

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, November 6, 2012 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (96 new fires)

New large fires: 2 (*)

Large fires contained: 0

Uncontained large fires: ** 2

Area Command Teams committed: 0

NIMOs committed: 3

Type 1 IMTs committed: 2

Type 2 IMTs committed: 6

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

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

Eastern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 6

New large fires: 0

Uncontained large fires: 0

NIMO's committed: 3

Type 1 IMTs committed: 2

Type 2 IMTs committed: 6

Hurricane Sandy Support, Federal Emergency Management Agency. Eleven incident management teams and 41 crews are assigned.

Three NIMO's are assigned (Quesinberry, Kleinman and Hahnenberg).

- Quesinberry: Is assigned to provide support to Nassau County, NY.
- Kleinman: Is supporting development and management of staging areas in New York City.
- Hahnenberg: Is assigned to the Office of Emergency Management in Brooklyn, NY.

Two Type 1 Teams (Wilder and Opliger) are assigned.

- Wilder: Is managing road clearing operations throughout West Virginia.
- Opliger: Is managing a staging area at Fort Dix, NJ.

Six Type 2 Teams (Pisarek, Dueitt, Kollmeyer, Graham, West and Fry) are assigned.

- Pisarek: Is managing a mobilization, and receiving and distribution centers in Farmingdale, NY.
- Dueitt: Is assisting FEMA operations in the New York City area.
- Kollmeyer: Is assigned to provide support to Nassau County, NY.
- Graham: Is assigned to Charleston, WV.
- West: Is assigned to Charleston, WV.
- Fry: Is overseeing road clearing operations in New Jersey.

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	16
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

* **Devore**, San Bernardino NF. Nine miles north of San Bernardino, CA. Chaparral. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

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
* Devore	CA	BDF	350	---	10	11/6	689	---	15	70	7	0	1M	FS

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires:	3
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

* **Maggie**, Tonto NF. Thirteen miles north of Carefree, AZ. Brush and grass. Creeping.

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
* Maggie	AZ	TNF	300	---	20	11/7	50	---	2	2	0	0	50K	FS

Other Fires

(As of November 2)

GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AK	1	47,154	0	0	0	0
NW	0	0	0	0	0	0
NO	0	0	0	0	0	0
SO	0	0	0	0	0	0
NR	1	8,815	0	0	0	1
EB	0	0	0	0	0	0
WB	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW	3	6,736	0	0	0	10
RM	2	1,400	0	0	1	19
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	7	64,105	0	0	1	30

Predictive Services Discussion: A Pacific cold front will move into the Northwest, bringing rain and snow to Washington and northern Oregon. Warm conditions will continue through most of the interior West ahead of the system. The far Southwest will remain hot and dry with gusty winds continuing across parts of southern California, producing near critical fire weather conditions. A cold, dry Canadian air mass will drop into the Plains. Snow showers will develop over the upper Midwest and the Great Lakes region. A low off the Southeast coast will produce scattered showers and thunderstorms along the Southeast and Mid-Atlantic coast.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.html>



Today's discussion is from the Hazardous Materials Category.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS ENCOUNTERS

Employees who may encounter hazardous materials in the field should be trained as mandated by OSHA 1910.120 (q), First Responder Awareness Level. However, employees should always recognize that hazmat encounters require special precautions.

- Hazardous materials in the field include, but are not limited to:
 - Clandestine drug waste – waste as a result of “meth” labs, etc., which may look like common household trash at first glance. Drug lab waste can be identified by the presence of gallon plastic jugs, large plastic bags, 5-gallon buckets, and laboratory equipment (tubes and beakers).
 - Midnight dumping – may be recognized by the presence of barrels or other containers, discoloration of land, plants, or water, and/or dead vegetation and animals.
 - Transportation accidents – truck, rail, or pipeline accidents may result in the spillage or release of hazardous materials that may result in danger to life, property, or resources.
- In all instances, self-protection is your primary responsibility.
- Respond to all encounters by implementing the Three Rs:
 - Recognize: Attempt to identify the substance using the North American Emergency Response Guide, occupancy/location, placards/labels, container shapes/colors, and/or MSDS shipping papers.
 - Retreat: Move upwind, upgrade, or upstream; isolate the material; and deny entry to the site. Guidelines for isolation distances include: 150 feet for a minor incident (1 drum, 1 bag, etc.); 500 feet for a major incident (more than 1 drum, etc.); 300 feet for a residential and light commercial incident; 1,000 feet for an open area; 2,500 feet for an incident with BLEVE potential; 2,500 feet for the staging area (must be upwind with vehicles in a headed-out position)
 - Report: Notify your supervisor and agency dispatcher. Request hazmat assistance via a safe route.

References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

[Safety and Health for Field Operations Manual, BLM-1112-2](#)

Hazmat-First Responder Awareness Training Guide, Local Fire Department

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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					3		3
	ACRES					0		0
Southern California	FIREs					9	7	16
	ACRES					3	351	354
Northern Rockies	FIREs						4	4
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Western Great Basin	FIREs							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIREs	1	1				1	3
	ACRES	0	0				0	0
Rocky Mountain	FIREs					2	3	5
	ACRES					0	88	88
Eastern Area	FIREs					6		6
	ACRES					18		18
Southern Area	FIREs					56	2	58
	ACRES					496	2	498
TOTAL	FIREs	1	1	0	0	76	18	96
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	517	441	958

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs	4	39	30	22	299	5	399
	ACRES	164	51,616	39,629	76,752	102,065	0	270,226
Northwest	FIREs	129	225	27	29	880	975	2,265
	ACRES	44,236	1,138,441	1,902	20	46,412	268,046	1,499,057
Northern California	FIREs	123	24	1	13	2,804	587	3,552
	ACRES	275	423,780	1	28,526	34,342	284,597	771,521
Southern California	FIREs	35	239	12	65	3,193	685	4,229
	ACRES	47	40,756	8	2,197	42,124	12,516	97,648
Northern Rockies	FIREs	1,302	211	47	23	914	850	3,347
	ACRES	415,952	306,113	11,419	5,210	206,280	489,376	1,434,350
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	61	850	1	33	854	608	2,407
	ACRES	30,314	793,525	2	2,130	222,405	1,003,479	2,051,855
Western Great Basin	FIREs	5	632	3	16	204	144	1,004
	ACRES	1,200	503,356	60	28	66,735	42,748	614,127
Southwest	FIREs	754	202	13	42	530	1,074	2,615
	ACRES	38,361	5,326	187	4,334	33,803	461,577	543,588
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	1,678	556	41	47	1,717	747	4,786
	ACRES	172,896	68,519	4,274	1,944	669,182	181,708	1,098,523
Eastern Area	FIREs	834		65	20	8,951	641	10,511
	ACRES	2,010		4,823	403	87,447	12,554	107,237
Southern Area	FIREs	633		81	46	16,137	652	17,549
	ACRES	122,866		34,321	16,752	267,575	82,314	523,828
TOTAL	FIREs	5,558	2,978	321	356	36,483	6,968	52,664
	ACRES	828,321	3,331,432	96,626	138,296	1,778,370	2,838,915	9,011,960

Ten Year Average Fires	67,516
Ten Year Average Acres	7,015,504

*** 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
	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						69	69
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						3	3
Southern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES					1	2	3
	ACRES					7	19	26
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						44	44
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						53	53
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES					28		28
	ACRES					308		308
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	29	5	34
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	315	188	503

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				2	11	15	28
	ACRES				18	13,449	218	13,685
Northwest	FIRES	20	92	21	3		485	621
	ACRES	4,053	8,657	1,986	39		46,808	61,543
Northern California	FIRES	5	13	35	28	3	171	255
	ACRES	121	203	1,752	316	15	10,287	12,694
Southern California	FIRES		7	13	6	6	131	163
	ACRES		2,421	2,781	1,008	1,831	5,084	13,125
Northern Rockies	FIRES	26	15	75	5	135	305	561
	ACRES	3,060	4,690	18,436	240	5,699	23,152	55,277
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		12	3	4	31	67	117
	ACRES		1,304	245	230	881	25,630	28,290
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	4	4	15	4	31
	ACRES		825	419	1,657	3,092	243	6,236
Southwest	FIRES	29	19	12	19		156	235
	ACRES	1,230	8,919	5,515	2,345		53,057	71,066
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	41	13	116	22	24	57	273
	ACRES	5,423	1,543	24,710	2,487	1,283	8,834	44,280
Eastern Area	FIRES	37		509	51	983	164	1,744
	ACRES	22,116		83,814	9,441	58,729	57,944	232,044
Southern Area	FIRES	21		153	54	9,687	878	10,793
	ACRES	4,543		61,603	39,434	499,246	827,615	1,432,441
TOTAL	FIRES	179	175	941	198	10,895	2,433	14,821
	ACRES	40,546	28,562	201,261	57,215	584,225	1,058,872	1,970,681

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

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