

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, December 09, 2016 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (Dec. 6 – Dec. 8)

Initial attack activity:	Light (62 new fires)
New large incidents:	0
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:**	3
Area Command Teams Committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

**Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	46
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Chimney Tops 2, Great Smoky Mountains NP. IMT 1 (Dueitt). IMT is also managing the Cobbly Nob fire. Five miles south of Gatlinburg, TN. Dormant brush, hardwood slash and hardwood litter. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Cobbly Nob, Tennessee DOF. Ten miles east of Gatlinburg, TN. Dormant brush, hardwood slash and hardwood litter. Minimal fire behavior. Area and trail closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Rock Mountain, Chattahoochee-Oconee NF. Two miles south of Tate City, GA. Hardwood litter and timber. Minimal fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Chimney Tops 2	TN-GSP	17,006	0	91	Ctn	12/20	322	-243	5	18	3	2,066	5.9M	NPS
Cobbly Nob	TN-TNS	756	-47	92	Ctn	12/20	78	-76	3	12	0	108	265K	ST
Rock Mountain	GA-CHF	24,725	0	95	Ctn	12/15	104	0	0	6	0	0	15M	FS

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	15	100,479.1	19	58	5	958
Total	15	100,479.1	19	58	5	958

Fires and Acres December 6 – 8 (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	7	0	0	0	0	1	8
	ACRES	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
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	46	0	46
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	504	382	886
TOTAL FIRES:		7	0	0	0	49	6	62
TOTAL ACRES:		3	0	0	0	504	389	896

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	183	0	0	357	19	559
	ACRES	0	390,706	0	0	104,837	3	495,546
Northwest Area	FIRES	299	259	30	26	1,267	685	2,566
	ACRES	41,132	353,028	2,778	5,042	61,536	48,386	511,902
Northern California Area	FIRES	111	9	1	26	2,769	434	3,350
	ACRES	145	227	1	5	50,226	46,110	96,714
Southern California Area	FIRES	15	94	11	55	3,223	444	3,842
	ACRES	5,971	30,049	405	1,147	124,321	311,109	473,002
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	800	101	11	27	1,278	474	2,691
	ACRES	14,733	6,050	2,013	61,914	55,633	61,513	201,856
Great Basin Area	FIRES	35	753	8	58	659	546	2,059
	ACRES	12,439	303,226	3	25,696	139,225	281,056	761,645
Southwest Area	FIRES	900	260	11	68	1,063	1,185	3,487
	ACRES	82,125	66,570	6,976	32,340	133,526	261,196	582,733
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	855	449	14	24	1,341	747	3,430
	ACRES	26,644	35,085	615	2,140	517,241	99,524	681,249
Eastern Area	FIRES	519	0	31	53	9,187	448	10,238
	ACRES	2,209	0	1,113	966	61,292	9,076	74,656
Southern Area	FIRES	404	1	60	80	27,226	755	28,526
	ACRES	134,045	1	1,556	28,956	1,149,232	113,314	1,427,104
TOTAL FIRES:		3,938	2,109	177	417	48,370	5,737	60,748
TOTAL ACRES:		319,443	1,184,942	15,460	158,206	2,397,069	1,231,287	5,306,407

Ten Year Average Fires (2006 – 2015 as of today)	67,318
Ten Year Average Acres (2006 – 2015 as of today)	6,512,820

Prescribed Fires and Acres December 6 – 8 (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	88	0	0	0	0	88
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	9	9
	ACRES	0	75	0	0	0	2,643	2,718
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	263	263
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	26	26
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	0	2	4
	ACRES	0	72	0	0	21	298	391
Southwest Area	FIRES	1	1	0	0	3	8	13
	ACRES	60	2	0	0	40	587	689
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	10	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	57	2,989	3,046
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	40	0	40
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	297	0	297
TOTAL FIRES:		1	4	0	0	44	37	86
TOTAL ACRES:		60	237	0	0	415	6,806	7,518

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	2	0	2	1	5
	ACRES	0	0	18	0	33,218	38	33,274
Northwest Area	FIRES	14	136	20	2	9	467	648
	ACRES	9,554	14,852	1,159	29	1,128	66,248	92,970
Northern California Area	FIRES	8	3	11	18	0	255	295
	ACRES	103	336	3,813	2,702	0	26,844	33,798
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	5	11	5	0	162	183
	ACRES	0	71	2,162	1,391	0	6,157	9,781
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	15	34	59	13	102	473	696
	ACRES	5,636	6,437	14,333	956	5,658	27,626	60,646
Great Basin Area	FIRES	4	37	10	15	47	115	228
	ACRES	184	8,426	5,622	2,575	2,133	39,421	58,361
Southwest Area	FIRES	34	33	3	9	9	190	278
	ACRES	24,066	26,943	92	2,349	3,425	96,734	153,609
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	39	38	73	35	73	119	377
	ACRES	9,441	5,306	30,499	13,891	4,695	48,160	111,992
Eastern Area	FIRES	87	0	369	41	1,301	272	2,070
	ACRES	45,614	0	52,415	7,180	89,862	57,426	252,497
Southern Area	FIRES	24	0	197	69	12,756	948	13,994
	ACRES	4,767	0	162,624	51,834	729,591	849,885	1,798,701
TOTAL FIRES:		225	286	755	207	14,299	3,002	18,774
TOTAL ACRES:		99,365	62,371	272,737	82,907	869,710	1,218,539	2,605,629

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***

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

Predictive Services Discussion: The Northwestern states will remain under the influence of a slow moving frontal system that is expected to bring widespread snow to mountain locations and a mix of snow and rain to lower elevations through Saturday. The Arctic airmass that gripped much of the country will weaken as it moves off to the East into the Atlantic by Sunday. However, another is expected to drop south into the continental United States Tuesday and Wednesday bringing another shot of cold air along with pockets of snow. Strong storms will be possible across portions of the Southeast Wednesday as the front moves into the region. Look for warm and dry conditions to continue across the Southwest through next week as a dry and periodically breezy Westerly flow continues. Alaska will continue to experience warmer than average temperatures with snow limited mainly to areas along the Gulf Coast.

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



EXTENDED ATTACK

Operational Engagement Category

After your initial size-up of the fire and/or transfer of command from an initial attack IC, answer the following questions. Repeat this analysis whenever there is a change, or predicted change, in fire conditions.

- Do you have a current fire weather forecast for the fire location?
- Is the observed fire weather consistent with the forecast?
- Have you established a new organizational structure and communicated it to the other forces associated with the fire?
- Can you control the fire with the resources available (either on the incident or soon to be on the incident) under expected conditions?
- Have you developed a plan to attack the fire?
 - Direct or indirect
 - Anchor points
 - Escape routes
 - Head or flank attack
 - Priority areas
- Have you communicated this to all personnel assigned to the incident, including new arrivals?
- Can you see all of the fire area?
- Can you communicate with everyone on the fire and with dispatch?
- Are escape routes established?
 - If you are using the black, is it completely burned and without a reburn potential?
- Are safety and the standard fire orders being followed and/or mitigated?
- Will you contain the fire before the next operational period?
- Have you reported the status of the fire to dispatch?
- Do you have a complete list of what resources have been ordered for the fire?

References:

Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations

Incident Response Pocket Guide

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