

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, September 13, 2018 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 3

National Fire Activity

Initial Attack Activity:	Light (80 fires)
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires:**	24
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	4
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7

Nationally, there are 61 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.

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	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	18	444,597	91	222	26	3,856
ONCC	6	567,866	127	337	21	5,361
OSCC	5	51,529	12	23	5	392
NRCC	20	87,097	22	66	16	1,347
GBCC	16	370,854	37	58	25	1,623
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	9	90,357	11	18	8	363
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	1	143	0	0	0	0
Total	75	1,612,443	300	724	101	12,942

Northern California Area (PL 4)

New fires:	12
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Delta, Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 1 (J. Kurth). Two miles north of Lakehead, CA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with backing, flanking and spotting. Numerous structures and energy, communication and railroad infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect.

Kerlin, Shasta-Trinity NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Dalrymple) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. Eleven miles north of Mad River, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road closures in effect.

Mendocino Complex, Mendocino Unit, Cal Fire. IMT 2 (Wakoski). Five miles south of Potter Valley, CA. Timber, chaparral and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Snell, Sonoma-Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Twelve miles east of Middletown, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous residences threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Delta	CA-SHF	57,233	3,396	17	Ctn	9/22	3,188	368	84	226	15	17	16.2M	FS
Kerlin	CA-SHF	1,750	2	95	Ctn	9/17	452	-289	9	24	1	5	7.1M	FS
Mendocino Complex	CA-MEU	459,123	0	98	Ctn	9/16	531	-11	7	9	2	280	197M	ST
Snell	CA-LNU	2,490	0	75	Ctn	UNK	746	-427	23	66	1	0	5.4M	ST
North	CA-TNF	1,120	0	100	Ctn	---	259	-5	4	12	2	0	8.4M	FS
Hirz	CA-SHF	46,150	0	100	Ctn	---	185	5	0	0	0	0	54.9M	FS

TNF – Tahoe NF

Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires:	11
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Boot, Humboldt-Toiyabe NF. IMT 2 (Bird). Nine miles southwest of Walker, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, backing and creeping. Communication and energy infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Stewart Creek, Sawtooth NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Goldman) back to the local unit will occur today. Eighteen miles northwest of Fairfield, ID. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with torching and creeping. Structures, communication infrastructure and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Bender Mountain, Vernal Field Office, BLM. Seventeen miles northwest of Dutch John, UT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with group torching, smoldering and creeping. Structures, energy infrastructure and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Pole Creek**, Uintah-Wasatch-Cache NF. Twelve miles northeast of Nephi, UT. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with running and long-range spotting. Trail closures in effect. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Lonely**, Bryce Canyon National Park, NPS. Eleven miles southwest of Cannonville, UT. Timber and chaparral. Active fire behavior with running, torching and spotting. Trail closures in effect. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Rabbit Foot, Salmon-Challis NF. Fourteen miles southwest of Salmon, ID. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with group torching, short-range spotting and backing. 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			
Boot	NV-HTF	6,974	0	95	Ctn	9/18	454	-20	11	18	6	0	6.4M	FS
Stewart Creek	ID-STF	5,270	36	60	Ctn	9/15	210	-12	4	2	3	0	10.7M	FS
Bender Mountain	UT-VLD	4,113	0	80	Ctn	9/14	49	-5	2	2	0	1	2.1M	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Pole Creek	UT-UWF	1,500	---	5	Comp	10/1	158	---	6	1	0	0	300K	FS
* Lonely	UT-BRP	200	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	NPS
Rabbit Foot	ID-SCF	36,004	0	75	Comp	10/23	227	-6	3	13	5	0	21.9M	FS
Riggs	UT-DIF	390	140	0	Comp	9/30	54	38	1	3	2	0	90K	FS
Pistol	ID-SCF	426	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FS
Goshute Cave	NV-ELD	31,239	---	95	Comp	9/15	66	---	0	6	2	0	5.4M	BLM
Wapiti	ID-BOF	4,571	---	80	Comp	10/1	11	---	0	0	1	4	2.5M	FS
Bible Back	ID-STF	2,843	---	33	Comp	10/31	12	---	0	0	1	0	1.5M	FS
Sharps	ID-EIS	64,853	---	98	Comp	9/21	0	---	0	0	0	0	9.5M	ST
Bear Trap	UT-UOA	12,246	---	20	Comp	10/31	2	---	0	0	0	0	1.2M	BIA
Broad	NV-HTF	543	---	94	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	550K	FS
Pole Canyon	UT-FIF	360	---	50	Comp	10/1	6	---	0	1	0	0	105K	FS
Murdock	UT-UWF	600	---	80	Comp	9/14	85	---	3	2	0	0	400K	FS
Caton	ID-PAF	630	---	0	Comp	10/15	6	---	0	0	0	0	200K	FS
Kiawah	ID-SCF	14,603	---	0	Comp	10/1	1	---	0	0	0	0	525K	FS

DIF – Dixie NF ELD – Ely District Office, BLM BOF – Boise NF EIS – Eastern Idaho Area, Idaho Department of Lands
 UOA – Uintah and Ouray Agency, BIA FIF – Fishlake NF UWF – Uinta-Wasatch-Cache NF PAF – Payette NF

Northwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	11
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	6
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Klondike, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Dueitt). Nine miles northwest of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Crescent Mountain, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF. IMT 1 (Schulte). IMT is also managing the McLeod and Holman incidents. Eighteen miles west of Winthrop, WA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

McLeod, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF. Six miles north of Mazama, WA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Holman, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF. Nineteen miles northwest of Mazama, WA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Terwilliger, Willamette NF. IMT 2 (Johnson). Five miles southeast of Blue River, OR. Timber, hardwood litter and closed timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering, backing and creeping. Numerous structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Natchez, Rogue River-Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Knerr). Fifteen miles southeast of Cave Junction, OR. Timber, brush and hardwood litter. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking and creeping. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Cougar Creek, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF. Twelve miles northwest of Ardenvoir, WA. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Miles, Umpqua NF. Five miles northeast of Trail, OR. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and creeping. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Tepee 1144 NE, Deschutes NF. Fifteen miles southeast of Bend, OR. Timber, brush and short grass. No new information received.

Miriam, Okanogan/Wenatchee NF. Previously reported incident. Fifteen miles east of Packwood, WA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. 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			
Klondike	OR-RSF	134,659	418	58	Ctn	10/31	1,151	-64	27	79	9	0	67.2M	FS
Crescent Mountain	WA-OWF	51,363	0	42	Comp	10/22	764	285	18	39	8	0	37.5M	FS
McLeod	WA-OWF	22,848	105	55	Comp	10/1	0	-285	0	0	0	0	11.1M	FS
Holman	WA-OWF	302	0	0	Comp	10/20	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	FS
Terwilliger	OR-WIF	10,948	0	66	Ctn	10/31	459	-32	8	19	4	0	14.8M	FS
Natchez	OR-RSF	32,859	77	81	Ctn	10/15	189	-33	3	4	4	0	40.8M	FS
Cougar Creek	WA-OWF	42,712	0	79	Ctn	9/15	76	-8	2	4	0	0	40.0M	FS
Miles	OR-UPF	54,068	140	65	Ctn	9/30	305	2	4	9	0	0	87.9M	FS
Tepee 1144 NE	OR-DEF	2,027	---	75	Ctn	9/30	260	---	10	16	0	0	600K	FS

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Miriam	WA-OWF	5,330	128	50	Comp	9/30	49	14	1	3	0	0	13.5M	FS
Bannock Lakes	WA-OWF	497	---	0	Comp	12/2	0	---	0	0	0	0	44K	FS
Clear Fork	WA-GPF	113	---	0	Comp	10/31	2	---	0	0	0	0	478K	FS
Maple	WA-OLF	3,200	---	45	Comp	10/31	16	---	1	1	0	0	4.5M	FS
Wrong Creek	WA-MSF	310	---	0	Comp	10/15	3	---	0	0	0	0	675K	FS
Buckindy	WA-MSF	105	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FS
Little Fork	WA-NCP	430	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	NPS
Arctic Jim	WA-NCP	650	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	20K	NPS

Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	9
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Horseshoe, Central Land Office, Montana DNRC. One mile north of Clarkston, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Road closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Howe Ridge, Glacier National Park, NPS. IMT 1 (Goicoechea). IMT is also managing the Whale Butte, Boundary, Paola Ridge and Coal Ridge incidents. Ten miles north of West Glacier, MT. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Whale Butte, Flathead NF. Forty-five miles north of Kalispell, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened. Area closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Boundary, Glacier National Park, NPS. Forty-two miles northeast of Whitefish, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Paola Ridge, Flathead NF. Three miles northwest of Essex, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures and railroad infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Coal Ridge, Flathead NF. Twenty-eight miles north of Kalispell, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Gold Hill, Kootenai NF. IMT 2 (Almas). Thirteen miles north of Libby, MT. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and creeping. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Sterling Complex, (2 fires). Kootenai NF. Eighteen miles south of Eureka, MT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous residences and communication and energy infrastructure threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Rattlesnake Creek, Nez Perce-Clearwater NF. Five miles southwest of Riggins, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Goldstone, Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF. Twelve miles south of Jackson, MT. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Buffalo Pasture, Fort Peck Agency, BIA. Eighteen miles north of Poplar, MT. Grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Horseshoe	MT-CES	1,525	-475	18	Ctn	10/1	135	53	2	14	4	5	405K	ST
Howe Ridge	MT-GNP	14,499	275	20	Ctn	11/1	134	-21	0	4	6	27	11.7M	NPS
Whale Butte	MT-FNF	515	0	92	Comp	11/1	31	-15	0	1	0	0	2.4M	FS
Boundary	MT-GNP	2,911	1	14	Ctn	11/1	20	0	0	0	0	0	675K	NPS
Paola Ridge	MT-FNF	1,004	0	45	Comp	11/1	69	0	2	5	0	0	2.8M	FS

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Coal Ridge	MT-FNF	280	0	70	Comp	11/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	602K	FS
Gold Hill	MT-KNF	6,523	271	28	Ctn	10/15	512	12	11	13	3	0	13.1M	FS
Sterling Complex	MT-KNF	1,405	0	85	Ctn	9/30	52	-3	1	3	0	0	7.1M	FS
Rattlesnake Creek	ID-NCF	8,220	0	90	Ctn	9/30	8	0	0	1	0	0	26.1M	FS
Goldstone	MT-BDF	9,360	0	26	Ctn	11/1	14	-7	0	2	0	0	7.0M	FS
Buffalo Pasture	MT-FPA	7,800	---	90	Ctn	9/17	8	---	0	1	0	0	380K	BIA

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Bacon Rind	MT-CGF	4,500	84	26	Comp	10/1	57	0	1	5	1	0	3.2M	FS
Cougar	ID-IPF	7,861	---	85	Comp	9/12	40	---	1	1	1	0	4.9M	FS
Davis	MT-KNF	6,614	---	40	Comp	9/15	86	---	1	1	0	0	13.1M	FS
Beaver Creek	MT-BDF	2,090	---	35	Comp	10/15	15	---	0	0	0	0	525K	FS
Surprise Creek	ID-IPF	3,185	---	78	Comp	9/30	17	---	0	2	0	0	2M	FS
Rampike	ID-IPF	2,810	---	0	Comp	11/30	10	---	0	1	0	0	1M	FS
Copper Mountain	ID-IPF	468	---	23	Comp	10/31	2	---	0	0	0	0	1.9M	FS
Moose Creek	MT-HLF	275	---	0	Comp	10/31	10	---	0	0	1	0	15K	FS
Brownstone	MT-FNF	2,375	---	0	Comp	10/1	8	---	0	0	0	0	45K	FS
Smith Creek	ID-IPF	985	---	0	Comp	10/31	7	---	0	1	0	0	239K	FS
Juliet	MT-FNF	1,000	---	0	Comp	10/1	2	---	0	0	0	0	12K	FS

CGF – Custer-Gallatin NF IPF – Idaho Panhandle NF HLF – Helena-Lewis and Clark NF

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 12
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Silver Creek, Medicine Bow-Routt NF. Sixteen miles northwest of Kremmling, CO. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with crowning, running and long-range spotting. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

* **Seaman**, Arapaho and Roosevelt NF. Seven miles northwest of Fort Collins, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, uphill runs and short-range spotting. Residences threatened. 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			
Silver Creek	WY-MRF	6,000	992	55	Ctn	11/1	118	91	4	7	1	0	13.2M	FS
* Seaman	CO-ARF	150	---	0	Ctn	9/30	140	---	4	1	3	0	150K	FS

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Bull Draw	CO-UPD	30,580	---	60	Comp	9/15	6	---	0	0	0	1	11M	BLM
Horse	CO-SJF	272	---	90	Comp	9/15	35	---	1	0	2	0	1.4M	FS
Cache Creek	CO-WRF	2,703	---	55	Comp	9/25	26	---	1	1	0	1	6.3M	FS
Weston Pass	CO-PSF	13,023	---	95	Comp	9/30	5	---	0	1	0	1	9.7M	FS

UPD – Uncompahgre Field Office, BLM SJF – San Juan NF WRF – White River NF PSF – Pike-San Isabel NF

Southwest Area (PL 1)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
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Perkins	AZ-KNF	115	---	0	Comp	9/30	8	---	0	2	0	0	20K	FS
Hub Point	AZ-ASF	5,056	---	95	Comp	UNK	4	---	0	1	0	0	60K	FS
Bald	AZ-KNF	340	---	90	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	20K	FS
Platypus	AZ-COF	1,600	---	10	Comp	11/30	3	---	0	0	0	0	80K	FS
Rhino	AZ-COF	353	---	25	Comp	11/30	3	---	0	0	0	0	50K	FS
Cat	AZ-KNF	3,738	---	0	Comp	11/15	5	---	0	1	0	0	600K	FS
Cerro	NM-RPD	400	---	3	Comp	9/30	7	---	0	1	0	0	60K	BLM

KNF – Kaibab NF ASF – Apache-Sitgreaves NF COF – Coconino NF RPD – Rio Puerco Field Office, BLM

Alaska Area (PL 1)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	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														
Kevinjik	AK-UYD	28,652	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Little Melozitna River	AK-TAD	27,021	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Dome Creek	AK-UYD	832	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Charley River	AK-UYD	542	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Andrew Creek	AK-UYD	8,249	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	138K	NPS
Edwards Creek	AK-UYD	132	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Eureka Creek	AK-UYD	148	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Taixtsalda Hill	AK-TAS	27,194	---	1	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	1.8M	ST
Webber Creek	AK-UYD	6,839	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	NPS
Door Mountains	AK-SWS	10,454	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	ST

UYD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM TAD – Tanana Zone, BLM TAS – Tok Area, Alaska DOF SWS – Southwest Area, Alaska DOF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alaska Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	1	1	0	0	7	3	11
Northwest Area	ACRES	2	1	0	0	0	2,052	2,055
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	10	2	12
Northern California Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	37	3,617	3,654
	FIREs	0	1	0	0	19	0	20
Southern California Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	FIREs	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Northern Rockies Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	3	1	0	5	2	11
Great Basin Area	ACRES	0	194	1	162	13	21	391
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southwest Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	8	4	12
Rocky Mountain Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	890	893
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	2	0	0	0	6	1	9
Southern Area	ACRES	1,500	0	0	0	12	0	1,512
TOTAL FIRES:		3	5	1	0	58	13	80
TOTAL ACRES:		1,500	195	1	162	71	6,580	8,511

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	119	0	0	198	29	346
	ACRES	0	362,488	0	0	46,019	62	408,569
Northwest Area	FIREs	289	228	33	35	1,227	774	2,586
	ACRES	24,463	272,901	4,733	3,882	152,002	319,780	777,76
Northern California Area	FIREs	70	20	3	34	2,267	384	2,778
	ACRES	3,707	2,883	7	42,981	743,282	506,287	1,299,148
Southern California Area	FIREs	24	62	5	44	2,972	335	3,442
	ACRES	495	1,457	5	11,576	42,260	156,169	211,962
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	768	56	4	15	664	408	1,915
	ACRES	7,283	919	2,938	18,313	18,656	72,35	120,466
Great Basin Area	FIREs	35	881	7	34	912	468	2,337
	ACRES	19,198	1,044,713	5	266	504,196	248,019	1,816,398
Southwest Area	FIREs	691	234	9	58	786	1,238	3,016
	ACRES	33,055	5,455	426	17,550	293,176	176,064	525,726
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	390	508	9	36	861	418	2,222
	ACRES	3,977	123,266	1,713	282	350,991	167,128	647,357
Eastern Area	FIREs	461	0	7	25	4,269	365	5,127
	ACRES	4,154	0	24	190	27,297	7,258	38,923
Southern Area	FIREs	437	67	41	56	22,920	333	23,854
	ACRES	116,682	310	8,682	21,040	1,161,533	28,419	1,336,667
TOTAL FIRES:		3,165	2,175	118	337	37,076	4,752	47,623
TOTAL ACRES:		213,014	1,814,394	18,533	116,080	3,339,413	1,681,547	7,182,984

Ten Year Average Fires (2008 – 2017 as of today)	49,739
Ten Year Average Acres (2008 – 2017 as of today)	5,718,807

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alaska Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Northern Rockies Area	ACRES	0	29	35	0	0	165	229
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	FIREs	0	0	0	0	145	0	145
Southern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,006	0	1,006
TOTAL FIRES:	0	1	0	0	145	0	146	
TOTAL ACRES:	0	29	35	0	1,006	165	1,235	

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	28	29	10	9	0	164	240
	ACRES	5,891	5,546	4,607	416	0	46,087	62,547
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	10	16	40	2	4	118	190
	ACRES	3,336	12,505	10,526	12,200	257	15,062	53,886
Great Basin Area	FIREs	2	20	2	4	31	75	134
	ACRES	75	2,287	40	67	2,315	23,143	27,927
Southwest Area	FIREs	14	15	7	4	1	136	177
	ACRES	2,372	12,963	204	836	51	74,639	91,065
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	32	40	26	9	87	113	307
	ACRES	2,876	4,710	15,597	263	9,597	48,889	81,932
Eastern Area	FIREs	57	0	151	29	1,098	232	1,567
	ACRES	32,016	0	23,486	7,669	92,681	73,150	229,002
Southern Area	FIREs	73	0	167	29	66,970	985	68,224
	ACRES	18,960	0	141,226	120,642	2,414,546	976,675	3,672,049
TOTAL FIRES:		218	125	418	104	68,203	2,082	71,150
TOTAL ACRES:		65,538	39,893	201,774	144,079	2,555,640	1,288,404	4,295,328

*** 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: Major Hurricane Florence will move close to the southern coast of North Carolina today, bringing deadly winds, strong storm surge, extraordinary rainfall, and catastrophic flooding – flooding that will eventually be observed more than 100 miles inland in the coming days. As the storm approaches the coast later in the day, it will begin to weaken but will slow its approach and delay landfall. The effects of this event will likely impact the region for weeks, if not longer. Elsewhere, a cool trough of low pressure will linger over the West, allowing for temperatures to remain slightly below normal. Breezy winds will continue across the Great Basin and the central Rockies, along with low afternoon humidity. This will lead to areas of critical fire weather conditions, especially across Nevada, Utah, and Wyoming. To the north, showers are expected across Washington and Oregon. Northern Idaho and Montana may also see shower activity in the afternoon.

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



Chainsaw Safety

Felling Safety Category

Chainsaw safety is every saw operator's job.

- Always wear proper P.P.E. when handling or working around chainsaws.
 - Eye protection – approved goggles or safety glasses
 - Hearing protection – ear plugs or muffs
 - Helmet
 - Chainsaw chaps – proper size and length
 - Gloves – proper size
 - Long sleeve shirt – no loose sleeves
 - Leather boots – no loose boot laces
- Take the time to inspect the chainsaw before operating the saw.
 - Check the chain and bar – sharpness of chain, bar seated correctly
 - Check the bolts and screws all around the saw – no missing screws or bolts
 - Check the casing of the saw – no cracked or missing plastic
 - Felling axe and wedges in good condition
 - Saw gas and bar oil in sufficient quantities to meet objectives
 - Basic saw maintenance tools on site and specific to saw in use
 - Review fuel geysering indicators/potential
- Make sure you're aware of your surroundings while operating the chainsaw.
 - Look for and anticipate people working in your area. The chainsaw operator is responsible for controlling the cutting area and communicating with others in the cutting area.
 - Look for any snags or overhead hazards in your area. Maintain recommended spacing of falling teams or others working in the cutting area.
 - Establish consistent communications with spotters/swampers. Always minimize personnel working directly at the stump or in the felling area.
 - Are there other risk factors that increase the complexity of the job – loose soils, rocky ground, steep terrain, weather factors or poor visibility, tree condition, others?
- Complete a personal Risk Assessment to determine if you are comfortable completing the task at hand. Don't let job performance pressure force you in over your skill level.
 - Proper training and certification level for personnel running saws and assisting with saw operations.
 - Describe your medical response plan and how it is implemented including extricating a severe injury at the work site.
 - If you are not comfortable falling the tree, walk away. Notify your supervisor and mitigate the safety issues or turn down the assignment.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.