

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Saturday July 19, 2014 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 3**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (94 new fires)
New large fires:	0(*)
Large fires contained:	6
Uncontained large fires: **	29
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	6
Type 2 IMTs committed:	13

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

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

Northwest Area (PL 5)

New fires:	17
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	24
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	4
Type 2 IMTs committed:	13

Carlton Complex, Northeast Region, DNR. IMT 1 (Opliger), IMT 2 (Rabe), IMT 2 (Allbee) and NIMO (Hahnenberg). Seven miles south of Twisp, WA. Timber, light logging slash and brush. Extreme fire behavior. Communities of Brewster and Malott threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Chiwaukum Creek, Okanogan/Wenatchee NF. IMT 1 (Lewis). IMT is also managing the Mills Canyon fire. Nine miles northwest of Leavenworth, WA. Timber, heavy logging slash and brush. Active fire behavior with short crown runs and spotting. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Mills Canyon, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. Two miles southwest of Entiat, WA. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened. Area closures in effect.

Waterman Complex, John Day Unit, Oregon DOF. IMT 2 (D. Johnson). Twenty miles northeast of Mitchell, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with crown runs and long-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect. Area and road closures in effect.

Shaniko Butte, Warm Springs Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Williams). Fifteen miles north of Warm Springs, OR. Juniper, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with torching and long-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

Bridge 99 Complex, Deschutes NF. IMT 2 (Fillis). Twenty miles north of Sisters, OR. Mixed conifer, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with group torching and long-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, area and road closures in effect.

Buzzard Complex (6 fires), Burns District, BLM. IMT 1 (Poncin) and IMT 2 (Watts). Includes previously reported Lamb Ranch fire. Thirteen miles northwest of Riverside, OR. Juniper, brush and grass. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

Pittsburg, Wallowa-Whitman NF. IMT 2 (B. Johnson). Twenty-one miles southwest of Grangeville, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Sunflower, Umatilla NF. IMT 2 (Wilde). Ten miles north of Monument, OR. Timber. Crowning, running and spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Pine Creek, Prineville District, BLM. IMT 2 (Fry). IMT is also managing the Jack Knife fire. Eleven miles south of Fossil, OR. Juniper, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching. Residences threatened.

Jack Knife, Prineville District, BLM. Eight miles southeast of Grass Valley, OR. Juniper, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering.

Bingham Complex (2 fires), Willamette NF. IMT 2 (Nickey). Five miles east of Marion Forks, OR. Timber. Group torching . Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Moccasin Hill, Klamath Unit, Oregon DOF. IMT 2 (Cline). Four miles north of Sprague River, OR. Timber and brush. Smoldering.

White River, The Dalles Unit, Oregon DOF. IMT 2 (Buckman). Fifteen miles west of Maupin, OR. Timber. No new information. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

R Road, Spokane District, BLM. Ten miles east of Mansfield, WA. Brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering.

Gumboot, Burns District, BLM. Four miles north of Riley, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Oscar Canyon, Prineville District, BLM. Thirteen miles east of Post, OR. Juniper, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering with isolated torching. No new information.

Hurricane Creek, Wallowa-Whitman NF. Four miles southwest of Joseph, OR. Timber. Isolated interior torching. Residences threatened. Area closures in effect.

Logging Unit, Warm Springs Agency, BIA. IMT 1 (Schulte). Twenty-six miles northwest of Warm Springs, OR. Timber. No new information.

Lone Mountain 1, North Cascades NP. IMT 2 (Hutton). Three miles northeast of Stehekin, WA. Timber and brush. No new information.

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
Carlton Complex	WA	NES	167,713	120,351	0	UNK	760	135	10	76	6	0	2.5M	ST
Chiwaukum Creek	WA	OWF	8,418	3,838	0	UNK	534	93	15	57	8	0	1.5M	FS
Mills Canyon	WA	SES	22,571	0	75	UNK	411	-94	8	21	0	3	8.4M	ST
Waterman Complex	OR	952S	7,865	1,825	35	UNK	760	34	23	26	5	0	2.2M	ST
Shaniko Butte	OR	WSA	27,000	2,000	20	UNK	562	109	16	17	3	2	1.5M	BIA
Bridge 99 Complex	OR	DEF	6,700	2,800	N/A	N/A	449	31	10	18	4	0	1.2M	FS
Buzzard Complex	OR	BUD	368,961	96,609	20	UNK	1,211	155	34	52	5	4	3.4M	BLM
Pittsburg	OR	WWF	8,000	0	30	7/21	317	15	9	8	1	0	1M	FS
Sunflower	OR	UMF	3,059	1,059	10	UNK	299	173	10	10	0	0	610K	FS
Pine Creek	OR	PRD	25,259	10,075	5	UNK	405	126	13	24	3	0	587K	BLM
Jack Knife	OR	PRD	12,850	0	45	UNK	135	3	5	8	1	3	371K	BLM
Bingham Complex	OR	WIF	477	-61	N/A	N/A	416	70	12	1	6	0	950K	FS
Moccasin Hill	OR	981S	2,535	0	95	7/19	364	-229	9	21	3	35	3.1M	ST
White River	OR	954S	652	---	95	UNK	458	---	15	8	6	0	1.8M	ST
R Road	WA	SPD	4,300	0	95	UNK	0	-56	0	0	0	0	150K	BLM
Gumboot	OR	BUD	4,420	0	90	UNK	105	-4	1	3	0	0	750K	BLM
Oscar Canyon	OR	PRD	315	---	79	UNK	40	---	0	2	1	0	15K	BLM
Hurricane Creek	OR	WWF	120	0	10	7/23	100	-24	1	0	3	0	350K	FS
Logging Unit	OR	WSA	600	---	0	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	14K	BIA
Lone Mountain 1	WA	NCP	300	---	0	UNK	24	---	0	0	1	0	10K	NPS
Radio Tower	OR	VAD	3,320	20	100	---	0	-46	0	0	0	0	130K	BLM

VAD – Vale District BLM

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires:	7
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs committed	1

Whiskey Complex (3 fires), Boise NF. IMT 1 (Harvey). Three miles south of Garden Valley, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with group torching. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Preacher, Twin Falls District, BLM. Ten miles northeast of Richfield, ID. Brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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
Whiskey Complex	ID	BOF	7,820	3,066	5	7/30	662	284	23	21	13	1	NR	FS
Preacher	ID	TFD	33,867	0	95	UNK	90	0	1	19	1	1	650K	BLM
Cambridge	ID	1BN	388	0	100	---	0	-47	0	0	0	0	225K	CNTY

1BN – Bannock County

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 35
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Bully, Shasta-Trinity Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Estes). Twenty-one miles southwest of Redding, CA. Mixed conifer, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with isolated single tree torching. Structures threatened. Road closures 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
Bully	CA	SHU	12,661	1,461	56	7/23	2,378	3	69	121	12	18	13.7M	ST

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 9
 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
Nicolls	CA	SQF	1,680	0	100	---	55	0	2	0	2	0	7M	FS

SQF – Sequoia NF

Western Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires: 2
 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
Evans	NV	HTF	633	0	100	---	47	-18	1	5	0	0	500K	FS

HTF – Humboldt-Toiyabe NF

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires:	9
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
WF Unit 7 2014	TX	MCR	3,708	-392	100	---	1	---	0	0	0	0	30K	FWS
WF Middleton 2014	TX	AHR	1,873	-127	100	---	1	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FWS

MCR – McFaddin NWR, FWS

AHR – Anahuac NWR, FWS

Other Fires

(As of July 18)

GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AK	0	0	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	0	0	0	0	0	0
EB	0	0	0	0	0	0
WB	1	205	0	0	0	10
SW	0	0	0	0	0	0
RM	1	528	0	1	0	4
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	1	958	0	0	0	2
Total	3	1,691	0	1	0	16

Predictive Services Discussion: It will be breezy today in the Pacific Northwest, but cooler temperatures and increasing dew points will provide higher relative humidity values. Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms are expected in northern Washington and Idaho as a trough of low pressure begins to dive southward. California, Nevada, and the Four Corners region of the southwest U.S. will also see showers and thunderstorms associated with moisture trapped under a high pressure ridge. The Gulf Coast states through the Appalachian Mountains can expect rainfall and thunderstorms along a stalled frontal boundary being fed by a rich moisture tap.

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



NO COMMUNICATION LINK WITH CREW MEMBERS, SUPERVISORS & ADJOINING FORCES

Fire Communication Category

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.
 - Do you need a repeater setup or can an experienced firefighter act as a human repeater?
- 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.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	1	2	0	0	4	10	17
	ACRES	375	2,928	0	330	30,062	1,285	34,980
Northern California	FIRES	3	0	0	0	8	24	35
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	517	4	522
Southern California	FIRES	0	2	0	3	0	4	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	1	0	6	7
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	4	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	4	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	54	1,429	1,483
Western Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southwest	FIRES	1	1	0	0	0	2	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1,452	1,452
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	2	0	0	3	1	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	7	1	0	8
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	44	0	44
TOTAL	FIRES	5	7	0	3	28	51	94
	ACRES	376	2,928	0	338	30,678	4,185	38,505

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs	0	33	0	0	267	14	314
	ACRES	0	26,022	0	0	201,230	5	227,257
Northwest	FIREs	160	97	40	13	469	380	1,159
	ACRES	4,166	44,038	140	630	66,435	9,531	124,940
Northern California	FIREs	57	10	4	3	1,801	329	2,204
	ACRES	36	15,035	23	30	27,918	3,218	46,260
Southern California	FIREs	28	49	10	26	1,735	286	2,134
	ACRES	231	1,448	511	21	18,790	8,131	29,132
Northern Rockies	FIREs	435	23	4	0	310	142	914
	ACRES	3,078	1,255	227	0	3,497	234	8,291
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	28	237	0	16	345	178	804
	ACRES	1,071	54,538	0	124	4,145	7,833	67,711
Western Great Basin	FIREs	4	160	1	15	34	44	258
	ACRES	18	28,903	0	7	70	1,364	30,362
Southwest	FIREs	406	128	11	32	531	537	1,645
	ACRES	112,732	1,361	577	6,167	14,429	44,802	180,068
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	342	196	21	12	470	134	1,175
	ACRES	1,982	1,008	1,188	2,104	34,065	508	40,855
Eastern Area	FIREs	408	0	44	22	4,574	292	5,340
	ACRES	602	0	1,488	186	33,325	4,881	40,482
Southern Area	FIREs	378	0	78	26	13,404	465	14,351
	ACRES	110,704	0	4,150	282	240,506	34,671	390,313
TOTAL	FIREs	2,246	933	213	165	23,940	2,801	30,298
	ACRES	234,620	173,608	8,304	9,551	644,410	115,178	1,185,671

Ten Year Average Fires	43,730
Ten Year Average Acres	3,577,060

*** 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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Western Great Basin	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	80	0	0	0	80
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	125	0	125
TOTAL	FIREs	0	0	1	0	4	0	5
	ACRES	0	0	80	0	125	0	205

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIREs	0	7	0	0	0	0	7
	ACRES	0	59,591	0	0	0	0	59,591
Northwest	FIREs	7	46	6	3	1	162	225
	ACRES	1,166	11,255	2,937	37	1	20,825	36,221
Northern California	FIREs	2	3	16	9	0	127	157
	ACRES	56	135	7,322	60	0	5,950	13,523
Southern California	FIREs	2	5	3	6	0	71	87
	ACRES	9	277	191	454	0	2,082	3,013
Northern Rockies	FIREs	10	20	43	4	11	114	202
	ACRES	792	8,090	9,365	3,253	241	16,120	37,861
Eastern Great Basin	FIREs	3	14	5	7	30	58	117
	ACRES	355	4,062	2,184	56	1,006	18,576	26,239
Western Great Basin	FIREs	0	3	1	0	7	3	14
	ACRES	0	716	300	0	147	216	1,379
Southwest	FIREs	3	16	7	0	1	47	74
	ACRES	1,600	16,408	1,959	0	75	19,354	39,396
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	21	35	92	18	66	73	305
	ACRES	1,802	2,731	19,531	4,833	2,339	10,256	41,492
Eastern Area	FIREs	53	0	304	42	1,167	165	1,731
	ACRES	58,417	0	45,999	5,541	70,782	63,769	244,508
Southern Area	FIREs	88	0	179	26	7,433	863	8,589
	ACRES	17,721	0	66,710	24,863	338,567	887,280	1,335,141
TOTAL	FIREs	189	149	656	115	8,716	1,683	11,508
	ACRES	81,918	103,265	156,498	39,097	413,158	1,044,428	1,838,364

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

Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	0	0	588	103,056
Yukon Territory	0	165	24	728
Alberta	14	545	863	16,357
Northwest Territory	5	1,001	221	869,101
Saskatchewan	4	207	235	119,894
Manitoba	1	0	105	1,415
Ontario	1	29	156	4,285
Quebec	1	39	168	35,791
Newfoundland	0	0	57	1,934
New Brunswick	0	0	146	100
Nova Scotia	0	0	140	429
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	43	95,689
Total	26	1,985	2,746	1,248,780

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 change, and therefore may not match official year-to-date agency records.

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