

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Tuesday, June 30, 2009 – 0530 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (177 new fires)  
 New large fires: 2 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

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

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

**Southern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 26  
 New large fires: 2  
 Uncontained large fires: 2

\* **Grouse**, Yosemite National Park. Five miles east of El Portal, CA. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

\* **Harden**, Yosemite National Park. Twelve miles southeast of Yosemite Valley, CA. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size Chge<br>24 Hrs | % Ctn | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge<br>24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|----|------|------|---------------------|-------|---------|-----------|---------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Grouse      | CA | YNP  | 300  | ---                 | 0     | 7/11    | 148       | ---                 | 7   | 2   | 1    | 0         | NR       | NPS        |
| * Harden      | CA | YNP  | 120  | ---                 | 5     | 7/11    | 100       | ---                 | 4   | 0   | 1    | 0         | 60K      | NPS        |
| Fairview      | CA | SQF  | 120  | 0                   | 100   | ---     | 165       | -35                 | 7   | 2   | 1    | 0         | 250K     | FS         |

SQF – Sequoia NF

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 41  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Collier Ranch**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land five miles north of Stephenville, TX. Juniper, brush and oak. No further information received.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size Chge<br>24 Hrs | % Ctn | Est Ctn | Totl Pers | Pers Chge<br>24 Hrs | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|----|------|------|---------------------|-------|---------|-----------|---------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Collier Ranch | TX | TXS  | 750  | 0                   | 75    | UNK     | 1         | -5                  | 0   | 0   | 0    | 0         | NR       | PRI        |

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Hot and dry weather will continue over much of the West today. Widely scattered thunderstorms, some of them dry, are expected over the mountains of central and southern California, the Great Basin and Montana. Wet thunderstorms should persist in the Southwest. Alaska will be warmer and drier with a chance of showers and thunderstorms over the interior.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### **Fire Not Scouted and Sized Up**

Watchout Situation #1 comes up during initial attack and every time resources arrive at a fire.

● Before taking action on the fire, the following considerations must be addressed:

- Can you personally observe the fire or must you use scouts? Describe ways you can scout and size up a fire.
- Do you know the location of the fire perimeter? Discuss situations in which the fire perimeter may not be obvious. (Spotty fires, etc.)
- Do you know the direction of fire spread? When isn't the direction of fire spread obvious? (Wind shifts, spotty fires, etc.)
- Does the direction of fire spread increase risk? Talk about situations where you may have to approach the head of the fire. (Hiking down from a helispot, approaching from an existing road, switching winds, etc.)
- Do you know the fuels and their condition? What kind of information will you assume from what you already know about fuel types? (Spot fires in fir, extreme fire potential in flashy fuels, etc.)
- Do topographic hazards exist? What can you assume from what kind of terrain the fire covers? (Slope, chimneys, aspect, etc.)
- Does enough information exist to establish a plan of attack? When do you have enough information to begin fighting fire? What do you need to know?
- Do other dangers exist? Have you talked about factors specific to the area you are working in? (Hunters in the woods, drought, snag patches, etc.)

● To reduce the risks:

- Post lookouts until the fire is sized up and escape routes and safety zones are established.
- Retreat if the situation is too complex. Review fires where you had to wait until the area in which you were assigned to work was scouted and sized up before you were allowed onto the fireline.

### Fires and Acres Yesterday

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Northwest           | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 9     | 2    | 11    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 11    | 0    | 11    |
| Northern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 21    | 2    | 23    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 262   | 0    | 262   |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |     |     | 0   | 22    | 4    | 26    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     | 385 | 613   | 95   | 1,093 |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 16  |     |     | 1   | 8     |      | 25    |
|                     | ACRES | 89  |     |     | 0   | 40    |      | 129   |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     | 6   |     |     | 5     |      | 11    |
|                     | ACRES |     | 57  |     |     | 1     |      | 58    |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     | 1   |     |     |       |      | 1     |
|                     | ACRES |     | 2   |     |     |       |      | 2     |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 17  | 1   |     |     | 2     | 12   | 32    |
|                     | ACRES | 13  | 1   |     |     | 0     | 2    | 16    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 1   |     |     |     |       | 1    | 2     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   |     |     |     |       | 1    | 1     |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 5     |      | 5     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 1     |      | 1     |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 40    | 1    | 41    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 130   | 2    | 132   |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 34  | 8   | 0   | 1   | 112   | 22   | 177   |
|                     | ACRES | 102 | 60  | 0   | 385 | 1,058 | 100  | 1,705 |

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS    | NPS    | ST/OT     | USFS   | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        | 29     | 23     | 13     | 253       | 5      | 323       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 17,733 | 44,706 | 2,582  | 239,028   | 0      | 304,049   |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 114    | 88     | 1      | 6      | 270       | 196    | 675       |
|                     | ACRES | 425    | 1,368  | 2      | 3      | 675       | 318    | 2,791     |
| Northern California | FIRES | 30     | 21     | 1      | 7      | 794       | 260    | 1,113     |
|                     | ACRES | 23     | 19     | 0      | 1      | 4,089     | 644    | 4,776     |
| Southern California | FIRES | 13     | 55     | 3      | 7      | 1,371     | 211    | 1,660     |
|                     | ACRES | 36     | 473    | 4      | 553    | 4,851     | 2,969  | 8,886     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 260    | 14     | 5      | 2      | 151       | 113    | 545       |
|                     | ACRES | 655    | 437    | 389    | 0      | 15,068    | 239    | 16,788    |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 13     | 74     | 3      | 10     | 117       | 43     | 260       |
|                     | ACRES | 25     | 159    | 186    | 0      | 399       | 320    | 1,089     |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 3      | 74     |        | 3      | 34        | 30     | 144       |
|                     | ACRES | 20     | 277    |        | 0      | 85        | 8      | 390       |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 412    | 158    | 5      | 34     | 627       | 430    | 1,666     |
|                     | ACRES | 10,402 | 67,730 | 13     | 2,049  | 260,473   | 42,269 | 382,936   |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 220    | 71     | 13     | 4      | 232       | 67     | 607       |
|                     | ACRES | 945    | 67     | 533    | 43     | 61,790    | 230    | 63,608    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 389    |        | 27     | 25     | 11,011    | 463    | 11,915    |
|                     | ACRES | 1,206  |        | 767    | 110    | 102,056   | 6,480  | 110,619   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 293    |        | 152    | 47     | 28,280    | 512    | 29,284    |
|                     | ACRES | 35,253 |        | 27,254 | 68,458 | 850,657   | 25,693 | 1,007,315 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 1,747  | 584    | 233    | 158    | 43,140    | 2,330  | 48,192    |
|                     | ACRES | 48,990 | 88,263 | 73,854 | 73,799 | 1,539,171 | 79,170 | 1,903,247 |

|                               |                  |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Ten Year Average Fires</b> | <b>41,900</b>    |
| <b>Ten Year Average Acres</b> | <b>1,927,474</b> |

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### Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

| 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 |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       | 1    | 1     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       | 0    | 0     |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       | 2    | 2     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       | 251  | 251   |
| 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 |     |     |     |     |       | 2    | 2     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       | 230  | 230   |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 5    | 5     |
|                     | ACRES | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 481  | 481   |

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS     | NPS     | ST/OT   | USFS      | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        |        |         |         | 9       |           | 9         |
|                     | ACRES |        |        |         |         | 3,338   |           | 3,338     |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 15     | 102    | 19      | 2       |         | 87        | 225       |
|                     | ACRES | 7,122  | 7,779  | 4,068   | 31      |         | 12,360    | 31,360    |
| Northern California | FIRES | 26     | 16     | 17      | 44      | 25      | 210       | 338       |
|                     | ACRES | 224    | 2,515  | 26,529  | 384     | 2,791   | 9,591     | 42,034    |
| Southern California | FIRES |        | 7      | 9       | 4       | 1       | 114       | 135       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 564    | 748     | 274     | 195     | 8,522     | 10,303    |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 22     | 28     | 76      | 2       | 24      | 180       | 332       |
|                     | ACRES | 1,973  | 4,434  | 18,348  | 345     | 2,241   | 17,471    | 44,812    |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1      | 32     | 2       | 9       | 31      | 46        | 121       |
|                     | ACRES | 8      | 1,770  | 770     | 317     | 219     | 10,652    | 13,736    |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |        | 4      | 2       |         |         | 5         | 11        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 104    | 62      |         |         | 219       | 385       |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 22     | 28     | 3       | 8       |         | 196       | 257       |
|                     | ACRES | 1,652  | 54,240 | 501     | 1,099   |         | 103,885   | 161,377   |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 37     | 41     | 108     | 10      | 35      | 121       | 352       |
|                     | ACRES | 3,644  | 4,759  | 18,786  | 5,851   | 876     | 28,552    | 62,468    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 65     |        | 416     | 40      | 1,735   | 162       | 2,418     |
|                     | ACRES | 72,679 |        | 63,543  | 9,200   | 81,558  | 45,557    | 272,537   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 5      |        | 242     | 77      | 780     | 1,008     | 2,112     |
|                     | ACRES | 2,370  |        | 123,874 | 90,109  | 282,212 | 932,208   | 1,430,773 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 193    | 258    | 894     | 196     | 2,640   | 2,129     | 6,310     |
|                     | ACRES | 89,672 | 76,165 | 257,229 | 107,610 | 373,430 | 1,169,017 | 2,073,123 |

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

| Provinces            | Fires Yesterday | Hectares Yesterday | Fires Year-To-Date | Hectares Year-To-Date |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| British Columbia     | 1               | 0                  | 818                | 38,630                |
| Yukon Territory      | 0               | 0                  | 39                 | 32,026                |
| Alberta              | 2               | 0                  | 1,059              | 55,290                |
| Northwest Territory  | 1               | 0                  | 18                 | 486                   |
| Saskatchewan         | 2               | 0                  | 450                | 37,070                |
| Manitoba             | 3               | 1                  | 115                | 2,426                 |
| Ontario              | 0               | 352                | 272                | 16,855                |
| Quebec               | 5               | 0                  | 389                | 20,200                |
| Newfoundland         | 1               | 0                  | 117                | 4,603                 |
| New Brunswick        | 0               | 0                  | 152                | 232                   |
| Nova Scotia          | 0               | 0                  | 139                | 937                   |
| Prince Edward Island | 0               | 0                  | 0                  | 0                     |
| National Parks       | 2               | 0                  | 60                 | 27,855                |
| Total                | 17              | 353                | 3,628              | 236,611               |

Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>

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