

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Tuesday, April 10, 2012 – 0800 MT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity (April 6 – April 9)**

Initial attack activity: Light (580 new fires)  
 New large fires: 11 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 5  
 Uncontained large fires: \*\* 7  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Nationally there are no large fire 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.

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 125  
 New large fires: 5  
 Uncontained large fires: 5  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

\* **County Line**, National Forests in Florida. IMT 2 (Dueitt). Twenty-five miles north of Lake City, FL. Southern rough. Active fire behavior.

\* **Alleghany Tunnels**, George Washington & Jefferson NF. Ten miles west of Covington, VA. Hardwood litter. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

\* **Barbours Creek**, George Washington & Jefferson NF. Twelve miles northwest of New Castle, VA. Pine and hardwood litter. No new information.

**Round Two**, Florida Panther NWR. Twenty miles east of Naples, FL. Southern rough. Smoldering.

\* **Shipwreck**, Virginia DOF. Three miles northwest of Shenandoah, VA. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

| 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 |
|---------------------|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * County Line       | FL | FNF  | 14,004 | 2,303            | 20    | 4/12    | 127       | 37               | 2   | 10  | 4    | 0         | 750K     | FS         |
| * Alleghany Tunnels | VA | VAF  | 2,510  | ---              | 0     | 4/17    | 48        | ---              | 2   | 4   | 1    | 0         | 75K      | FS         |
| * Barbours Creek    | VA | VAF  | 800    | ---              | 10    | UNK     | 8         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0         | 18K      | FS         |
| Round Two           | FL | FPR  | 735    | 0                | 90    | 4/11    | 12        | 0                | 0   | 3   | 0    | 0         | 50K      | FWS        |

| 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 |
|---------------|----|------|------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Shipwreck   | VA | VAS  | 620  | 420              | 60    | 4/10    | 63        | 36               | 15  | 7   | 0    | 0         | 5K       | ST         |
| * Guinea      | VA | VAS  | 100  | ---              | 100   | ---     | 0         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 0    | 0         | 1K       | ST         |

### **Eastern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 380  
New large fires: 6  
Uncontained large fires: 2  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

\* **Jeep**, Minnesota DNR. Minnesota State IMT 2 (Aultman). Started on private land three miles south of Nimrod, MN. Timber, hardwood litter and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

\* **South Park**, New Jersey Forest Fire Service. Four miles east of Tabernacle, NJ. Brush. Running and torching. Residences threatened.

| 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 |
|------------------|----|------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Jeep           | MN | MNS  | 1,600 | 0                | 80    | 4/11    | 84        | 0                | 0   | 11  | 3    | 5         | 200K     | PRI        |
| * South Park     | NJ | NJS  | 1,000 | ---              | 75    | 4/10    | 40        | ---              | 0   | 9   | 1    | 0         | 3K       | ST         |
| * Donely Tilman  | MN | DLR  | 818   | ---              | 100   | ---     | 3         | ---              | 0   | 1   | 0    | 0         | 20K      | FWS        |
| * Good Friday 72 | MN | MNS  | 490   | ---              | 100   | ---     | 30        | ---              | 0   | 7   | 1    | 0         | 46.5K    | ST         |
| * Winslow        | NJ | NJS  | 400   | ---              | 100   | ---     | 6         | ---              | 0   | 2   | 0    | 0         | 10K      | ST         |
| * Glenn Summit   | PA | PAS  | 100   | ---              | 100   | ---     | 0         | ---              | 0   | 0   | 0    | 0         | 1K       | ST         |

DLR - Detroit Lakes Wetland Management District, FWS

PAS - Pennsylvania Division of Forest Fire Protection

**Predictive Services Discussion:** A deep trough across the northeastern U.S. will produce strong winds over much of the region from the upper Mississippi Valley to the mid-Atlantic coast. Low relative humidity across the eastern seaboard coupled with winds of 20-30 mph over the Carolinas and Virginia will produce critical fire weather conditions. A trough entering the West will bring rain to much of the coast and gusty winds across much of the Great Basin. Cold high pressure dropping into the central U.S. will produce some shower activity across the southern and central Plains with gusty winds over the northern Plains.

Predictive Services Outlook products: <http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



Today's discussion is from the  
Miscellaneous Category.

## SAFENET

SAFENET is a form and process that provides a method for reporting unsafe situations on or off the fireline. The information provided on the form will help collect important, safety-related data to determine long-term trends and problem areas. A SAFENET may be filled out at any time to report a valid concern about unsafe situations in fire operations, as well as document corrective action.

- Discuss the methods for filing a SAFENET.
  - Electronically by accessing the SAFENET website at [safenet.nifc.gov](http://safenet.nifc.gov) or linking to it through the NIFC website.
  - By hardcopy via US Mail. SAFENET paper forms are stamped, self-addressed, sealable forms that can be mailed from any US postal drop.
- Discuss advantages of filing a SAFENET through your supervisor versus sending it yourself.
  - Increase the chances of finding an immediate solution.
  - Keeps supervisor "in the loop."
- Discuss using SAFENET in situations other than fire.
  - Prescribed fire
  - All-risk
  - Training
- Where does a SAFENET go, and what response can you expect?
  - SAFENETs are received and stored in a database in Boise. After a SAFENET is received, the names are removed. The SAFENET doesn't get posted to the web until 48 hours after it has been forwarded to the affected agencies for corrective action.
  - Every new SAFENET is then forwarded to the affected agency's designated list of contacts, which usually includes the National or Regional Safety Officer.
  - It is each agency's responsibility to ensure that corrective actions are taken.
- Corrective actions can be filed by anyone at any time. They are automatically attached to the individual SAFENET on the database. This statement could probably use a little work. We sometimes get "arm-chair quarterbacks" who weren't remotely involved with the incident submitting corrective actions. One example read something like, "This squad boss should be given a stern talking to by their supervisor and told 'Get it right or get out of fire,'" We don't want folks who weren't involved or in the chain of command making guess-work corrective actions. A corrective action is also sanitized to remove names or identifying information, and only goes public when the SAFENET does.
- Discuss using SAFENET to monitor safety issues other firefighters may be having.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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### Fires and Acres April 6 – April 9

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT  | USFS  | TOTAL  |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|-------|--------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     |     |     |     |        |       | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |        |       | 0      |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 1   |     |     |     |        |       | 1      |
|                     | ACRES | 2   |     |     |     |        |       | 2      |
| Northern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 17     |       | 17     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 77     |       | 77     |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |     |     |     |        | 4     | 4      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |        | 0     | 0      |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 1      | 1     | 2      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 1      | 3     | 4      |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |     |     |        |       | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |     |     |        |       | 0      |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     | 1   |     |     |        |       | 1      |
|                     | ACRES |     | 250 |     |     |        |       | 250    |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 9   | 2   |     |     | 1      | 10    | 22     |
|                     | ACRES | 116 | 2   |     |     | 3      | 129   | 250    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 11  | 2   |     |     | 11     | 4     | 28     |
|                     | ACRES | 154 | 1   |     |     | 506    | 5     | 666    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 75  |     |     | 2   | 283    | 20    | 380    |
|                     | ACRES | 48  |     |     | 0   | 2,816  | 121   | 2,985  |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     | 2   | 3   | 104    | 16    | 125    |
|                     | ACRES |     |     | 56  | 5   | 13,343 | 1,439 | 14,843 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 96  | 5   | 2   | 5   | 417    | 55    | 580    |
|                     | ACRES | 320 | 253 | 56  | 5   | 16,746 | 1,697 | 19,077 |

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM   | FWS    | NPS   | ST/OT   | USFS   | TOTAL   |
|---------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|---------|--------|---------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        |       |        |       |         |        | 0       |
|                     | ACRES |        |       |        |       |         |        | 0       |
| Northwest           | FIRES | 6      | 1     |        |       | 1       |        | 8       |
|                     | ACRES | 22     | 87    |        |       | 1       |        | 110     |
| Northern California | FIRES |        | 1     | 1      | 2     | 298     | 33     | 335     |
|                     | ACRES |        | 0     | 0      | 1     | 559     | 39     | 599     |
| Southern California | FIRES | 7      | 20    | 1      | 5     | 558     | 81     | 672     |
|                     | ACRES | 9      | 4     | 0      | 1     | 802     | 76     | 892     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 254    | 7     | 3      | 2     | 29      | 19     | 314     |
|                     | ACRES | 20,043 | 1,320 | 412    | 620   | 1,154   | 271    | 23,820  |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 5      | 20    |        | 1     | 48      | 5      | 79      |
|                     | ACRES | 96     | 32    |        | 0     | 527     | 33     | 688     |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |        | 18    |        | 3     | 21      | 3      | 45      |
|                     | ACRES |        | 919   |        | 0     | 2,318   | 429    | 3,666   |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 147    | 25    | 3      | 3     | 86      | 73     | 337     |
|                     | ACRES | 3,073  | 1,307 | 1      | 2,228 | 2,714   | 2,535  | 11,858  |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 291    | 12    | 16     | 2     | 178     | 41     | 540     |
|                     | ACRES | 9,611  | 91    | 1,108  | 1     | 17,592  | 847    | 29,250  |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 382    |       | 3      | 9     | 2,390   | 176    | 2,960   |
|                     | ACRES | 1,214  |       | 2      | 397   | 24,230  | 4,098  | 29,941  |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 97     |       | 14     | 18    | 6,950   | 209    | 7,288   |
|                     | ACRES | 3,361  |       | 14,863 | 3,443 | 92,778  | 10,911 | 125,356 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 1,189  | 104   | 41     | 45    | 10,559  | 640    | 12,578  |
|                     | ACRES | 37,429 | 3,760 | 16,386 | 6,691 | 142,675 | 19,239 | 226,180 |

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|-------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Ten Year Average Fires</b> | <b>17,055</b>  |
| <b>Ten Year Average Acres</b> | <b>523,694</b> |

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**Prescribed Fires and Acres April 6 – April 9**

| AREA                |       | BIA | BLM | FWS   | NPS | ST/OT | USFS   | TOTAL  |
|---------------------|-------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-------|--------|--------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
| Northwest           | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       | 0      | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       | 26     | 26     |
| Northern California | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       | 0      | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       | 2      | 2      |
| Southern California | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       | 4      | 4      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       | 88     | 88     |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
| Southwest           | FIRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
|                     | ACRES |     |     |       |     |       |        | 0      |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES |     | 1   | 1     |     |       |        | 2      |
|                     | ACRES |     | 40  | 156   |     |       |        | 196    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 1   |     | 7     |     | 31    | 5      | 44     |
|                     | ACRES | 65  |     | 2,118 |     | 1,702 | 1,227  | 5,112  |
| Southern Area       | FIRES |     |     | 5     |     | 67    | 13     | 85     |
|                     | ACRES |     |     | 586   |     | 2,876 | 13,509 | 16,971 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 1   | 1   | 13    | 0   | 98    | 22     | 135    |
|                     | ACRES | 65  | 40  | 2,860 | 0   | 4,578 | 14,852 | 22,395 |

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

| AREA                |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS    | NPS    | ST/OT   | USFS    | TOTAL     |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Alaska              | FIRES |        |        |        |        |         |         | 0         |
|                     | ACRES |        |        |        |        |         |         | 0         |
| Northwest           | FIRES |        | 30     | 2      |        |         | 30      | 62        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 1,222  | 891    |        |         | 3,902   | 6,015     |
| Northern California | FIRES | 2      | 11     | 12     | 17     |         | 117     | 159       |
|                     | ACRES | 107    | 146    | 3,162  | 137    |         | 8,648   | 12,200    |
| Southern California | FIRES |        | 6      | 4      |        |         | 132     | 142       |
|                     | ACRES |        | 1,516  | 125    |        |         | 3,435   | 5,076     |
| Northern Rockies    | FIRES | 2      | 7      | 3      | 1      | 1       | 24      | 38        |
|                     | ACRES | 189    | 245    | 426    | 9      | 0       | 1,567   | 2,436     |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1      | 11     | 1      | 3      | 13      | 9       | 38        |
|                     | ACRES | 25     | 206    | 10     | 113    | 323     | 444     | 1,121     |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |        | 7      | 4      |        | 11      | 2       | 24        |
|                     | ACRES |        | 2,236  | 419    |        | 273     | 98      | 3,026     |
| Southwest           | FIRES | 5      | 7      | 4      | 15     |         | 92      | 123       |
|                     | ACRES | 220    | 6,230  | 566    | 109    |         | 13,760  | 20,885    |
| Rocky Mountain      | FIRES | 15     | 19     | 21     | 16     | 15      | 51      | 137       |
|                     | ACRES | 1,392  | 3,751  | 1,047  | 1,831  | 1,186   | 9,073   | 18,280    |
| Eastern Area        | FIRES | 13     |        | 104    | 34     | 627     | 102     | 880       |
|                     | ACRES | 20,073 |        | 16,926 | 9,045  | 41,900  | 51,377  | 139,321   |
| Southern Area       | FIRES | 22     |        | 107    | 49     | 5,760   | 688     | 6,626     |
|                     | ACRES | 4,743  |        | 44,136 | 34,304 | 371,102 | 653,594 | 1,107,879 |
| TOTAL               | FIRES | 60     | 98     | 262    | 135    | 6,427   | 1,247   | 8,229     |
|                     | ACRES | 26,749 | 15,552 | 67,708 | 45,548 | 414,784 | 745,898 | 1,316,239 |

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

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to correction, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

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