

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, April 6, 2018 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (720) new fires
New large incidents:	9
Large fires contained:	11
Uncontained large fires:**	11
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

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

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

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	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	1	250	1	1	0	31
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	1	262	2	2	0	52
RMCC	1	300	0	9	0	25
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	21	54,681	5	66	4	392
Total	24	55,493	8	78	4	500

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	574
New large incidents:	7
Uncontained large fires:	11

Greenway (11), Florida Forest Service. Sixteen miles southeast of Naples, FL. Southern rough. Minimal fire behavior.

* **FM 294**, Texas A & M Forest Service. Started on private land ten miles southeast of Claude, TX. Tall grass. Active fire behavior with single tree torching and creeping. Structures threatened.

Firebreak 56 (23), Florida Forest Service. Eight miles east of Mexico Beach, FL. Southern rough. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Spoonbill**, Big Cypress National Preserve, NPS. Thirty miles east of Naples, FL. Southern rough and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area closures in effect.

Context, Everglades NP. Three miles northwest of Homestead, FL. Tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Colony**, Concho Agency, BIA. One mile east of Colony, OK. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened.

* **Greenwood 2**, Francis Marion & Sumter NF. Seven miles west of Jamestown SC. Hardwood litter, timber and southern rough. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and wind-driven runs.

Old Blade Line (53), Florida Forest Service. Ten miles southeast of Lake Wales, FL. Southern rough. Minimal fire behavior.

Fobb Creek, Southeast Area, Oklahoma DOF. Five miles northeast of Daisy, OK. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

County Line, Northeast Area, Oklahoma DOF. Eleven miles east of Tahlequah, OK. Timber and short grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Hairpin, East Central Area, Oklahoma DOF. Twelve miles northeast of Clayton, OK. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Windy Lane, Southeast Area, Oklahoma DOF. Six miles south of Atoka, OK. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Greenway (11)	FL-FLS	17,957	1,081	95	Ctn	04/11	15	-45	0	2	0	4	399K	ST
* FM 294	TX-TXS	14,824	---	80	Ctn	04/07	8	---	0	1	0	5	1K	PRI
Firebreak 56 (23)	FL-FLS	8,080	80	90	Ctn	UNK	48	32	0	11	0	0	294K	ST
* Spoonbill	FL-BCP	1,843	---	40	Ctn	05/01	43	---	1	0	2	0	200K	NPS
Context	FL-EVP	1,047	472	25	Comp	05/01	53	24	1	7	1	0	230K	NPS
* Colony	OK-COA	586	---	60	Ctn	04/08	116	---	1	22	0	0	400K	BIA
* Greenwood 2	SC-FMF	450	---	80	Ctn	UNK	18	---	0	5	1	0	8K	FS
Old Blade Line (53)	FL-FLS	450	0	60	Ctn	4/10	1	-9	0	1	0	0	89K	ST
Fobb Creek	OK-SEU	420	---	80	Ctn	UNK	4	---	0	2	0	0	4K	ST
County Line	OK-NEU	371	---	97	Ctn	UNK	4	---	0	2	0	0	7K	ST
Hairpin	OK-ECU	182	---	71	Ctn	UNK	4	---	0	2	0	0	1K	ST
Windy Lane	OK-SEU	175	---	80	Ctn	UNK	9	---	0	6	0	0	4K	ST
Drumb	OK-OSA	3,951	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-33	0	0	0	0	15K	BIA
W Boundary Rd (26)	FL-FLS	2,940	311	100	Ctn	---	17	-29	0	3	0	0	294K	ST
Walker	OK-COA	1,922	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-13	0	0	0	0	40K	BIA
Why	OK-OSA	767	0	100	Ctn	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	8K	BIA
Tall Pine 2 (06)	FL-FLS	715	0	100	Ctn	---	4	-14	0	2	1	0	22K	ST
* Old House Bay	NC-NCS	553	---	100	Ctn	---	21	---	0	0	0	0	50K	ST

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Jane Shaw Road	NC-NCS	319	---	100	Ctn	---	5	---	0	1	0	0	9K	ST
Pioneer Trail (64)	FL-FLS	204	0	100	Ctn	---	1	-28	0	1	0	0	28K	ST
* Pine Loop	NC-NCS	200	---	100	Ctn	---	5	---	0	2	0	0	20K	ST

OSA – Osage Agency, BIA

NCS – North Carolina Forest Service

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires:	16
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	0

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* County Road 56	CO-YMX	1,783	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	C&L
* Rock	KS-SWX	300	---	100	Ctn	---	25	---	0	9	0	0	1K	C&L

YMX – Yuma County

SWX – Seward County

Fires and Acres Last Week (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	7	1	0	0	0	0	8
	ACRES	192	0	0	0	0	0	192
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	38	2	40
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	10	32	42
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	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	1	3	0	1	22	1	28
	ACRES	38	10	0	0	26	0	74
Southwest Area	FIRES	17	5	0	1	16	8	47
	ACRES	24	11	0	1	5,139	136	5,311
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	2	2	0	0	12	0	16
	ACRES	75	2	0	0	327	80	484
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Southern Area	FIRES	12	0	1	1	551	9	574
	ACRES	154	0	200	1,843	4,529	534	7,260
TOTAL FIRES:		39	11	1	3	645	21	720
TOTAL ACRES:		483	23	200	1,844	10,036	783	13,369

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIREs	13	6	1	0	26	12	58
	ACRES	203	50	4	0	106	0	363
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	6	0	0	196	14	216
	ACRES	0	10	0	0	130	45	185
Southern California Area	FIREs	4	1	0	1	433	27	466
	ACRES	1	28	0	250	2,250	8	2,537
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	2	4	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	425	0	425
Great Basin Area	FIREs	3	35	0	5	63	7	113
	ACRES	44	727	0	0	1,881	13	2,665
Southwest Area	FIREs	135	36	1	6	160	73	411
	ACRES	572	599	215	688	42,432	1,041	45,547
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	36	11	4	1	128	14	194
	ACRES	940	36	1,528	6	54,722	104	57,336
Eastern Area	FIREs	4	0	0	1	387	99	491
	ACRES	1	0	0	1	462	4,644	5,108
Southern Area	FIREs	287	67	21	22	10,220	180	10,797
	ACRES	86,932	310	1,472	6,456	300,714	20,438	416,322
TOTAL FIRES:		483	163	27	36	11,615	430	12,754
TOTAL ACRES:		88,693	1,760	3,219	7,401	403,122	26,293	530,488

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	13,187
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	617,869

Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northwest Area	FIREs	3	0	0	0	0	1	4
	ACRES	321	0	0	0	0	298	619
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	1	0	1	7	9
	ACRES	0	0	5	103	0	2,752	2,860
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	859	859
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	766	766
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	242	0	0	0	1,485	1,727
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	4	2	0	0	2	8
	ACRES	0	618	1,760	0	0	50	2,428
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	1	1	4	10	16
	ACRES	0	0	23	35	171	2,127	2,356
Southern Area	FIREs	2	0	6	2	2,743	51	2,804
	ACRES	993	0	4,093	2	109,183	58,211	172,482
TOTAL FIRES:		5	5	10	3	2,749	75	2,847
TOTAL ACRES:		1,314	860	5,881	140	109,355	66,548	184,098

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	56	0	0	0	56
Northwest Area	FIREs	4	22	6	2	0	53	87
	ACRES	344	1,670	985	5	0	7,931	10,935
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	3	5	8	0	105	121
	ACRES	0	1,792	120	176	0	12,867	14,955
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	94	95
	ACRES	0	65	0	0	0	9,890	9,955
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	5	0	0	1	5	11
	ACRES	0	174	0	0	6	273	453
Great Basin Area	FIREs	2	13	1	5	30	43	94
	ACRES	75	793	34	80	365	5,337	6,684
Southwest Area	FIREs	10	14	5	3	1	69	102
	ACRES	1,676	12,960	193	86	51	22,042	37,008
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	5	24	5	9	28	99	170
	ACRES	111	1,344	3,074	263	1,722	36,392	42,906
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	41	15	233	82	371
	ACRES	0	0	4,562	6,877	17,315	33,721	62,475
Southern Area	FIREs	74	0	123	26	37,227	682	38,132
	ACRES	19,819	0	82,817	102,632	1,795,004	689,312	2,689,584
TOTAL FIRES:		95	82	189	68	37,520	1,232	39,186
TOTAL ACRES:		22,025	18,798	91,841	110,119	1,814,463	817,765	2,875,011

*** 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: An unseasonably strong late season upper level trough will bring cold temperatures that will slow greenup to the central and northern Great Plains. Pockets of snow are expected Friday from Wyoming southeast into Kansas and also along the Great Lakes. Widespread valley rain and high elevation snow is expected Saturday from Southern California north to the Canadian border and east into the Northern Rockies and the Great Basin. Precipitation from this system is expected to be heavy along coastal areas and in the higher terrain. As the storm crosses the Continental Divide Saturday night, moderate to heavy snowfall will fall across the Great Plains from Kansas north to the Canadian border. This is a large system. South of the system, from West Texas westward through New Mexico and Arizona, expect critical fire weather conditions from a windy, dry westerly flow mainly. As the storm moves east Sunday night, high pressure will move into the West and produce a warming and drying trend Monday. The active pattern will continue Tuesday through Thursday as wet systems move across the west every 24 hours or so. Critical fire weather conditions will be possible again Thursday as a breezy southwesterly flow develops ahead of an approaching front over Arizona and the Four Corners.

In Alaska, another low pressure area will close off over the Interior and keep temperatures around normal. Precipitation associated with the developing system will be limited mainly to the Yukon Territory Friday. The system will begin to weaken Saturday and will begin to move off to the east. By Monday, a weak high pressure ridge will maintain. The extraordinarily boring weather pattern will continue through the end of the work week as a weak westerly flow develops. Some breeziness may develop over by Fort Yukon by Thursday, but that's about the only noteworthy thing to mention in the models right now.

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



Hazard Tree Secure Felling Area

Felling Safety Category

The following fundamental safety principles for tree felling operations have been established based on repeated lessons learned following serious accidents. To protect sawyers, swampers, and operational personnel from exposure to potential traumatic injury or death during tree felling operations, the following safety procedures should be applied to all felling activities. Fireline supervisors should continue to monitor all felling operations to ensure the following safe job procedures are consistently applied:



- A secure felling area, **MINIMUM OF TWO AND ONE HALF (2.5) TIMES THE HEIGHT OF THE MATERIAL BEING FELLED IN ALL DIRECTIONS**, needs to be established and maintained by the faller during all tree felling operations. In addition, the entire downhill side on slopes must be secured if materials can fall/role for a long, unpredictable distance.
- No one shall be permitted in the secured felling area without the authorization of the faller.
- The faller shall establish a safety zone outside the secured area, and direct **EVERYONE** to remain there until all felling is completed, and an "all clear" has been communicated.
- Safety zones should be established, whenever practical, in the opposite direction of the planned fall, and at a distance of at least 2.5 times the height of the trees being felled.
- The faller shall assign lookout(s). The lookout(s) shall have reliable communications with the faller, and other personnel adjacent to the secure areas.
- Competent lookouts shall be established and maintained by the faller at all major access points of roads and trails that afford access to the secured felling area.
- The faller will ensure that no hazards remain such as hang-ups, unstable logs, or other dangers before approving access or leaving the secured area

Resources: [Hazard Tree Safety Web Page](#), [Incident Response Pocket Guide](#), [Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations](#), [Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide](#)