountains to the 80's in the valleys. Minimum relative humidity will range from 20 to 35 percent in Idaho and Wyoming and 35 to 50 percent in Utah. Winds will be west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph.

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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>1</u>			<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>13</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>30</u>			<u>31</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>63</u>
<u>NORTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>15</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>194</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>194</u>
<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>20</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>1,104</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>1,589</u>
<u>NORTHERN ROCKIES</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>EASTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>2</u>			<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>200</u>			<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>202</u>
<u>WESTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>



	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>ROCKY MOUNTAIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>15</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>23</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>28</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>39</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>60</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>63</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>528</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>554</u>

	FIREs	0	3	0	0	113	26	142
TOTAL	ACRES	0	230	0	0	1,890	527	2,647

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	<u>FIRES</u>	1	32	31	10	452	17	543
	<u>ACRES</u>	4	581,096	345,609	133,708	1,130,847	16	2,191,280
NORTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	252	305	36	48	1,415	1,214	3,270
	<u>ACRES</u>	18,240	147,612	2,792	39	98,909	809,845	1,077,437
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	<u>FIRES</u>	204	19	5	13	2,051	591	2,883
	<u>ACRES</u>	610	6,864	818	3,665	11,914	36,299	60,170
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA	<u>FIRES</u>	71	76	18	28	2,503	639	3,335
	<u>ACRES</u>	10,209	25,790	86	743	70,708	266,754	374,290
NORTHERN ROCKIES	<u>FIRE</u>	919	51	32	46	514	873	2,435
	<u>ACRES</u>	13,872	10,537	2,178	9,153	30,787	83,931	150,458
EASTERN GREAT BASIN	<u>FIRES</u>	69	521	8	42	526	948	2,114
	<u>ACRES</u>	5,326	71,692	100	33	114,610	145,848	337,609
WESTERN GREAT BASIN	<u>FIRES</u>	10	413	2	10	91	146	672
	<u>ACRES</u>	316	37,401	80	6	884	42,300	80,987
SOUTHWEST	<u>FIRES</u>	1,117	291	31	70	1,159	1,692	4,360
	<u>ACRES</u>	263,424	21,550	6,870	17,865	198,069	448,674	956,452
ROCKY MOUNTAIN	<u>FIRES</u>	409	531	45	66	1,147	720	2,918
	<u>ACRES</u>	54,477	62,626	631	9,116	183,786	309,091	619,727
EASTERN	<u>FIRES</u>	762		19	31	10,917	355	12,084
	<u>ACRES</u>	31,956		1,225	609	64,011	3,381	101,182
SOUTHERN	<u>FIRES</u>	100		190	45	28,678	805	29,818
	<u>ACRE</u>	17,161		147,132	6,665	282,434	25,360	478,752
TOTALS	<u>FIRES</u>	3,914	2,239	417	409	49,453	8,000	64,432
	<u>ACRES</u>	415,595	965,168	507,521	181,602	2,186,959	2,171,499	6,428,344
<u>TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES</u>								<u>66,080</u>
<u>TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES</u>								<u>3,327,041</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>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHERN ROCKIES</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>WESTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>ROCKY MOUNTAIN</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>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>751</u>	<u>751</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>761</u>	<u>761</u>

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>			1				1
	<u>ACRES</u>			<u>1,085</u>				<u>1,085</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	22	103	30	10	6	256	427
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>6,145</u>	<u>9,238</u>	<u>2,691</u>	<u>254</u>	<u>292</u>	<u>40,010</u>	<u>58,630</u>
<u>NORTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	7	14	11	11		86	129
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>1,269</u>	<u>19,942</u>	<u>231</u>		<u>9,943</u>	<u>31,548</u>
<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	1	2	6	7		97	113
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>286</u>	<u>670</u>		<u>17,226</u>	<u>18,276</u>
<u>NORTHERN ROCKIES</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	9	11	104	2	44	297	467
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>725</u>	<u>1,765</u>	<u>15,669</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>4,478</u>	<u>21,436</u>	<u>44,181</u>
<u>EASTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	1	20	2	12	9	24	68
	<u>ACRES</u>	7	<u>6,545</u>	<u>445</u>	<u>2,422</u>	<u>379</u>	<u>28,087</u>	<u>37,885</u>
<u>WESTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						5	5
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>172</u>	<u>172</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	4	13	10			129	156
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>17,250</u>	<u>4,722</u>			<u>12,760</u>	<u>34,822</u>
<u>ROCKY MOUNTAIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	8	17	123	8	21	28	205
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>2,949</u>	<u>17,736</u>	<u>2,290</u>	<u>2,170</u>	<u>11,287</u>	<u>36,948</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	21		281	8	495	137	942
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>8,709</u>		<u>42,886</u>	<u>437</u>	<u>62,116</u>	<u>15,909</u>	<u>130,057</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	59		237	82	<u>17,300</u>	<u>883</u>	<u>18,561</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>10,951</u>		<u>109,574</u>	<u>95,553</u>	<u>833,389</u>	<u>706,004</u>	<u>1,755,471</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	132	180	805	140	<u>17,875</u>	<u>1,942</u>	<u>21,074</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>27,376</u>	<u>39,040</u>	<u>215,036</u>	<u>101,965</u>	<u>902,824</u>	<u>862,834</u>	<u>2,149,075</u>

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>NORTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>16</u>		<u>4</u>	<u>20</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>1,383</u>		<u>1</u>	<u>1,384</u>
<u>NORTHERN ROCKIES</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>14</u>		<u>41</u>	<u>55</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>3,601</u>		<u>3,690</u>	<u>7,291</u>
<u>EASTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>1</u>		<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>0</u>		<u>3,469</u>	<u>3,469</u>
<u>WESTERN GREAT BASIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>8</u>				<u>1</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>851</u>				<u>1</u>	<u>852</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>1</u>		<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>380</u>		<u>4,485</u>	<u>4,865</u>
<u>ROCKY MOUNTAIN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>12</u>				<u>3</u>	<u>15</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>668</u>				<u>22,594</u>	<u>23,262</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>2</u>			<u>2</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>260</u>			<u>260</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>127</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,519</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,624</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>34,252</u>	<u>41,395</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>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,562</u>	<u>8,202</u>
<u>YUKON TERRITORY</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>37,051</u>
<u>ALBERTA</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,233</u>	<u>540,376</u>
<u>NORTHWEST TERRITORY</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>29,178</u>
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>873</u>	<u>852,501</u>
<u>MANITOBA</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>751</u>	<u>82,473</u>
<u>ONTARIO</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>942</u>	<u>173,021</u>
<u>QUEBEC</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>718</u>	<u>886,253</u>
<u>NEWFOUNDLAND</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>35,694</u>
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>286</u>	<u>249</u>
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>245</u>	<u>218</u>
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>NATIONAL PARKS</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>7,085</u>
TOTALS	0	0	6,980	2,652,301

*****This will be the last information update for CIFFC until 09/12/2002*****

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>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>132</u>		<u>4</u>			<u>661</u>	<u>589</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>3</u>		<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>23</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>136</u>	<u>140</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>3</u>			<u>15</u>	<u>9</u>		<u>2</u>		<u>90</u>	<u>29</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>					<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>				<u>16</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>					<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>				
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>7</u>			<u>2</u>		<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>		<u>30</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>10</u>			<u>2</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>		<u>142</u>	<u>64</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>64</u>	<u>7</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>					<u>3</u>		<u>2</u>			<u>5</u>
TOTAL	<u>64</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>141</u>	<u>168</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,144</u>	<u>858</u>

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