

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, April 26, 2007 - 1000 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	189 (Light)
New large fires:	2 (*)
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires:	6
Area Command Teams committed:	
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2
Fire Use Teams committed:	

** Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. **

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	62
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	6
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Sweat Farm Road, Georgia Forestry Commission. IMT 2 (Floyd) and NIMO (Ferguson). Started on private land 10 miles southeast of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and timber. Flame lengths up to 100 feet. School closures and evacuations in place.

Big Turnaround, Okefenokee NWR. IMT 2 (Wilder). Ten miles southeast of Waycross, GA. Southern rough, timber and gallberry. Torching, spotting and flanking fire.

Burns Lake, Big Cypress National Preserve. Eight miles east of Ochopee, FL. Southern rough. Backing fire.

Friar, George Washington & Jefferson NF. Five miles north of Amherst, VA. Hardwood litter. Backing fire with short runs. Residences, outbuildings and power lines threatened.

Two Sided, Eglin Air Force Base. Two miles south of Holt, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

New Berry, National Forests in North Carolina. Three miles north of Old Fort, NC. Timber. No new information.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD	ORIGIN OWN
Sweat Farm Road	GA	GAS	46,500	50	4/30	471	0	72	3	23	2.9M	PRI
Big Turnaround	GA	OKR	10,498	40	UNK	177	1	25	3	0	816K	FWS
Burns Lake	FL	BCP	1,250	80	4/29	11	0	4	1	0	NR	NPS
Friar	VA	VAF	886	15	4/29	93	3	6	1	0	55K	FS
* Two Sided	FL	EAQ	421	90	UNK	6	0	2	0	0	NR	DDQ
New Berry	NC	NCF	125	25	UNK	52	2	3	0	0	21K	FS
Potato Hill – WFU	AR	OUF	3,514	N/A	N/A	1	0	0	0	0	45K	FS
Carnsaw	AR	OUF	315	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	FS
* Sandhill Crane	MS	MSS	100	100	---	10	0	2	0	0	NR	ST

OUF - Ouachita NF

MSS – Mississippi Forestry Commission

Eastern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 116

New large fires: 0

Uncontained large fires: 0

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Hurricane Creek	MO	MTF	328	100	---	10	0	0	0	0	4K	FS

MTF - Mark Twain NF

Predictive Services Discussion: Scattered showers are expected over Georgia and Florida today and Friday with drier weather and low humidity returning on the weekend. Rain will be spreading across the Eastern Area today and Friday.



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

NO COMMUNICATION LINK WITH CREW MEMBERS, SUPERVISORS & ADJOINING FORCES

Watchout Situation #7 is a danger that must be mitigated by maintaining good communications while working on fires. Firefighters must constantly ask themselves the following questions as situations change on the fireline:

● Can communications be established?

- Talk about how communications are set up on fires.
- Review situations where communications were a problem and what was done to fix the problem.

● Is the communication triangle complete?

- Review the communication triangle and where it comes up in the "10 Standard Fire Orders" and the "18 Watchout Situations."
- Discuss ways that firefighters can maintain the communication triangle on the fireline.

● Reduce the risks

- If the situation is complex, wait until communications are in place.
- Talk about the fires where crews had to leave the line, didn't go out on the line, or something negative happened because communications were inadequate. Discuss what was done to establish communications.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		1			3		4
	ACRES		0			2		2
Northern California	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						0	0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2						2
	ACRES	31						31
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	2						2
	ACRES	1						1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	18				97	1	116
	ACRES	15				698	12	725
Southern Area	FIRES					60	2	62
	ACRES					2,241	383	2,624
TOTAL	FIRES	22	1	0	0	160	6	189
	ACRES	47	0	0	0	2,941	395	3,383

Fires and Acres Year to Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					4		4
Northwest	FIRES	24	8			11	19	62
	ACRES	229	16			6	45	296
Northern California	FIRES		1		5	8	42	56
	ACRES		149		1	2,404	159	2,713
Southern California	FIRES		3	2	2	19	73	99
	ACRES		901	1	1,990	240	194	3,326
Northern Rockies	FIRES	51	1	7		46	11	116
	ACRES	202	0	33		2,682	3	2,920
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	18			29	1	50
	ACRES	9	458			1,095	0	1,562
Western Great Basin	FIRES		25	1		23	8	57
	ACRES		2,550	38		572	275	3,435
Southwest	FIRES	110	35	4	19	259	86	513
	ACRES	300	728	302	583	22,553	2,474	26,940
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	114	3	5		69	11	202
	ACRES	588	1	257		6,642	31	7,519
Eastern Area	FIRES	180		15	11	2,739	197	3,142
	ACRES	5,682		817	431	37,111	5,566	49,607
Southern Area	FIRES	240		69	15	18,545	490	19,359
	ACRES	13,085		12,897	3,666	314,596	28,826	373,070
TOTAL	FIRES	721	94	103	52	21,754	938	23,662
	ACRES	20,095	4,803	14,345	6,671	387,905	37,573	471,392

Eight Year Average Fires	27,610
Eight Year Average Acres	772,527

*** 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	0	2				6	8
	ACRES	76	180				383	639
Northern California	FIRES		0	0			1	1
	ACRES		2	1,200			179	1,381
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES			3	2		6	11
	ACRES			814	365		657	1,836
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES			1		1	0	2
	ACRES			25		2	150	177
Western Great Basin	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			3				3
Southwest	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				3			3
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1	0			2	3
	ACRES		50	20			402	472
Eastern Area	FIRES	3		4		37	1	45
	ACRES	70		1		2,722	150	2,943
Southern Area	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						5,495	5,495
TOTAL	FIRES	3	3	9	3	38	20	76
	ACRES	146	232	2,063	368	2,724	7,416	12,949

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year to Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	16	42	9	3		82	152
	ACRES	3,871	5,535	4,130	98		6,261	19,895
Northern California	FIRES		3	3	6		149	161
	ACRES		173	16,730	12		5,849	22,764
Southern California	FIRES		4		2		83	89
	ACRES		180		29		8,559	8,768
Northern Rockies	FIRES		9	8	6	2	40	65
	ACRES		800	3,282	454	55	2,897	7,488
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	16	6	2	11	31	69
	ACRES	162	1,573	802	27	1,009	7,382	10,955
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	3			1	7
	ACRES		169	1,410			16	1,595
Southwest	FIRES	24	46	10	11		126	217
	ACRES	1,747	9,692	2,824	155		14,556	28,974
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	27	34	28	9	20	97	215
	ACRES	2,724	5,949	8,912	3,539	3,019	29,295	53,438
Eastern Area	FIRES	34		118	26	643	98	919
	ACRES	15,573		25,810	3,864	41,057	32,686	118,990
Southern Area	FIRES	20		154	49	203	819	1,245
	ACRES	18,108		53,374	36,131	93,057	800,934	1,001,604
TOTAL	FIRES	124	157	339	114	879	1,526	3,139
	ACRES	42,185	24,071	117,274	44,309	138,197	908,435	1,274,471

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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						1	1
	ACRES						4	4
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				1			1
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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						3,514	3,514
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	1	0	3,518	3,519

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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										
Northwest			7	2		1			9	
Northern California										
Southern California							2			
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest							1			
Rocky Mountain										
Eastern Area									10	
Southern Area	3	1	28	92	2	6	3		149	203
Total	3	1	35	94	2	7	6	0	168	203

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