

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, July 25, 2018 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 4**

National Fire Activity

Initial Attack Activity:	Moderate (202 fires)
New large incidents:	14
Large fires contained:	11
Uncontained large fires:**	60
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	10

Nationally, there are 23 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

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

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

The U.S. has mobilized 12 federal wildland firefighters to support fire suppression efforts in Ontario, Canada.

One RC-26 aircraft with Distributed Real-Time Infrared (DRTI) capability and support personnel from the 141st Air Refueling Wing (Washington Air National Guard) has been deployed to Spokane, WA in support of wildland fire operations in the West.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	2	6,370	3	0	1	65
NWCC	24	222,730	222	402	58	7,536
ONCC	6	43,567	47	116	12	1,351
OSCC	5	39,470	87	227	22	3,728
NRCC	6	8,160	23	19	11	689
GBCC	35	635,193	50	136	23	2,233
SWCC	6	6,096	9	12	1	456
RMCC	14	205,726	17	51	15	1,016
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	14	23,165	1	43	0	210
Total	112	1,190,478	459	1,006	143	17,284

Northwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	41
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	23
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

Garner Complex (6 fires), Grant Pass Unit, ODF. ODF IMT 1 (Cline). Four miles east of Cave Junction, OR. Timber and medium logging slash. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and short-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

Natchez, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Livingston). IMT is also managing the Klondike incident. Fifteen miles southeast of Cave Junction, OR. Timber, chaparral and hardwood litter. Active fire behavior with backing, uphill runs and group torching. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Klondike, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Nine miles northwest of Selma, OR. Hardwood litter and brush. Active fire behavior with backing, uphill runs and group torching. Residences threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

South Umpqua Complex (4 fires), Umpqua NF. IMT 2 (Sheldon). Thirty miles southeast of Myrtle Creek, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior. Residences threatened. Road closures in effect

Sugar Pine, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Gales). IMT is also managing the Goodview, Round Top and Union incidents. Twelve miles northwest of Prospect, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and torching.

Goodview, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Ten miles northwest of Prospect OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and isolated torching.

Round Top, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Eight miles northwest of Prospect, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and smoldering.

Union, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Ten miles northeast of Prospect OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

Hendrix, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Harrod). Nine miles southwest of Ashland, OR. Timber and medium logging slash. Active fire behavior with single-tree torching. Residences threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Timber Crater 6, Crater Lake National Park, NPS. IMT 2 (Goff). Twenty miles southwest Chemult, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with backing, group torching and short-range spotting. Area closures in effect.

Substation, Wasco County. Started on private land five miles south of The Dalles, OR. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Cemetery, Prineville District, BLM. Thirty-two miles southeast of Prineville, OR. Timber, brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Rail Canyon**, Vale District, BLM. Twenty miles east of Rome, OR. Tall grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs and short-range spotting. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Big Grassy**, Vale District, BLM. Twenty miles east of Rome, OR. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting and wind-driven runs. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Wagner Complex (1 fire), Medford Unit, ODF. Three miles south of Talent, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Garner Complex	OR-712S	17,369	2,075	18	Comp	8/07	2,432	121	74	107	27	0	13.9M	ST
Natchez	OR-RSF	2,092	181	0	Ctn	8/31	663	100	16	44	3	0	4.2M	FS

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Klondike	OR-RSF	6,097	816	0	Ctn	10/31	95	1	2	0	0	0	199K	FS
South Umpqua Complex	OR-UPF	6,069	1,143	12	Comp	9/30	1,143	130	37	33	5	0	6.1M	FS
Sugar Pine	OR-RSF	394	58	0	Ctn	8/11	402	11	12	20	3	0	1.6M	FS
Goodview	OR-RSF	397	132	1	Ctn	8/10	149	45	6	1	0	0	NR	FS
Round Top	OR-RSF	154	6	35	Ctn	7/31	120	-10	4	6	0	0	594K	FS
Union	OR-RSF	105	0	40	Ctn	7/31	167	0	5	10	0	0	405K	FS
Hendrix	OR-RSF	1,067	6	40	Ctn	7/31	628	20	17	21	5	0	5.1M	FS
Timber Crater 6	OR-CLP	2,010	0	35	Ctn	8/15	639	51	20	22	2	0	2M	NPS
Substation	OR-WASN	78,425	0	92	Ctn	7/30	42	0	1	4	0	52	4.1M	PRI
Cemetery	OR-PRD	1,414	0	95	Ctn	7/31	14	0	0	4	0	0	850K	BLM
*Rail Canyon	OR-VAD	300	---	50	Ctn	7/25	12	---	0	3	1	0	50K	BLM
*Big Grassy	OR-VAD	3,000	---	20	Ctn	7/25	26	---	0	6	1	0	50K	BLM
Wagner Complex	OR-711S	250	---	70	Ctn	7/31	416	---	18	27	9	0	3M	ST
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
L RD SW	WA-MCR	23,900	0	100	Comp	---	0	-10	0	0	0	0	710K	FWS

MCR – Mid-Columbia National Wildlife Refuge Complex, FWS

Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 23
New large incidents: 8
Uncontained large fires: 16
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Owyhee, Sho-Pai Tribe, BIA. IMT 2 (Chadwick). One mile east of Owyhee, NV. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

* **Antelope**, Winnemucca District Office, BLM. Seven miles south of Denio, NV. Brush, short grass and tall grass. Extreme fire behavior with running, torching and short-range spotting. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Twin Butte**, Madison County. Five miles west of Rexburg, ID. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Cow**, Boise District, BLM. Ten miles northeast of Jordan Valley, OR. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and backing. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Trestle**, Idaho Department of Lands. Started on private land four miles northeast of Smiths Ferry, ID. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with short crown runs and single-tree torching. Area closures in effect.

Crooked Creek, Central Area, Utah DOF. Two miles northeast of Milburn, UT. Timber and Brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Beav**, Boise District, BLM. Fifty miles southwest of Mountain Home, ID. Grass. Moderate fire behavior with running, flanking and backing. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Cove Creek, Fishlake NF. Twenty miles north of Beaver, Utah. Timber and closed timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and single-tree torching. Communication infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Bruneau**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Twelve miles northwest of Murphy Hot Springs, ID. Brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with running. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Lodgepole, Boise NF. Sixteen miles northeast of Garden Valley, ID. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and torching.

Dollar Ridge, Northeast Area, Utah DOF. Thirty-six miles southeast of Heber City, UT. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with single-tree torching, smoldering and creeping. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Sweeney, Winnemucca District, BLM. Forty miles northeast of Lovelock, NV. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Hansel Valley, Bear River Area, Utah DOF. Eight miles south of Snowville, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior. Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Trail Mountain, Manti-La Sal NF. Fifteen miles northwest of Orangeville, UT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Cat**, Boise District, BLM. Eighteen miles northeast of Owyhee, NV. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and backing. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Francis**, Battle Mountain District Office, BLM. Thirty-one miles south of Battle Mountain, NV. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with running and torching. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Antelope	NV-WID	500	---	0	Ctn	7/26	58	---	1	5	1	0	50K	BLM
Owyhee	NV-DVT	5,260	-91	74	Ctn	7/28	450	13	11	12	6	0	2.6M	BIA
* Twin Butte	ID-1MN	600	---	50	Ctn	7/25	40	---	0	9	0	0	50K	C&L
* Cow	ID-BOD	350	---	0	Ctn	7/25	12	---	0	3	0	0	10K	BLM
* Trestle	ID-SIS	215	---	10	Ctn	7/28	132	---	5	0	1	0	400K	PRI
Crooked Creek	UT-SCS	137	0	81	Ctn	8/1	182	0	6	2	3	0	686K	ST
* Beav	ID-BOD	350	---	20	Ctn	7/25	30	---	0	3	1	0	150K	BLM
Cove Creek	UT-FIF	157	0	0	Ctn	8/2	269	43	7	7	3	0	753K	FS
* Bruneau	ID-TFD	5,500	---	0	Ctn	7/26	42	---	0	4	1	0	75K	BLM
Lodgepole	ID-BOF	1,616	0	45	Ctn	8/20	118	7	3	5	1	0	1.3M	FS
Dollar Ridge	UT-NES	57,124	70	94	Ctn	8/1	125	-93	2	6	1	438	17.6M	ST
Sweeney	NV-WID	393	-8	90	Ctn	7/25	76	-21	3	1	1	0	175K	BLM
Hansel Valley	UT-BRS	500	-508	85	Ctn	UNK	55	0	1	7	1	0	70K	ST
Trail Mountain	UT-MLF	18,080	0	97	Ctn	8/1	2	0	0	0	0	4	9.9M	FS

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Cat	ID-BOD	2,000	---	49	Ctn	7/25	10	---	0	3	0	0	10K	BLM
* Francis	NV-BMD	600	---	0	Ctn	7/27	81	---	2	8	0	0	75K	BLM
West Valley	UT-DIF	11,771	0	100	Ctn	---	6	0	0	1	0	1	8.7M	FS
Kumiva	NV-WID	3,758	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-24	0	0	0	0	35K	BLM
Crum	NV-BMD	2,878	186	100	Ctn	---	0	-66	0	0	0	0	750K	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Broad	NV-HTF	543	0	65	Comp	8/10	8	-18	0	2	0	0	560K	FS
Kiwah	ID-SCF	249	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	7K	FS
Willow Creek	UT-UWF	1,311	---	97	Comp	10/11	2	---	0	0	0	0	837K	FS

DIF – Dixie NF BMD – Battle Mountain District, BLM HTF – Humboldt-Toiyabe NF SCF – Salmon-Challis NF
UWF – Uinta/Wasatch-Cache NF

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 20
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 3
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Ferguson, Sierra NF. IMT 1 (Kurth). Ten miles north of Mariposa, CA. Chaparral and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and backing. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

Horse Creek, Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Park, NPS. IMT 2 (Strawhun). Thirty miles east of Visalia, CA. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and smoldering. Trail closures in effect.

Valley, San Bernardino NF. Two miles west of Forest Falls, CA. Timber and chaparral. Minimal fire behavior.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Ferguson	CA-SNF	37,795	1,693	26	Ctn	8/15	3,434	123	80	220	16	1	35.4M	FS
Horse Creek	CA-KNP	30	0	50	Ctn	7/28	160	41	4	0	3	0	700K	NPS
Valley	CA-BDF	1,350	0	29	Ctn	11/1	55	-2	1	3	2	0	7.5M	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 27
New large incidents: 2
Uncontained large fires: 8
Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Lake Christine, Eagle County. IMT 2 (Greer). One mile northwest of Basalt, CO. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with torching, short-range spotting and flanking. Numerous residences, energy and communication infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Sulphur, White River Field Office, BLM. IMT 2 (Andrews). IMT is also managing the Indian Valley incident. Five miles north of Meeker, CO. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Indian Valley, White River Field Office, BLM. Sixteen miles northwest of Meeker, CO. Timber, brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

* **Abear**, Cheyenne River Agency, BIA. Twelve miles south of Eagle Butte, SD. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with running. Structures threatened.

Silver Creek, Medicine Bow-Routt NF. Sixteen miles northwest of Kremmling, CO. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and isolated torching. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **West Guard**, San Juan NF. Thirteen miles east of Dove Creek, CO. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and single-tree torching.

Badger Creek, Medicine Bow-Routt NF. Two miles northwest of Mountain Home, WY. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Area and trail closures in effect.

416, San Juan NF. Thirteen miles north of Durango, CO. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. 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			
Lake Christine	CO-EAX	11,878	82	39	Ctn	7/31	400	6	6	19	7	3	11.4M	CNTY
Sulphur	CO-WRD	750	0	31	Ctn	7/31	74	0	3	1	0	0	500K	BLM
Indian Valley	CO-WRD	7,000	0	31	Ctn	7/31	241	102	5	8	5	0	2.2M	BLM
* Abear	SD-CRA	518	---	10	Ctn	7/26	8	---	0	3	0	0	10K	BIA
Silver Creek	WY-MRF	110	0	0	Ctn	10/1	11	-10	0	0	1	0	400K	FS
* West Guard	CO-SJF	100	---	0	Ctn	7/28	26	---	1	5	0	0	30K	FS
Badger Creek	WY-MRF	21,310	0	96	Ctn	7/26	29	0	0	4	0	3	12.5M	FS
416	CO-SJF	54,129	0	50	Ctn	8/31	16	0	0	1	0	0	31.5M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Spring Creek	CO-CTX	108,045	---	91	Comp	8/30	117	---	0	2	1	225	32M	CNTY
Weston Pass	CO-PSF	13,023	---	93	Comp	9/30	16	---	1	3	1	1	9.6M	FS
Sugarloaf	CO-ARF	1,255	---	35	Comp	8/31	30	---	0	1	1	0	600K	FS

CTX – Costilla County PSF – Pike-San Isabel NF ARF – Arapaho-Roosevelt NF

Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

New fires:	10
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Rattlesnake Creek, Nez Perce-Clearwater NF. IMT 2 (Almas). Five miles southwest of Riggins, ID. Timber and short grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and flanking. Numerous structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Reynolds Lake, Bitterroot NF. Thirty-five miles southwest of Darby, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with single-tree torching, creeping and backing. Road closures in effect.

Wawa, Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge, FWS. Forty-one miles southeast of Zortman, MT. Timber, brush, and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and running. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rattlesnake Creek	ID-NCF	3,926	3,426	0	Ctn	9/30	272	272	8	11	5	0	1.5M	FS
Reynolds Lake	MT-BRF	1,068	0	50	Ctn	7/31	194	-27	8	4	2	0	2M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Wawa	MT-CMR	2,850	180	40	Comp	7/31	73	7	2	4	2	0	300K	FWS
Bacon Rind	MT-CGF	250	100	0	Comp	10/1	57	0	2	0	2	0	50K	FS

CGF – Custer-Gallatin NF

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	30
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5

259, Texas A&M Forest Service. Two miles south of Zephyr, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing and flanking.

CR 108, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land eight miles north of Burnet, TX. Brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Harman Road, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 11 miles northwest of Copperas Cove, TX. Brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

3 Mile Curve, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles north of Cyrill, OK. Timber, brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Black Fork, Southeast Area, Oklahoma DOF. Six miles southeast of Clayton, OK. Timber. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
259	TX-TXS	1,658	1,158	80	Ctn	7/25	20	6	0	3	0	0	NR	FS
CR 108	TX-TXS	737	-63	80	Ctn	7/25	61	42	1	10	0	0	NR	PRI
Harman Road	TX-TXS	2,887	0	85	Ctn	7/25	25	-38	0	4	0	1	NR	PRI
3 Mile Curve	OK-OKS	175	0	90	Ctn	UNK	4	0	0	2	0	3	86K	ST
Black Fork	OK-SEU	475	---	70	Ctn	UNK	9	---	0	4	0	0	6.5K	ST
FM 2005	TX-TXS	1,466	-34	100	Ctn	---	30	18	0	8	0	0	NR	PRI
308	TX-TXS	1,200	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-37	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 24
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Venado, Santa Fe NF. IMT 2 (Millert) mobilizing. Seven miles west of Jemez Springs, NM. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with running, group torching and spotting. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Chimney**, Coconino NF. Four miles northwest of Munds Park, AZ. Timber and short Grass. Moderate fire behavior. Last narrative 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			
Venado	NM-SNF	2,500	1,600	0	Ctn	8/8	318	156	6	3	1	0	520K	FS
Forrest Lee	NM-CAD	595	0	100	Ctn	---	3	3	0	1	0	0	25K	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Chimney	AZ-COF	210	---	71	Comp	7/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	20K	FS
Hidden Valley	NM-VCP	585	---	60	Comp	7/25	69	---	2	3	0	0	250K	NPS
Aragon	NM-SNF	150	---	0	Comp	7/31	26	---	0	2	0	0	20K	FS
Stubbs	AZ-PNF	595	---	6	Comp	9/30	32	---	1	2	0	0	95K	FS

CAD – Carlsbad Field Office, BLM VCP - Valles Caldera National Preserve, NPS PNF – Prescott NF

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 20
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Carr, Shasta-Trinity Unit, Cal Fire. Four miles south of French Gulch, CA. Brush, tall grass and hardwood litter. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, wind-driven runs and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Road closures in effect.

Country, Santa Clara Unit, Cal Fire. Eight miles southeast of Fremont, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Carr	CA-SHU	3,126	1,626	24	Ctn	7/31	1,061	669	35	94	10	0	2.3M	ST
Country	CA-SCU	320	0	95	Ctn	7/25	1	-131	0	0	0	1	750K	ST

Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 6
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 0

*** Taixtsalda Hill**, Tok Area, DOF. Fourteen miles southwest of Northway Village, AK. Timber and brush. Extreme fire behavior with short-range spotting, running and group torching. Structures threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Taixtsalda Hill	AK-TAS	4,000	---	0	Comp	10/1	65	---	3	0	1	0	276K	ST
Little Melozitna River	AK-TAD	26,727	---	0	Comp	7/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	ST
Dulby Hot Springs	AK-GAD	44,364	---	0	Comp	9/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	31K	BLM
Deniktaw Ridge	AK-GAD	21,376	---	0	Comp	9/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	460K	PRI
Kevinjik	AK-UYD	20,806	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FWS
Zitziana River	AK-TAD	37,524	---	4	Comp	10/1	5	---	0	0	0	2	2.6M	ST
Webber Creek	AK-UYD	6,351	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	NPS
White Mountain Creek	AK-TAD	5,873	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	BLM
Swift Fork	AK-TAD	3,430	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	ST
Lynx Creek	AK-TAD	2,535	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	ST
Door Mountains	AK-SWS	10,454	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	ST
Bella Creek	AK-SWS	2,631	0	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	7K	ST
Trimokish Hills	AK-SWS	1,427	0	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	4K	PRI
Our Creek	AK-SWS	181	0	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	1K	ST
Devils Elbow	AK-SWS	181	1	100	Comp	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	20K	PRI

TAD - Tanana Fire Zone, BLM GAD – Galena Fire Zone, BLM UYD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM
SWS – Southwest Area Forestry, Alaska DOF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	6	0	0	0	0	6
	ACRES	0	13,172	0	0	0	0	13,172
Northwest Area	FIRES	1	8	1	0	17	14	41
	ACRES	1.5	3,956	2	0	551	74	4,585
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	16	4	20
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2,900	1	2,901
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	16	4	20
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	74	6,094	6,168
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	6	10
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	3,697	3,698
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	14	0	1	4	4	23
	ACRES	75	1,672	0	0	220	18	1,985
Southwest Area	FIRES	2	1	0	2	7	12	24
	ACRES	5	0	0	32	760	2,063	2,860
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	2	9	0	0	9	7	27
	ACRES	518	171	0	0	93	905	1,687
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southern Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	28	0	30
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	107	0	108
TOTAL FIRES:		7	38	1	3	101	52	202
TOTAL ACRES:		600	18,971	2	32	4,707	12,854	37,167

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	112	0	0	183	21	316
	ACRES	0	283,532	0	0	18,827	59	302,418
Northwest Area	FIRES	203	153	23	17	713	440	1,549
	ACRES	6,180	192,970	1,645	1,602	14,691	12,648	229,738
Northern California Area	FIRES	50	17	2	24	1,570	295	1,958
	ACRES	25	2,867	0	2	180,946	3,604	187,445
Southern California Area	FIRES	17	41	4	15	2,244	196	2,517
	ACRES	867	1,031	4	308	35,442	46,062	83,715
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	568	15	3	1	334	100	1,021
	ACRES	2,613	325	1,742	0	3,177	5,371	13,228
Great Basin Area	FIRES	23	487	4	26	837	212	1,589
	ACRES	288	562,660	0	40	296,430	36,495	895,913
Southwest Area	FIRES	624	177	6	45	684	841	2,377
	ACRES	31,076	4,051	216	4,723	284,263	130,068	454,397
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	291	287	8	21	573	277	1,457
	ACRES	3,205	87,970	1,712	79	317,469	109,922	520,357
Eastern Area	FIRES	433	0	7	23	3,551	340	4,354
	ACRES	4,141	0	24	186	18,642	7,238	30,231
Southern Area	FIRES	424	67	46	52	18,093	321	19,003
	ACRES	115,167	310	8,564	20,047	1,092,010	28,156	1,264,255
TOTAL FIRES:		2,633	1,356	103	224	28,782	3,043	36,141
TOTAL ACRES:		163,562	1,135,718	13,907	26,987	2,261,899	379,626	3,981,701

Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)	38,118
Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)	3,576,956

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	152	0	152
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	491	0	491
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	0	0	152	0	152
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	0	491	0	491

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

Areas		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	3	0	11	1	15
	ACRES	0	0	56	0	36,158	70	36,284
Northwest Area	FIRES	26	29	10	7	0	172	244
	ACRES	4,817	5,546	4,607	414	0	46,032	61,416
Northern California Area	FIRES	2	3	9	16	1	128	159
	ACRES	12	1,792	5,627	1,938	35	18,067	27,471
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	3	2	0	130	137
	ACRES	0	90	405	48	0	12,622	13,165
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	9	14	39	3	4	114	183
	ACRES	3,006	12,437	10,191	12,203	257	14,035	52,129
Great Basin Area	FIRES	2	18	2	4	31	72	129
	ACRES	75	2,239	40	67	2,315	23,125	27,861
Southwest Area	FIRES	12	15	7	4	1	112	151
	ACRES	1,971	12,963	204	836	51	71,064	87,089
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	18	38	26	9	85	112	288
	ACRES	2,198	4,070	15,597	263	7,973	46,189	76,290
Eastern Area	FIRES	57	0	150	29	1,092	229	1,557
	ACRES	31,884	0	23,485	7,669	92,399	72,868	228,305
Southern Area	FIRES	73	0	165	38	61,474	987	62,737
	ACRES	18,960	0	141,491	120,830	2,374,003	976,765	3,632,049
TOTAL FIRES:		199	119	414	112	62,699	2,057	65,600
TOTAL ACRES:		62,923	39,137	201,703	144,268	2,513,191	1,280,837	4,242,059

*** 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/>

Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTACRES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO- DATE	HECTACRES YEAR- TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	11	174	784	55,588
YUKON TERRITORY	1	930	35	21,733
ALBERTA	0	0	942	45,920
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	212	24	2,916
SASKATCHEWAN	0	0	372	87,687
MANITOBA	0	0	381	153,228
ONTARIO	6	8,639	809	206,266
QUEBEC	3	162	500	82,070
NEWFOUNDLAND	2	40	87	513
NEW BRUNSWICK	1	0	226	298
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	145	243
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	0	0
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	78	57,627
TOTALS	25	10,157	4,383	714,088

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion:

High pressure will remain over the southwestern U.S., producing scattered showers and thunderstorms over the central and southern Rockies, the Great Basin, and the Southwest. Isolated to widely scattered thunderstorms will form across eastern Idaho and western Montana. Some storms will produce very little rainfall while others produce locally moderate to heavy rain. Stronger storms will form along an old front stretching across the Montana and Wyoming continental divide. Isolated storms will also develop in the Sierras and the northern California mountains. Showers and thunderstorm will form from the central Plains to the Great Lakes while heavy rain and thunderstorms move across the Eastern seaboard. Temperatures will again be in the 90s to 120 in the West with the hottest conditions in the southwest deserts. Upper 90s to 108 will continue in central and south Texas while the rest of the ranges from mid 90s in the Plains and Southeast to lower 70s in the north. In Alaska, showers and thunderstorms will move across the southern coast and form along the North Slope. Temperatures will be in the 60s and 70s with some 80s in the Upper Yukon.

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



This Day in History is a brief summary of a powerful learning opportunity and is not intended to second guess or be judgmental of decisions and actions. Put yourself in the following situation as if you do not know what the outcome will be. What are the conditions? What are you thinking? What are YOU doing?

Dutch Creek Incident

Incident Summary: On June 12th, 2008, Andy Palmer graduates from high school. He completes Basic Firefighter training June 24th and Wildland Fire Chain Saw training (S-212) June 28th. He is hired as a seasonal firefighter on an engine crew June 29th and completes his A Faller taskbook on July 4th. July 22, 2008, the engine receives a resource order for the Iron Complex, California. The supervision at the park are motivated to see the engine crew obtain an assignment and call the crew in on their day off. The crew suffers a series of complications enroute to the fire including mechanical problems with the engine that lead to the eventual separation of the crew and engine captain after arriving at the incident. The remaining crew members are encouraged to pursue a line assignment as a falling team. The IMT personnel assign the crew as a falling module. During that assignment the crew cuts a tree that is outside their falling qualifications. A class C ponderosa pine is cut, falling downslope into a fire-damaged sugar pine. A portion of the sugar pine breaks off and falls upslope, hitting firefighter Andy Palmer, resulting in multiple severe injuries...and the loss of a firefighters' life. It was Andy's first fire assignment.

Zero Hour. July 25th, a radio transmission comes into Iron Complex dispatch: ***"Man Down Man Down. We need help. Medical emergency. Dozer pad. Broken leg. Bleeding. Drop Point 72 and dozer line. Call 911, we need help."***

The local Sheriff's office receives a call from incident command and begins inquiring for a helicopter. Two air medical services decline the mission due to poor visibility from smoke, California Highway Patrol's helicopter was not available and the US Coast Guard (USCG) had not yet been contacted.

Other firefighters arrive on scene. Nomex shirts are used as pressure bandages on shoulder and leg injuries. The injured firefighter is reported as having severe bleeding and being conscious. The severity of the injuries and the sense of urgency are *not* communicated to paramedics dispatched in an ambulance to the incident.

As the medics arrive on scene they realize the injuries are much more serious than they had been told and decide to facilitate a rapid evacuation via carryout.

Fifty-five minutes since the accident. The patient is prepared to move and the decision is made to go to the ambulance rather than waiting for the helicopter. The ambulance is approximately 2000 ft down the dozer line.

One hour and 25 minutes since the accident. A third paramedic has arrived on scene and the decision is made to wait for the helicopter. Firefighters start clearing a zone for hoist extraction.

One hour and 50 minutes since the accident. Multiple delays of the USCG helicopter are caused due to poor communications of patient status, potential use of a Forest Service helicopter assigned to the fire, and method of extraction. Once the USCG is enroute, communication about the new extraction location, radio frequencies and patient status is an issue and slows the extrication efforts. While being transferred to the hoist basket, personnel on the ground report profuse bleeding. No patient care can be given while being hoisted.

Two hours and 47 minutes since the accident. During the flight, cardiac arrest treatment protocol is initiated and the helicopter lands at Redding Municipal Airport with CPR in progress.

Three hours and 26 minutes since the accident. An ER Physician pronounced time of death, via radio. The Coroner later determined that Andy Palmer's death was caused by excessive blood loss.

Discussion Points:

- ◆ Identify and discuss a variety of options for medical evacuation (ATV, wheeled litter, etc.) anticipating that a helicopter will not be available.
- ◆ If the crewmember sitting beside you were to be seriously injured on the fireline, what would you and your crew do? How thorough is your unit or IMT's Incident Emergency Plan? Consider doing a mock-up medical evacuation from start to finish. Utilize the **new** Medical Incident Report in your IRPG to effectively communicate emergency information. Use [this 6MFS to learn how to use the MIR](#). Assess the drill with an AAR.
- ◆ Read page 2 in your [IRPG](#).

Resources: [Factual Report: Dutch Creek Fatality](#), [Youtube Video - We Will Never Forget You: Remembering Andy Palmer](#), [6MFS on how to use the new Medical Incident Report](#)

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