

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, February 23, 2018 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (471) new fires
New large incidents:	7
Large fires contained:	9
Uncontained large fires:**	1
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	2,070	16	14	0	313
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	2	3,224	0	2	0	14
RMCC	1	350	0	10	0	28
EACC	1	1,926	0	0	0	2
SACC	10	5,362.2	4	26	0	111
Total	15	12,932.2	20	52	0	468

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	2
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

* **Pleasant**, San Bernardino Unit, Cal Fire. Seven miles northwest of Bishop, CA. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources				Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli				
* Pleasant	CA-BDU	2,070	---	85	Ctn	02/26	313	---	16	14	0	0	1.6M	ST	

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 400
 New large incidents: 4
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Red Horse	OK-OKS	2,549	---	100	Ctn	---	48	---	0	18	0	0	232K	ST
* Atacr	MS-MNF	508	---	100	Comp	---	14	---	0	1	0	0	9K	FS
HWY 34 & 73	OK-OKS	500	100	100	Ctn	---	4	-54	0	2	0	0	17K	ST
* Point Set Marsh	FL-FLS	425	---	100	Ctn	---	1	---	0	0	0	0	4K	ST
* Shelter	OK-OMA	387	---	100	Ctn	---	14	---	1	1	0	0	10K	BIA

OKS – Oklahoma DOF MSF – National Forests in Mississippi
 OMA – Okmulgee Agency, BIA

FLS – Florida Forest Service

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 11
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Knobb Hill	AZ-A3S	2,896	0	100	Ctn	---	6	-71	0	1	0	0	156K	ST
Gould	AZ-CRA	328	0	100	Ctn	---	8	-31	0	1	0	0	32K	BIA

A3S – Southeast District, Arizona DOF

CRA – Colorado River Agency, BIA

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 10
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rozell	MO-MTF	1,926	1,526	100	Ctn	---	2	-17	0	0	0	6	30K	FS

MTF – Mark Twain NF

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* 43	CO-BAX	352	---	100	Ctn	---	42	---	0	11	0	0	1K	C&L
* Middle Sand Creek	CO-BAX	350	---	100	Ctn	---	28	---	0	10	0	0	1K	C&L

BAX – Baca 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	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	32	4	37
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	49	7	56
Southern California Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	28	0	0	0	0	28
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	2	0	0	5	0	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
Southwest Area	FIREs	6	2	0	0	3	0	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	12	0	12
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	364	3	367
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2,087	2,087
Southern Area	FIREs	10	0	0	0	386	4	400
	ACRES	471	0	0	0	2,756	33	3,260
TOTAL FIRES:		17	5	0	0	428	21	471
TOTAL ACRES:		471	28	0	0	3,194	2,130	5,823

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	0	1	0	0	2	4	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	4	0	0	98	10	112
	ACRES	0	1	0	0	84	11	96
Southern California Area	FIREs	1	1	0	0	157	20	179
	ACRES	0	28	0	0	25	6	59
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	1	14	0	1	18	5	39
	ACRES	2	642	0	0	595	13	1,252
Southwest Area	FIREs	51	16	0	2	39	28	136
	ACRES	499	27	0	20	2,950	46	3,542
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	6	1	0	0	22	4	33
	ACRES	6	11	0	0	3,973	12	4,002
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	43	33	76
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	19	3,863	3,882
Southern Area	FIREs	137	52	7	2	4,753	56	5,007
	ACRES	24,745	261	987	10	70,818	4,001	100,822
TOTAL FIRES:		196	90	7	5	5,132	161	5,591
TOTAL ACRES:		25,252	970	987	30	78,465	7,952	113,656

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	4,567
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	105,461

Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week (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	28	0	0	0	25	53
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	1	1	7	10
	ACRES	0	40	0	11	1,500	1,399	2,950
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	388	388
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	2	0	0	1	5	8
	ACRES	20	6	0	7	12	46	91
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	1	1	1	0	6	9
	ACRES	0	1	40	74	0	405	520
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	1	1	4	3	15	24
	ACRES	0	1	1	136	515	9,402	10,055
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	4	0	0	0	4
Southern Area	FIREs	5	0	9	0	4,463	32	4,509
	ACRES	783	0	3,841	0	110,966	34,965	150,555
TOTAL FIRES:		5	6	12	6	4,468	71	4,568
TOTAL ACRES:		803	76	3,886	228	112,993	46,630	164,616

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	0	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	55	0	0	0	55
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	20	0	0	0	43	63
	ACRES	0	1,653	0	0	0	5,413	7,066
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	3	2	5	0	74	84
	ACRES	0	1,792	6	33	0	8,273	10,104
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	36	37
	ACRES	0	15	0	0	0	4,902	4,917
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	4	0	0	1	4	9
	ACRES	0	152	0	0	6	89	247
Great Basin Area	FIREs	2	7	0	4	20	37	70
	ACRES	56	50	0	55	299	4,283	4,743
Southwest Area	FIREs	10	6	3	3	1	46	69
	ACRES	1,672	426	90	86	51	7,479	9,804
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	5	10	1	9	22	78	125
	ACRES	111	136	1	153	1,030	31,812	33,243
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	15	1	8	20	44
	ACRES	0	0	656	7	1,584	785	3,032
Southern Area	FIREs	47	0	54	6	20,871	224	21,202
	ACRES	13,313	0	46,091	7,492	643,121	189,202	899,219
TOTAL FIRES:		64	51	77	28	20,923	562	21,705
TOTAL ACRES:		15,152	4,224	46,899	7,826	646,091	252,238	972,430

*** 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 forecast week begins with a large, cold, and snowy upper level low pressure area positioned over the northwestern states and a warm ridge of high pressure over the eastern states. The low pressure area is beginning to add much needed snowpack to the southern Cascades and the Sierras. Snowpack across the Northern Rockies continues to add to its surplus of snow. The northern Cascades are near normal for snow and should be above normal by the end of the forecast period. This system, while moist, could bring a period of critical fire weather conditions to New Mexico and West Texas on Friday as gusty downsloping winds create dry air over areas currently experiencing drought. A second, weaker system is expected to move into the northwestern quarter of the country Saturday briefly bringing more snow. It's a fast mover, so by Saturday night it will be moving into Colorado as a third, stronger system begins to move into the Pacific Northwest from the Gulf of Alaska. This third system should take more of a southerly track as it dives south through Oregon, California, and the Great Basin. The Four Corners region could see patchy wetting rainfall Tuesday and Wednesday as the system passes. Mountains along this system's track will do well for snowfall. In case they don't, system number four arrives into the Pacific Northwest Tuesday night followed by system number five Thursday. Systems six and seven are expected the week following this,

but these might take a more northerly track across the Northwest and the Northern Rockies. For the East, there might be some localized flooding concerns along the Mississippi and Ohio River Valleys from persistent rainfall through the weekend, but that's the only noteworthy concern over the next week.

In Alaska, high pressure will produce normal to above normal temperatures and overall dry conditions through the weekend. A strong cold front should bring additional snowfall to the southern Interior on Monday before it begins to head towards the Lower 48. High pressure will return for much of the remainder of the week; however, some snow will be possible across the Interior Tuesday as a weak front passes through the high pressure ridge.

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



Leadership Environment

Leadership Category

Leadership is defined as the act of influencing people in order to achieve a result. The leadership environment is made up of critical elements that a successful leader must consider in planning for effective action. Those critical elements are:

- **YOU** - the leader, who is ultimately responsible for all action and results.
- **YOUR PEOPLE** - those that you are responsible for.
- **SITUATION** - comprised of the many unique variables that influence a leader's decision such as objectives, conditions, resources available, organizational influences, and others affected by the action.
- **CONSEQUENCES** - the short and long-term effects of your actions.

Leaders constantly assess the elements of the leadership environment and adapt accordingly. Successful leaders understand the interplay of these variables and demonstrate flexibility in selecting appropriate leadership tools and techniques as a situation changes.

Discussion Points:

- Each mission has a different level risk. Discuss how the 4 leadership environment elements affect perceived risk in a changing environment.
- Each situation is unique and changes over time. Discuss what changes you might predict in your environment today.
- Discuss what leadership tools might be appropriate for those predicted changes today.

Resources:

[Wildland Fire Leadership Development Program](#)

[Leading In the Wildland Fire Service](#)