

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, October 1, 2010 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (132 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: 2

Nationally, there are 81 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 4
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Twitchell Canyon, Fishlake NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Seven miles east of Manderfield, UT. Timber. Backing fire with mid-range spotting. Numerous structures, a major power corridor and portions of Interstate 70 threatened.

River Breaks, Salmon-Challis NF. IMT 2 (Kidd). Two miles southwest of North Fork, ID. Timber and grass. Creeping fire with torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Giraffe Creek, Caribou-Targhee NF. Previously reported incident. Fifteen miles northeast of Montpelier, ID. Timber. Short crown runs with torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

*** Bunker**, Bridger-Teton NF. Twelve miles northeast of Hoback Jet, WY. Timber. Creeping with group tree torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Twitchell Canyon	UT	FIF	44,446	2,019	N/A	N/A	572	139	14	25	7	2	14M	FS
River Breaks	ID	SCF	400	-200	0	UNK	197	92	8	5	5	0	165K	FS
Giraffe Creek	ID	CTF	1,200	---	N/A	N/A	14	---	0	1	1	0	60K	FS
* Bunker	WY	BTF	150	---	N/A	N/A	2	---	0	0	0	0	5.5K	FS

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 68
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Ft. Gates #22, National Forests in Florida. Four miles south of Welaka, FL. Southern rough. No new information.

*** Ashley 179**, Arkansas Forestry Commission. Five miles west of Fountain Hill, AR. Timber. No further information received.

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Ft. Gates #22	FL	FNF	1,097	---	95	10/1	3	---	0	0	0	0	155K	FS
* Ashley 179	AR	ARS	100	---	25	UNK	17	---	0	0	0	0	1K	ST

Alaska Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Pat Creek, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Fifteen miles north of Stevens Village, AK. Black spruce and tundra. No further information received. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Tchulkade Lake, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Started on FWS land thirty-four miles northeast of Circle City, AK. Black spruce and mixed hardwoods. No further information received. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Redlands Lake, Tanana Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Thirty miles south of Tanana, AK. Black spruce and tundra. No further information received. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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Pat Creek	AK	UYD	68,426	---	N/A	N/A	5	---	0	0	0	2	NR	BLM
Tchulkade	AK	UYD	15,560	---	N/A	N/A	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Redlands Lake	AK	TAD	1,960	---	N/A	N/A	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 4
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Jack Springs	CO	LSD	151	0	100	---	0	-50	0	0	0	0	180K	BLM

LSD – Little Snake Field Office, BLM

Predictive Services Discussion: Warm and dry conditions across the West. Scattered thunderstorms, some of them dry, will continue across southern California and expand into the southern Sierras, Arizona, and possibly into southern Nevada. Widespread rain will continue in the Northeast with low relative humidity across the Tennessee Valley and western Gulf Coast states.

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



Today's discussion is from the NEW
Fireline Leadership Category.

Leaders Intent

Introduction:

In fast-moving, dynamic situations, top-level decision makers cannot always incorporate new information into a formal planning process and redirect people to action within a reasonable timeframe.

We provide leader's intent so people closest to the scene of action can adapt plans and exercise initiative to accomplish the objective when unanticipated opportunities arise or when the original plan no longer suffices.

Leaders' intent is a crucial element of effective operations because it reduces internal friction and empowers subordinates – even when chaotic conditions prevent the chain of command from communicating effectively.

- Leader's intent is a clear, concise statement about what people must do to succeed in their assignments. It delineates three essential components:
 - Task - what is the objective or goal of the assignment?
 - Purpose – why the assignment needs to be done.
 - End state – how the situation should look when the assignment is successfully completed.
- Within the framework of the defined end state, leaders can develop plans that include incident objectives, priorities, strategies, trigger points, and contingency plans.

Discussion Points

- How were you most recently provided leader's intent?
- Describe a situation where leader's intent was utilized to adapt and achieve the desired end state.
- Describe a situation where leader's intent was not clear.
- Discuss how to gain leaders intent if it is not initially provided.

References [Incident Response Pocket Guide](#) (IRPG) page ix

[Wildland Fire Leadership Development Program](#)

[Leading In the Wildland Fire Service](#)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		0					0
	ACRES		1,810					1,810
Northwest	FIRES			1		1	2	4
	ACRES			185		0	1	186
Northern California	FIRES	3				12	1	16
	ACRES	1				26	8	35
Southern California	FIRES		1		1	20	5	27
	ACRES		0		14	88	8	110
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	21					0	21
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2			2	0	4
	ACRES		0			2	2,884	2,886
Western Great Basin	FIRES	1	1			1		3
	ACRES	0	0			0		0
Southwest	FIRES	3					0	3
	ACRES	1					525	526
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1		1	2		4
	ACRES		0		0	268		268
Eastern Area	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Southern Area	FIRES			2		63	3	68
	ACRES			6		384	9	399
TOTAL	FIRES	8	5	3	2	102	12	132
	ACRES	23	1,810	191	14	768	3,435	6,241

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	76	69	53	467	16	682
	ACRES	103	294,196	143,427	113,284	568,199	10	1,119,219
Northwest	FIRES	170	226	20	27	540	1,133	2,116
	ACRES	34,756	19,784	3,591	4,942	33,485	8,522	105,080
Northern California	FIRES	65	124		13	1,801	476	2,479
	ACRES	50	12,224		8	18,734	2,902	33,918
Southern California	FIRES	19	211	5	37	2,392	465	3,129
	ACRES	186	12,980	42	11,647	25,610	32,143	82,608
Northern Rockies	FIRES	524	75	7	16	400	582	1,604
	ACRES	4,465	16,326	15,301	3,797	15,206	13,278	68,373
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	43	571	3	30	563	522	1,732
	ACRES	12,382	410,104	610	5,248	171,419	69,007	668,770
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	224	9	16	77	57	387
	ACRES	0	19,295	35	10	3,171	1,310	23,821
Southwest	FIRES	523	228	8	64	464	975	2,262
	ACRES	7,692	19,257	38	24,855	45,556	81,042	178,440
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	665	458	9	41	519	443	2,135
	ACRES	3,213	11,339	3,064	7,349	67,118	8,363	100,446
Eastern Area	FIRES	636		40	25	11,175	512	12,388
	ACRES	2,709		4,883	32	90,442	4,470	102,536
Southern Area	FIRES	545		64	16	26,997	606	28,228
	ACRES	33,871		6,710	188	424,696	23,564	489,029
TOTAL	FIRES	3,195	2,193	234	338	45,395	5,787	57,142
	ACRES	99,427	815,505	177,701	171,360	1,463,636	244,611	2,972,240

Ten Year Average Fires	65,046
Ten Year Average Acres	5,950,520

*** 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			1				1
	ACRES			21				21
Northwest	FIRES	1	3				14	18
	ACRES	60	5,632				5,558	11,250
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2					5	7
	ACRES	168					360	528
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						20	20
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						230	230
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						210	210
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						25	25
TOTAL	FIRES	3	3	1	0	0	22	29
	ACRES	228	5,632	21	0	0	6,403	12,284

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		12	2	15
	ACRES			21		21,502	385	21,908
Northwest	FIRES	15	60	18	1		164	258
	ACRES	6,909	16,148	2,248	11		28,508	53,824
Northern California	FIRES	1	12	28	22	29	237	329
	ACRES	10	771	22,373	1,421	4,042	10,375	38,992
Southern California	FIRES		9	11	7	20	63	110
	ACRES		1,612	1,525	547	2,506	1,969	8,159
Northern Rockies	FIRES	104	35	110	8	29	220	506
	ACRES	4,363	5,465	27,016	1,240	924	19,771	58,779
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	19	6	9	29	59	124
	ACRES	4,100	4,710	2,745	775	2,268	22,430	37,028
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	2	4	1	8	23
	ACRES		1,302	1,395	846	210	638	4,391
Southwest	FIRES	31	20	12	10		140	213
	ACRES	2,411	23,116	8,870	2,146		71,854	108,397
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	47	71	119	21	47	151	456
	ACRES	6,047	17,196	27,863	4,831	6,265	23,567	85,769
Eastern Area	FIRES	48		372	52	1,856	180	2,508
	ACRES	62,797		56,809	6,206	114,120	56,860	296,792
Southern Area	FIRES	21		193	64	8,960	1,122	10,360
	ACRES	3,215		87,468	71,462	267,626	1,052,394	1,482,165
TOTAL	FIRES	269	234	872	198	10,983	2,346	14,902
	ACRES	89,852	70,320	238,333	89,485	419,463	1,288,751	2,196,204

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