

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2006 – 0800 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationally with 132 new fires reported. Eight new large fires (*) were reported, two each in the Southwest, Southern and Eastern Great Basin Areas, one each in the Western Great Basin and Southern California Areas. Eight large fires were contained, four in the Southern Area, three in the Southwest Area and one in the Western Great Basin Area. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, Nebraska, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah and North Dakota.

SOUTHWEST AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

BLACK MOUNTAIN COMPLEX, Phoenix District, Bureau of Land Management. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Philbin) is assigned. This fire is 11 miles northeast of Bullhead City, AZ in brush. The complex consists of the Union, Secret, Nutt, and Airpark fires. Residences and wildlife habitat remain threatened. Rapid rates of spread with flame lengths up to 15 feet were reported. The Union and Secret fires doubled in sized.

ANDERSON, Cibola National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Lineback) is assigned. This fire is 13 miles north of Mountair, NM in logging slash, grass and understory. Communications sites remain threatened. Creeping fire with isolated torching was reported. Burn out operations on the north flank were successful.

CLAYTON, Gila National Forest. This fire is five miles east of Willow Creek, NM in brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior was reported.

POTATO COMPLEX, Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest. This complex is 10 miles northwest of Heber-Overgaard, AZ in ponderosa, pinyon pine and grass. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

KINLICHEE 02, Navajo Regional Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs. This fire is 10 miles east of Ganado, AZ in pinyon pine and juniper. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

SKATES, Gila National Forest. A Fire Use Management Team (Hall) has been ordered. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use (WFU) incident is being managed to accomplish resource objectives. The fire is burning 12 miles northeast of Silver City, NM in timber. Minimal fire activity was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
BLACK MOUNTAIN COMPLEX	AZ	PHD	8,559	UNK	6/15	450	16	13	3	0	401K	BLM
ANDERSON	NM	CIF	130	90	6/11	235	8	5	2	0	552K	FS
* CLAYTON	NM	GNF	387	NR	6/10	99	4	0	0	0	10K	FS
POTATO COMPLEX	AZ	ASF	1,800	30	UNK	118	4	5	1	0	200K	FS

KINLICHEE 02	AZ	NAA	1,655	75	UNK	125	4	4	2	2	NR	BIA
SKATES – WFU	NM	GNF	2,911	N/A	N/A	177	7	9	1	0	NR	FS
BOSQUECITO	NM	N3S	640	100	---	35	0	10	1	0	133K	ST
* PAINTED	AZ	PHD	300	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
TWIN	NM	EMP	175	100	---	2	0	1	0	0	282K	NPS

EMP – El Malpais National Monument

N3S – Socorro District, New Mexico State Forestry

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

ANNABELLA, Fish Lake National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Muir) has been ordered. This fire is three miles southwest of Annabella, UT in timber. Residences are threatened. Steep terrain and difficult access are impeding containment efforts. Rapid rates of spread with crowning, torching, and long range spotting were reported.

NORTH SAND MOUNTAIN, Richfield Field Office, Bureau of Land Management. This fire is 25 miles west of Nephi, UT in grass, brush and pinyon pine. Running and torching fire behavior were reported.

CHIPPEAN RIDGE – WFU, Manti-Lasal National Forest. This formerly reported lightning-caused Wildland Fire Use (WFU) is being managed to accomplish resource objectives. The fire is burning 18 miles west of Monticello, UT in brush. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

SNAP, Arizona Strip Field Office, Bureau of Land Management. This fire is 54 miles south of St. George, UT in grass and brush. No new information was reported.

DEATH RIDGE, Bear River Area, Utah Division of Forestry Fire & State Lands. This fire is 36 miles north of Delle, UT in grass. No new information was reported.

BLACKBIRD MINE, Fishlake National Forest. A Fire Use Management Team (Stanich) is assigned. This lightning-caused Wildland Fire Use (WFU) incident is being managed to accomplish resource objectives. The fire is burning six miles east of Marysvale, UT in brush, grass and mixed conifer. No new information was reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
* ANNABELLA	UT	FIF	660	0	NR	UNK	2	6	0	0	20K	FS
* NORTH SAND MOUNTAIN	UT	RID	1,433	45	6/10	23	0	7	0	0	NR	BLM
CHIPPEAN RIDGE WFU	UT	MLF	2,500	N/A	N/A	14	0	0	1	0	250K	FS
SNAP	AZ	ASD	600	80	UNK	NR	1	2	0	0	NR	BLM
DEATH RIDGE	UT	BRS	2,000	70	UNK	2	0	1	0	0	4K	ST
BLACKBIRD MINE – WFU	UT	FIF	1,463	N/A	N/A	40	5	2	1	0	NR	FS

ALASKA AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

PARKS HWY, Fairbanks Area Forestry. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Kurth) is assigned. This fire, formerly named TAMARACK, is ½ mile southeast of Nenana, AK in black spruce, tundra and grass. Evacuations remain in effect for numerous residences. Two fuel farm tanks, one subdivision, Fairbanks-Anchorage powerline, Alaska railroad and the George Parks Highway are threatened. Running, crowning, torching, spotting and wind driven fire behavior were reported.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
PARKS HWY	AK	FAS	17,900	3	6/20	316	12	8	4	3	1.01M	ST

SOUTHERN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
HEAT	FL	FLS	49,500	100	---	1	0	0	0	0	5.1K	ST
* GREENWOOD PLACE	FL	FLS	100	100	---	10	0	0	0	0	3.5K	ST
* PERRYTOWN	MS	MNF	118	100	---	5	0	1	0	0	1.75K	ST
TRACTOR PULL	FL	FLS	254	100	---	8	0	0	0	0	9.45K	ST

FLS – Florida Division of Forestry MNF – National Forests in Mississippi

WESTERN GREAT BASIN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

IRMA'S BUTTE, Desert National Wildlife Refuge. This fire is 37 miles northeast of Indian Springs, NV in grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with isolated torching was reported. Wildlife habitat is threatened.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
* IRMA'S BUTTE	NV	DSR	500	50	6/10	61	2	0	1	0	NR	FWS
FRENCHIE	NV	EKD	3,106	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM

EKD – Elko Field Office, Bureau of Land Management

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

ARRASTRE, San Bernardino National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team has been ordered. This fire is six miles east of Big Bear City, CA in pinyon juniper. Moderate rates of spread and isolated spotting were observed.

ABERDEEN, San Bernardino Unit, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. This fire is 15 miles north of Independence, CA in chaparral, sage and grass. No new information was reported.

FERGUSON ROCK SLIDE, Sierra National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Johnson) is assigned. This incident is northeast of Mariposa, CA. 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	ORIGIN OWN
* ARRASTRE	CA	BDF	250	20	UNK	310	13	23	5	0	NR	FS
ABERDEEN	CA	BDU	357	90	UNK	91	5	1	0	0	NR	ST
FERGUSON ROCK SLIDE	CA	SNF	15	NR	UNK	20	0	0	0	0	NR	FS

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA INCIDENTS/LARGE FIRES:

BULL RIDGE, Wind River Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs. This fire is northwest of Lander, WY in brush, slash and grass. No further information was received.

WISE FLAT, Wind River Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs. This fire is northwest of Lander, WY in brush and hardwood slash. No further information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
BULL RIDGE	WY	WRA	965	70	6/13	91	4	0	0	0	NR	BIA
WISE FLAT	WY	WRA	1,044	95	UNK	54	2	4	2	0	NR	BIA

OUTLOOK:

Red Flag Warning: For strong south winds over the north slopes of the Alaska Range, central and eastern interior, the Kuskokwim Valley and the Copper River Basin. Saturday afternoon and evening for southwest deserts and south central mountains of Utah for strong winds and low RH.

Fire Weather Watch: For strong winds for the Matanuska Valley in Alaska. Portions of northwest Arizona for strong winds and low humidity.

Weather Discussion: A low pressure trough will continue over the Pacific Northwest with high pressure over the center of the country. This will produce dry, gusty southwest winds over much of the Intermountain West. Florida will remain mostly dry along with low humidity in the northern portions of the state. In Alaska, a strong southerly flow will bring gusty winds and low humidity to portions of the interior.

Geographic Area Weather	High Temperatures	Minimum Relative Humidity	Wind
Southwest Area Mostly sunny, much drier and breezy to locally windy across Arizona and the northwest half of New Mexico. Partly cloudy and drier with a slight chance of thunderstorms eastern New Mexico into west Texas.	90 to near 108 lower elevations. 70 to 90 mountains.	5 to 15%, except 15 to 25% highest mountain areas and parts of west Texas.	Southwest 15 to 25 mph with higher gusts across Arizona and the northwest half of New Mexico. South to southwest 10 to 20 mph across the remainder of New Mexico and west Texas.
Eastern Great Basin Area Idaho, Bridger-Teton: Partly cloudy, isolated mountain thunderstorms. Northern Utah: Partly cloudy, isolated s. mountain thunderstorms. Southern Utah, Arizona Strip: Sunny and breezy.	Idaho, Bridger-Teton: 55 to 65 mountains, 65 to 77 valleys. Northern Utah: 63 to 75 mountains, 75 to 88 valleys. Southern Utah, Arizona Strip: 70 to 85 mountains, 85 to 99 valleys. 99 to 105 low deserts.	Idaho, Bridger-Teton: 35 to 60% mountains, 20 to 35% valleys. Northern Utah: 30 to 40% mountains, 17 to 30% valleys. Southern Utah, Arizona Strip: 15 to 25% mountains, 10 to 20% valleys.	Idaho, Bridger-Teton: W to SW 8 to 15 mph, except 15 to 20 mph east Idaho, western Wyoming. Northern Utah: S to SW 5 to 15 mph. Southern Utah, AZ Strip: SW 15 to 25 mph.
Alaska Area Partly to mostly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms in the central interior and a chance of showers in south central.	60s and 70s.	15 to 40%.	Southwest winds 10 to 20 mph with gusts 30 to 40 mph over hills and through the Alaska Range and along the Copper River.
Western Great Basin Area Mostly sunny skies.	N. valleys: 71 to 86. S. valleys: 86 to 109. N. mountains: 68 to 75. S. mountains: 70 to 80.	N. valleys: 12 to 23%. S. valleys: 6 to 12%. N. mountains: 17 to 28%. S. mountains: 12 to 18%.	South to west at 5 to 12 mph with localized late afternoon gusts to 25 mph.
Southern California Area Areas of morning low clouds and fog to the lower coastal slopes, otherwise mostly sunny.	70 to 85 mountains. 75 to 90 valleys. 85 to 95 upper deserts. 100 to 110 lower deserts.	50 to 70% coastal areas. 30 to 50% valleys and coastal slopes. 15 to 30% mountains. 10 to 20% deserts.	Southeast to southwest 10 to 20 mph.

Geographic Area Weather	High Temperatures	Minimum Relative Humidity	Wind
Northern Rockies Area No information was reported.			
Southern Area No information was reported.			
Rocky Mountain Area No information was reported.			



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Taking A Nap Near The Fireline

Firefighting is often exhausting work and firefighters can find themselves needing to sleep while on the fireline. Before pausing to rest, firefighters must weigh the following considerations:

- Are lookouts posted? Discuss who that lookout can be. Can the lookout on the knob across the draw watch over you or does it need to be your partner on the fireline alternating rest times?
- Is the area free of hazards? (Falling snags or rolling materials) Discuss what you need to do to create a safe resting area.
- Are you still within agency work and rest guidelines? Review what these guidelines are.
- To reduce risks:
 - Keep lookouts posted; rotate lookouts.
 - Communicate crew conditions and status to supervisor or chain-of-command contact. Have firefighters discuss ways that they fine to rest on the fireline and suggestions for methods to alternate shifts for more effective firefighting.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			0	1	3		4
	ACRES			29,450	220	13,534		43,204
Northwest	FIRES	4				2	1	7
	ACRES	22				5	0	27
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Southern California	FIRES					6	2	8
	ACRES					0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2					1	3
	ACRES	1					0	1
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	2			4	4	11
	ACRES	0	100			10	1	111
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9					9
	ACRES		21					21
Southwest	FIRES	1	2			1	28	32
	ACRES	1	1			1	257	260
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	2	9		1	7	2	21
	ACRES	0	3		0	2	1	6
Eastern Area	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					8		8
Southern Area	FIRES					28	4	32
	ACRES					192	212	404
TOTAL	FIRES	10	22	0	2	55	43	132
	ACRES	24	125	29,450	220	13,752	471	44,042

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR TO DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	1	1	2	152		159
	ACRES	63	1	52,540	1,530	16,357		70,491
Northwest	FIRES	48	21	7		161	94	331
	ACRES	175	12	30		453	141	811
Northern California	FIRES	13		5	1	174	69	262
	ACRES	15		25	0	1,552	1,527	3,119
Southern California	FIRES	10	24		2	538	126	700
	ACRES	68	486		1	7,733	11,108	19,396
Northern Rockies	FIRES	261	6	12	1	128	56	464
	ACRES	1,242	105	1,017	223	4,293	372	7,252
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	16	100	1	4	152	42	315
	ACRES	255	8,232	0	0	6,182	335	15,004
Western Great Basin	FIRES		92	2	4	13	6	117
	ACRES		6,355	140	4	625	494	7,618
Southwest	FIRES	448	113	2	77	1,038	846	2,524
	ACRES	7,257	11,213	431	5,426	366,782	31,875	422,984
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	151	121	34	15	378	127	826
	ACRES	3,417	430	1,920	63	136,909	9,874	152,613
Eastern Area	FIRES	459		34	53	9,318	448	10,312
	ACRES	5,732		829	252	71,489	13,153	91,455
Southern Area	FIRES	393		156	48	27,348	807	28,752
	ACRES	43,258		14,909	5,683	1,810,226	43,790	1,917,866
TOTAL	FIRES	1,802	478	254	207	39,400	2,621	44,762
	ACRES	61,482	26,834	71,841	13,182	2,422,601	112,669	2,708,609

Ten Year Average Fires	36,790
Ten Year Average Acres	847,480

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						76	76
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES				0		0	0
	ACRES				1		40	41
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					185		185
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						45	45
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	4	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	1	185	161	347

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR TO DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					2,429		2,429
Northwest	FIRES	15	117	54	1	1	186	374
	ACRES	6,852	10,293	6,702	98	180	26,511	50,636
Northern California	FIRES	17	23	20	3		93	156
	ACRES	207	2,991	26,950	65		3,897	34,110
Southern California	FIRES		5	5	3		62	75
	ACRES		285	104	111		2,276	2,776
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1	20	122	2	33	278	456
	ACRES	40	4,344	20,649	268	3,177	31,564	60,042
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	6	18	6	3	5	49	87
	ACRES	1,596	2,845	1,579	1,870	129	22,489	30,508
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6	3			1	10
	ACRES		425	12			1,085	1,522
Southwest	FIRES	23	12	4	4		97	140
	ACRES	3,767	10,696	8,454	923		49,518	73,358
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	28	20	95	14	33	97	287
	ACRES	2,908	5,422	19,899	8,995	1,767	27,845	66,836
Eastern Area	FIRES	40		500	34	1,167	146	1,887
	ACRES	15,175		57,738	5,081	67,222	28,981	174,197
Southern Area	FIRES	22		158	47	279	788	1,294
	ACRES	6,639		70,564	13,668	145,805	635,706	872,382
TOTAL	FIRES	152	221	967	111	1,524	1,797	4,772
	ACRES	37,184	37,301	212,651	31,079	220,709	829,872	1,368,796

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WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR TO DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES				6			6
	ACRES				1			1
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1					11	12
	ACRES	20					6,148	6,168
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		3					3
Southwest	FIRES				1		9	10
	ACRES				1,656		5,238	6,894
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2		1			3
	ACRES		0		0			0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	1	3	0	8	0	20	32
	ACRES	20	3	0	1,657	0	11,386	13,066

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CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
British Columbia	2	90	416	4,209
Yukon Territory	0	0	4	2
Alberta	7	0	788	6,927
Northwest Territory	0	0	2	2
Saskatchewan	6	6,972	146	38,225
Manitoba	0	0	85	3,615
Ontario	4	3	284	793
Quebec	42	14,014	366	62,506
Newfoundland	0	0	47	1,397
New Brunswick	0	0	235	423
Nova Scotia	0	0	188	1,609
Prince Edward Island	0	0	28	28
National Parks	0	0	28	1,530
Total	61	21,080	2,617	121,265

RESOURCES 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	9	14		8	1	3			44	23
Northwest	5		11						19	
Northern California	6	2	6	18		2			1	9
Southern California	3	17	28	6	5	3			21	15
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin	2	1	33	15	2				22	1
Western Great Basin	2	2	14		4		2		1	
Southwest	39	9	28	18	12		8		146	47
Rocky Mountain	5	1	14	4	3	1	3		10	2
Eastern Area					1				3	
Southern Area	3		23	13	5	5	1		108	94
Total	74	46	157	82	33	14	14	0	375	191

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