

**National Interagency Coordination Center**  
**Incident Management Situation Report**  
**Saturday, July 28, 2018 – 0800 MT**  
**National Preparedness Level 5**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial Attack Activity:	Light (178) new fires
New large incidents:	11
Large fires contained:	11
Uncontained large fires:**	61
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	6
Type 2 IMTs committed:	13

Nationally, there are 35 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.

Two MAFFS C-130 airtankers and support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing (California Air National Guard) have been deployed to McClellan Airfield, CA in support of wildland fire operations.

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	15,770	4	0	2	145
NWCC	25	254,932	249	380	68	8,452
ONCC	8	89,281	76	373	19	3,895
OSCC	7	64,927	106	486	36	5,565
NRCC	6	7,343	24	24	10	753
GBCC	44	303,047	58	188	29	2,679
SWCC	12	15,542	16	17	4	556
RMCC	13	99,017	23	53	16	1,089
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	8	18,804	0	18	1	62
<b>Total</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>868,664</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>1,539</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>23,196</b>

#### Northwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	17
New large incidents:	3
Uncontained large fires:	23
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7

**Garner Complex** (4 fires), Grant Pass Unit, ODF. Transfer of command from ODF IMT 1 (Cline) to ODF IMT 1 (Hessel) will occur on 7/30. Four miles east of Cave Junction, OR. Timber and medium logging slash. Active fire behavior with short crown runs, spotting and group torching. 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 torching, spotting and uphill runs. 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 torching, spotting and uphill runs. 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. Active fire behavior with short-range spotting, torching and uphill runs. Residences threatened. Road and trail 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. Active fire behavior with torching, spotting and uphill runs.

**Goodview**, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Ten miles northwest of Prospect, OR. Moderate fire behavior with torching, creeping and backing. Road closures in effect.

**Round Top**, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Eight miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Minimal fire behavior.

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

**Timber Crater 6**, Crater Lake National Park, NPS. IMT 2 (Goff). Twenty miles southwest of Chemult, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, isolated torching and smoldering. Area closures in effect.

**116 Wilson Prairie**, John Day Unit, ODF. IMT 2 (Johnson). Thirty miles south of Heppner, OR. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with single-tree torching, wind-driven runs and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Hendrix**, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Harrod) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. Nine miles southwest of Ashland, OR. Timber and medium logging slash. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Long Hollow 0806 RN**, Prineville District, BLM. IMT 2 (Lawson) mobilizing. Started on private land five miles south of Dufur, OR. Brush and grass. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs and uphill runs. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

\* **Chelan Hills**, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. IMT 2 (Rabe) mobilizing. Two miles east of Chelan, WA. Timber, brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with uphill runs and running. Residences threatened. Evacuations, road and 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.

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

\* **Pole Creek**, Vale District, BLM. Started on state land 20 miles south of Jordan Valley, OR. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Big Grassy**, Vale District, BLM. Twenty miles east of Rome, OR. Brush and tall grass. 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			
Garner Complex	OR-712S	25,097	3,654	27	Ctn	8/7	2,637	107	82	114	26	0	23.7M	ST
Natchez	OR-RSF	2,988	250	10	Ctn	8/31	753	46	19	33	6	0	6.8M	FS
Klondike	OR-RSF	8,276	1,023	5	Ctn	10/31	356	64	9	18	0	0	1.2M	FS
South Umpqua Complex	OR-UPF	9,198	1,619	14	Ctn	9/30	1,289	4	40	35	5	0	11.3M	FS
Sugar Pine	OR-RSF	1,030	636	0	Ctn	8/11	534	75	14	26	5	0	3.2M	FS
Goodview	OR-RSF	502	0	0	Ctn	8/10	119	-34	4	5	0	0	2.5M	FS
Round Top	OR-RSF	154	0	45	Ctn	7/31	76	-23	3	3	0	0	479K	FS
Union	OR-RSF	106	1	65	Ctn	7/31	48	-3	2	1	0	0	329K	FS
Timber Crater 6	OR-CLP	3,125	182	65	Ctn	8/15	656	-56	19	20	4	0	4.7M	NPS
116 Wilson Prairie	OR-952S	437	0	40	Ctn	8/3	459	92	14	9	4	0	2.1M	ST
Hendrix	OR-RSF	1,081	0	70	Ctn	7/31	339	-74	7	7	2	0	6M	FS
Long Hollow 0806 RN	OR-PRD	16,983	11,983	0	Ctn	8/1	145	82	5	10	0	0	1M	PRI
* Chelan Hills	WA-SES	1,000	---	20	Ctn	7/31	130	---	3	11	6	8	500K	ST
Substation	OR-WASN	78,425	0	95	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	1.8M	BLM
* Pole Creek	OR-VAD	800	---	80	Ctn	8/5	141	---	4	5	2	0	500K	ST
Big Grassy	OR-VAD	5,313	---	70	Ctn	UNK	28	---	0	7	0	0	75K	BLM
* Ben Lane	OR-WSA	312	---	100	Ctn	---	122	---	4	11	0	0	175K	BIA

WSA – Warm Springs Agency, BIA

#### Great Basin Area (PL 4)

New fires:	41
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	18
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

**MM73 Hwy55**, Southwest Area, Idaho Department of Lands. IMT 1 (DeMasters). Twenty-five miles north of Boise, ID. Timber, brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Structures threatened.

**Mesa**, Payette NF. IMT 2 (Chadwick) mobilizing. Four miles south of Council, Idaho. Brush and tall grass. Extreme fire behavior with crowning, running and long-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Keithly**, Payette NF. IMT 2 (Bird). Started on private land four miles northwest of Midvale, ID. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, uphill runs and backing. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

\* **Goose Creek**, Elko District, BLM. Thirty-three miles southeast of Jackpot, NV. Timber and brush. Extreme fire behavior with running, flanking and group torching. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Raft River**, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. Five miles southwest of Yost, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and group torching. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Bruneau**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Twelve miles northwest of Murphy Hot Springs, ID. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with isolated torching and creeping. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Grassy Ridge**, Idaho Falls District, BLM. Started on state land 15 Miles northwest of St. Anthony, ID. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running and wind-driven runs. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road closures in effect.

**Jim Sage**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Four miles southeast of Elba, ID. Brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with running, torching and crowning. 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. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and isolated torching. Area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Cove Creek**, Fishlake NF. Twenty miles north of Beaver, Utah. Timber and closed timber litter. Active fire behavior with short crown runs, uphill runs and backing. Structures, energy and communication infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Gregg**, Winnemucca District, BLM. Twenty-one miles southeast of Winnemucca, NV. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened.

\* **Cedar Mountain One**, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. Fourteen miles southwest of Lakeside, UT. Timber, brush and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with uphill runs, spotting and wind-driven runs.

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

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

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

**Dixie**, Elko District, BLM. Sixteen miles southwest of Elko, NV. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

**Lodgepole**, Boise NF. Sixteen miles northeast of Garden Valley, ID. Timber, brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

**Telegraph**, Humboldt-Toiyabe NF. Eight miles northeast of Austin, NV. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
MM73 Hwy55	ID-SWS	4,480	2,480	60	Ctn	8/7	132	0	3	8	3	0	892K	ST
Mesa	ID-PAF	14,000	8,000	5	Ctn	8/15	73	73	2	3	2	2	300K	FS
Keithly	ID-PAF	13,000	4,970	10	Ctn	8/1	184	69	5	10	1	0	545K	PRI
* Goose Creek	NV-EKD	12,000	---	0	Ctn	8/3	170	---	4	8	3	0	350K	BLM
Raft River	UT-SLD	1,500	0	30	Ctn	7/30	37	7	0	7	1	0	50K	BLM
Bruneau	ID-TFD	61,691	4,361	60	Ctn	7/28	96	-10	0	13	3	2	1.7M	BLM

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Grassy Ridge	ID-IFD	15,360	13,882	20	Ctn	UNK	73	29	1	10	0	0	200K	ST
Jim Sage	ID-TFD	1,934	34	30	Ctn	7/28	73	0	0	10	1	0	100K	BLM
Trestle	ID-SIS	129	-21	80	Ctn	7/30	142	3	7	1	0	0	1.1M	PRI
Cove Creek	UT-FIF	1,092	117	15	Ctn	10/1	247	-39	5	7	4	0	1.8M	FS
Gregg	NV-WID	10,320	5,320	75	Ctn	7/28	188	-21	6	8	2	0	1.3M	BLM
* Cedar Mountain One	UT-SLD	1,200	---	0	Ctn	8/3	13	---	0	0	0	0	15K	BLM
Dollar Ridge	UT-NES	57,124	0	96	Ctn	7/30	94	-14	0	7	1	438	18.1M	ST
Cat	ID-BOD	25,633	0	85	Ctn	UNK	104	6	2	11	1	0	300K	BLM
Trail Mountain	UT-MLF	18,080	0	97	Ctn	8/1	9	0	0	0	0	4	14.9M	FS
Dixie	NV-EKD	2,521	0	89	Ctn	7/28	59	-5	1	8	0	0	85K	BLM
Lodgepole	ID-BOF	1,616	1	75	Ctn	8/20	75	-1	2	1	1	0	1.5M	FS
Telegraph	NV-HTF	318	-232	75	Ctn	7/28	122	15	5	2	1	0	360K	FS
Owyhee	NV-DVT	5,260	0	100	Ctn	---	71	-86	0	2	0	0	4.4M	BIA
Antelope	NV-WID	2,322	0	100	Ctn	---	9	-41	0	3	0	0	75K	BLM
Rock Creek	ID-PAF	1,560	0	100	Ctn	---	37	0	1	4	0	0	250K	PRI
Willow	NV-EKD	1,086	-414	100	Ctn	---	25	-111	1	0	0	0	400K	BLM
Monument Peak	UT-BRS	745	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-10	0	0	0	0	45K	ST
Dry Creek	NV-BMD	434	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-43	0	0	0	0	250K	BLM
West Raven	UT-VLD	317	0	100	Ctn	---	4	-35	0	1	0	0	116K	BLM
Horse Canyon	NV-BMD	132	0	100	Ctn	---	40	-20	1	0	1	0	20K	BLM

Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned

Broad	NV-HTF	543	---	85	Comp	8/10	0	---	0	0	0	0	565K	FS
Kiawah	ID-SCF	259	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	9K	FS
Willow Creek	UT-UWF	1,311	---	98	Comp	10/11	2	---	0	0	0	0	838K	FS

DVT - Sho-Pai Tribe, BIA      BRS - Bear River Area, Utah DOF      BMD - Battle Mountain District, BLM      VLD - Vernal Field Office, BLM  
SCF - Salmon-Challis NF      UWF – Uinta/Wasatch-Cache NF

### Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:	19
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1

**Carr**, Shasta-Trinity Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Gouvea). Four miles south of French Gulch, CA. Brush, tall grass and hardwood litter. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs, uphill runs and running. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

\* **Ranch**, Mendocino Unit, Cal Fire. Eight miles northeast of Ukiah, CA. Brush and tall grass. Extreme fire behavior with running, torching and spotting. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

\* **River**, Mendocino Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles southeast of El Roble, CA. Brush and tall grass. Extreme fire behavior with running, torching and spotting. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, 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			
Carr	CA-SHU	48,312	19,549	5	Ctn	8/3	3,410	1,662	62	328	17	515	9.7M	ST
* Ranch	CA-MEU	750	---	1	Ctn	8/4	129	---	4	13	0	0	80K	ST
* River	CA-MEU	600	---	0	Ctn	8/3	121	---	2	12	2	2	100K	ST

#### Southern California Area (PL 4)

New fires:	21
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2

**Cranston**, San Bernardino NF. IMT 1 (McGowan). Timber, brush and chaparral. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

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

**Lions**, Sierra NF. Previously reported incident. Seven miles southwest of Mammoth Lakes, CA. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, isolated torching and creeping. Trail closures in effect.

**Valley**, San Bernardino NF. Two miles west of Forest Falls, CA. Timber and chaparral. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering, creeping and group torching.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Cranston	CA-BDF	12,300	800	16	Ctn	8/9	1,319	-74	17	194	9	0	4M	FS
Ferguson	CA-SNF	46,675	2,452	29	Ctn	8/15	3,898	77	82	282	16	1	50.1M	FS
Lions	CA-SNF	4,277	10	92	Ctn	8/25	119	49	3	4	4	0	5.3M	FS
Valley	CA-BDF	1,350	0	29	Ctn	11/1	34	-20	0	2	2	0	7.5M	FS

#### Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	16
New large incidents:	1
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 group torching, spotting and short crown runs. Numerous structures, energy and communication infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Indian Valley**, White River Field Office, BLM. IMT 2 (Andrews). IMT is also managing the Sulphur incident. Sixteen miles northwest of Meeker, CO. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

**Sulphur**, White River Field Office, BLM. Five miles north of Meeker, CO. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Road closures in effect.

**West Guard**, San Juan NF. Thirteen miles east of Dove Creek, CO. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

**Silver Creek**, Medicine Bow-Routt NF. Sixteen miles northwest of Kremmling, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior. Road, 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.

\* **Potter Butte**, Wind River/Bighorn Basin District, BLM. Ten miles southeast of Worland, WY. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**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.

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	12,287	101	45	Ctn	8/2	447	43	8	19	7	3	13.8M	C&L
Indian Valley	CO-WRD	5,707	240	65	Ctn	7/31	294	39	5	9	5	0	2.7M	BLM
Sulphur	CO-WRD	977	1	95	Ctn	7/29	105	-23	4	2	1	0	1M	BLM
West Guard	CO-SJF	1,405	-395	50	Ctn	7/28	72	0	3	5	1	0	60K	FS
Silver Creek	WY-MRF	185	40	0	Ctn	10/1	14	0	0	0	1	0	400K	FS
416	CO-EAX	54,129	0	50	Ctn	8/31	16	0	0	1	0	0	31.5M	FS
* Potter Butte	WY-WBD	900	---	90	Ctn	7/28	16	---	0	4	0	0	12K	BLM
Badger Creek	WY-MRF	21,310	0	98	Ctn	7/28	5	-3	0	1	0	3	13.5M	FS
Abear	SD-CRA	518	0	100	Ctn	---	9	2	0	4	0	0	10K	BIA

Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned

Buttermilk	CO-UPD	249	---	0	Comp	8/11	13	---	0	2	0	0	7K	BLM
Spring Creek	CO-CTX	108,045	---	91	Comp	8/30	1	---	0	0	0	225	32M	C&L
Sugarloaf	CO-ARF	1,260	---	50	Comp	8/31	22	---	0	1	0	0	700K	FS
Weston Pass	CO-PSF	13,023	---	93	Comp	9/30	15	---	0	0	0	1	9.7M	FS

CRA – Cheyenne River Agency, BIA      UPD – Uncompahgre Field Office, BLM      CTX – Costilla County      ARF – Arapaho-Roosevelt NF  
PSF – Pike-San Isabel NF

### Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

New fires:	8
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. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, isolated torching and short-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

**Reynolds Lake**, Bitterroot NF. Thirty-five miles southwest of Darby, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rattlesnake Creek	ID-NCF	3,139	96	5	Ctn	9/30	445	24	13	19	5	0	2.5M	FS
Reynolds Lake	MT-BRF	1,068	0	80	Ctn	7/31	112	0	5	2	2	0	2.7M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Bacon Rind	MT-CGF	220	90	0	Comp	10/1	57	0	2	0	2	0	50K	FS
Wawa	MT-CMR	2,850	---	50	Comp	8/15	46	---	1	3	1	0	412K	FWS

CGF – Custer-Gallatin NF CMR – Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge, FWS

## **Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 29

New large incidents: 1

Uncontained large fires: 1

**Brushy Creek**, Southeast Area, Oklahoma DOF. Three miles north of Cloudy, OK. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering. No new information.

\* **Lard Can**, Everglades National Park, NPS. Two miles northwest of West Lake, FL. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with flanking and backing. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Chge	Total				Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli				
Brushy Creek	OK-SEU	1,251	---	60	Ctn	UNK	10	---	0	5	0	0	29K	ST
Black Fork	OK-SEU	475	0	100	Ctn	---	9	0	0	4	0	0	7K	ST
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Lard Can	FL-EVP	439	---	0	Comp	8/10	11	---	0	1	1	0	4K	NPS

## **Southwest Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 25

New large incidents: 1

Uncontained large fires: 2

Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Venado**, Santa Fe NF. IMT 2 (Millert). Seven miles west of Jemez Springs, NM. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road closures in effect. No new information.

\* **Seep**, Coconino NF. Two miles north of Kendrik Park, AZ. Timber. Moderate fire behavior.

\* **Winchester**, Southeast District, Arizona DOF. Seven miles west of Willcox, AZ. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with running, flanking and backing. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

**Bruno**, Southeast District, Arizona DOF. Previously reported incident. Fifteen miles northeast of Douglas, AZ. Brush and short grass. Minimal 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	Hel			
Venado	NM-SNF	2,620	---	15	Ctn	8/8	282	---	7	5	1	0	1.1M	FS
* Seep	AZ-COF	975	---	10	Ctn	8/3	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	FS

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Winchester	AZ-A3S	550	---	5	Comp	7/30	6	---	0	1	0	0	10K	ST
Bruno	AZ-A3S	4,444	1,078	70	Comp	7/30	129	0	4	4	1	0	211K	ST
Howard	AZ-GID	963	-37	80	Comp	7/28	21	-23	1	0	0	0	80K	BLM
Hidden Valley	NM-VCP	585	---	70	Comp	7/28	11	---	1	1	0	0	400K	NPS
Aragon	NM-SNF	475	---	50	Comp	7/31	2	---	0	0	0	0	50K	FS
Chimney	AZ-COF	210	---	71	Comp	7/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	20K	FS
Bristow	AZ-COF	914	---	15	Comp	8/5	0	---	0	0	0	0	250K	FS
Deer	AZ-COF	600	---	20	Comp	8/6	0	---	0	0	0	0	30K	FS
Obi	AZ-GCP	578	---	1	Comp	8/15	13	---	0	0	1	0	35K	NPS
Stubbs	AZ-PNF	3,657	---	10	Comp	9/30	22	---	1	1	1	0	110K	FS

GID – Gila District, BLM

VCP – Valles Caldera National Preserve, NPS

GCP – Grand Canyon National Park, NPS

**Alaska Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 0

New large incidents: 0

Uncontained large fires: 0

**Taixtsalda Hill**, Tok Area, DOF. Previously reported incident. Fourteen miles southwest of Norway Village, AK. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with crowning and spotting. Structures threatened. 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			

Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned

Taixtsalda Hill	AK-TAS	15,000	2,000	0	Comp	10/1	137	24	4	0	2	0	550K	ST
Dome Creek	AK-UYD	770	---	0	Comp	9/1	8	---	0	0	0	0	35K	NPS
Dulby Hot Springs	AK-GAD	44,364	---	0	Comp	9/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	BLM
Deniktaw Ridge	AK-GAD	21,418	---	0	Comp	9/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	PRI
White Mountain Creek	AK-TAD	7,811	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Andrew Creek	AK-UYD	4,868	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Swift Fork	AK-TAD	6,326	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Edwards Creek	AK-UYD	822	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Eureka Creek	AK-UYD	300	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Kevinjik	AK-UYD	21,701	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Webber Creek	AK-UYD	6,839	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	NPS
Little Melozitna River	AK-TAD	27,021	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Lynx Creek	AK-TAD	2,535	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Door Mountains	AK-SWS	10,454	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	ST

GAD – Galena Zone, BLM

UYD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM

SWS – Southwest Area, Alaska DOF

**Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):**

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	6,053	0	0	1,000	0	7,053
Northwest Area	FIREs	2	2	0	0	6	7	17
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	117	4	122
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	15	4	19
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	16,138	258	16,396
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	17	4	21
	ACRES	0	0	0	4	208	6,635	6,847
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	6	1	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	4	115	119
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	23	0	0	11	7	41
	ACRES	0	29,013	0	0	2,909	8,653	40,576
Southwest Area	FIREs	5	3	0	0	3	14	25
	ACRES	15	3	0	12	4	377	411
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	1	8	0	0	7	0	16
	ACRES	1	907	0	0	25	141	1,074
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Southern Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	27	1	29
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	101	2	104
TOTAL FIRES:		10	36	0	0	93	39	178
TOTAL ACRES:		18	35,976	0	16	20,506	16,187	72,704

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	118	0	0	185	22	325
	ACRES	0	308,612	0	0	31,817	59	340,488
Northwest Area	FIREs	208	173	23	18	774	456	1,652
	ACRES	6,184	193,020	1,645	2,953	15,665	15,961	235,430
Northern California Area	FIREs	51	17	2	24	1,624	296	2,014
	ACRES	25	2,867	0	2	200,575	4,555	208,025
Southern California Area	FIREs	17	42	4	16	2,300	210	2,589
	ACRES	867	1,031	4	312	35,724	67,007	104,946
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	590	19	3	1	365	115	1,093
	ACRES	2,625	339	1,742	0	3,526	4,850	13,083
Great Basin Area	FIREs	25	556	4	27	592	240	1,444
	ACRES	288	682,082	0	40	304,821	60,271	1,047,503
Southwest Area	FIREs	641	188	6	46	695	888	2,464
	ACRES	31,128	5,021	216	5,034	286,836	135,628	463,863
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	306	314	8	24	605	294	1,551
	ACRES	3,244	89,132	1,712	79	317,732	110,593	522,492
Eastern Area	FIREs	433	0	7	23	3,553	342	4,358
	ACRES	4,141	0	24	186	18,643	7,241	30,235
Southern Area	FIREs	427	67	46	53	18,513	322	19,428
	ACRES	115,170	310	8,564	20,486	1,113,458	28,158	1,286,147
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>2,698</b>	<b>1,494</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>29,206</b>	<b>3,185</b>	<b>36,918</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>163,672</b>	<b>1,282,416</b>	<b>13,907</b>	<b>29,092</b>	<b>2,328,799</b>	<b>434,326</b>	<b>4,252,215</b>

Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)	38,863
Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)	3,664,990

**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	5	0	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	126	0	126
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>126</b>

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

Areas	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	<b>FIREs</b>	0	0	3	0	11	1 15
	<b>ACRES</b>	0	0	56	0	36,158	70 36,284
Northwest Area	<b>FIREs</b>	26	29	10	7	0	172 244
	<b>ACRES</b>	4,817	5,546	4,607	414	0	46,032 61,416
Northern California Area	<b>FIREs</b>	2	3	9	16	1	128 159
	<b>ACRES</b>	12	1,792	5,627	1,938	35	18,067 27,471
Southern California Area	<b>FIREs</b>	0	2	3	2	0	130 137
	<b>ACRES</b>	0	90	405	48	0	12,622 13,165
Northern Rockies Area	<b>FIREs</b>	9	14	39	3	4	114 183
	<b>ACRES</b>	3,006	12,437	10,191	12,203	257	14,035 52,129
Great Basin Area	<b>FIREs</b>	2	18	2	4	31	72 129
	<b>ACRES</b>	75	2,239	40	67	2,315	23,125 27,861
Southwest Area	<b>FIREs</b>	13	15	7	4	1	115 155
	<b>ACRES</b>	2,136	12,963	204	836	51	71,079 87,269
Rocky Mountain Area	<b>FIREs</b>	18	38	26	9	85	112 288
	<b>ACRES</b>	2,198	4,070	15,597	263	7,973	46,189 76,290
Eastern Area	<b>FIREs</b>	57	0	150	29	1,092	229 1,557
	<b>ACRES</b>	31,884	0	23,485	7,669	92,399	72,868 228,305
Southern Area	<b>FIREs</b>	73	0	165	38	61,621	987 62,884
	<b>ACRES</b>	18,960	0	141,086	120,830	2,374,694	976,765 3,632,335
<b>TOTAL FIREs:</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>62,846</b>	<b>2,060</b>	<b>65,751</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>	<b>63,088</b>	<b>39,137</b>	<b>201,298</b>	<b>144,268</b>	<b>2,513,882</b>	<b>1,280,852</b>	<b>4,242,525</b>

\*\*\* 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 Hectacres

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTACRES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO- DATE	HECTACRES YEAR- TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	13	105	815	56,482
YUKON TERRITORY	3	230	41	21,986
ALBERTA	7	81	949	45,579
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	5	881	34	4,111
SASKATCHEWAN	0	0	372	87,783
MANITOBA	1	0	383	157,228
ONTARIO	4	31	823	211,945
QUEBEC	0	0	504	82,532
NEWFOUNDLAND	1	0	88	513
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	0	229	298
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	148	241
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	0	0
NATIONAL PARKS	1	0	81	57,627
TOTALS	38	1,328	4,467	726,325

\*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

**Prescribed Service Discussion:** Hot conditions are expected along the West Coast States as the upper level ridge of high pressure amplifies begins to amplify back into northwestern Oregon. The associated thermal trough will produce very warm and dry conditions with poor overnight recoveries. The previous day's trough will move east-southeast into the northern Great Plains by afternoon. Widely scattered convection is expected from the Washington Cascades east through Montana and into the Dakotas. Wet Monsoonal storms will be possible across Wyoming, Colorado, northern New Mexico, Arizona and Utah. Texas will remain hot and dry...though not as hot as recent days. In the East, a very broad trough will bring cooler temperatures from Tennessee north to the Great Lakes and east to the Atlantic Ocean. Scattered storms are expected along a stalled frontal boundary located across the Deep South. In Alaska, the overall warmer and drier than normal conditions will continue as high pressure remains in place across the Interior. Isolated storms will be possible in the Upper Yukon and could trigger some initial attack.

<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?

## Stanza Fire Engine Rollover

**Incident Summary:** July 22<sup>nd</sup> 2002 a lightning strike starts a fire in Stanza Creek on the Klamath National Forest. The area is steep, rugged and has limited access. Slopes range from 40 to 90%, with rock outcroppings and talus slopes. Roads are narrow and winding, often with precipitous drop-offs. The lack of access precludes efficient use of heavy equipment such as bulldozers.

At 2146 July 25<sup>th</sup> an engine (E-11) from Lassen NF is ordered as a part of a strike team assigned to the Stanza Incident. The engine module is composed of an Acting Captain (experienced qualified engine operator), Senior Firefighter (Acting Engineer trainee), and 3 firefighters. The Acting Captain and Acting Engineer are the only licensed drivers on the module. E-11 is a type III engine with a manual transmission. For operation of this type and size of engine a Commercial Driver's License (CDL) was required. The Acting Engineer had recently received a Class B learners permit. This allows the trainee to get driving experience while accompanied by a fully licensed driver with the same type of CDL. The license is restricted to automatic transmissions only. To get experience, the Acting Captain has the Acting Engineer do most of the driving.

**July 26<sup>th</sup> 0830** -The module departs their home base, ties in with the strike team, and arrives at the Stanza ICP around 1600. Indirect strategies had been effective in securing line along existing roads. Safety concerns included steep, inaccessible terrain, rolling rocks and debris, burning snags and narrow roads.

**1800 night shift 26<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>** -The strike team is assigned to support a burnout operation along a road, and after a briefing, depart for the fireline.

The road, normally 14 feet wide, has since been narrowed by falling debris from the fire above the road to 10-12 feet wide. The road is a winding, dead-end road, 0.7 miles long with a native soil surface. There is a steep drop off on one side. The Acting Captain informs the Division Supervisor that he has a fairly inexperienced driver and it is agreed that the engines will only be used when needed and that, due to the narrowness of the road, they will drive the length and turn around at the end.

**0630 July 27<sup>th</sup>** – E-11 is released from the fireline and off duty at fire camp at 0900. They had been on duty for 24 hours.

**1730 night shift 27<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>** – The engine module is assigned to patrol the same location for night shift.

**0120** – A water tender drives the narrow section of road that E-11 had been patrolling and reports that his rear tire was directly at the outside edge of the road as he moved over to drive around firefighters on the inside of the road.

**0200** – E-11 makes another pass on the road. E-11 approaches the firefighters on the side of the road, and like the water tender, moves over. (The firefighters would later report that the engine seemed unusually close to the outside edge of the road). The rear tires slide off the

side of the road and E-11 plunges 1059 feet down the steep hillside killing 3 firefighters and injuring the other 2.

### Lessons Learned Discussion Points

We all function in the capacity of "trainee" many times in our careers. On-the-job training is a necessary and valuable part of our learning.

- *What can you do to help ensure that your trainee opportunities are challenging and a success?*

Many fireline situations are challenging and in an unforgiving environment.

- *As a supervisor what can you do to set your trainees up for success?*

Of the dual tires that slipped off the road first, the inside tire had significantly less tread than the other tires (less than the acceptable standard). There is an entry in the vehicle log book that the left inner dual needs replacing.

- *For your crew, what is the protocol to follow for documenting and correcting a deficiency in your crew vehicles?*

The length of duty time for drivers for the 26-27<sup>th</sup> exceeded the standard driving duty limitation of 16 hours with 10 hours driving. Both drivers of E-11 exceeded the driving limitation by 8-9 hours.

- *If you or your crew are being asked to exceed your duty limitation, what do you do?*

At the rollover site the road is only 27 inches wider than E-11.

- *When you and your crew are faced with a situation that has a very narrow margin for error, what are some of your options?*

#### Resources

[Stanza Fire Engine Rollover Investigation Report](#)  
[6 Minutes for Safety discussion "Driving Safety"](#)

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

[EMAIL](#) | [Facebook](#) | MAIL: 6 Minutes for Safety Subcommittee • 3833 S. Development Ave • Boise, ID 83705 | FAX: 208-387-5250