

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, July 3, 2019 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (133) new fires
New large incidents:	4
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:**	11
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

Nationally, there are 41 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.

[Link](#) to Understanding the IMSR.

Five wildland fire suppression crews and one Interagency Resource Representative (IARR) are assigned to support large fires in Alberta, Canada.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	25	301,409	55	26	18	1,881
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	2	2,832	2	5	1	71
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	6	4,821	4	41	9	273
SWCC	14	169,023	29	40	10	1,040
RMCC	2	2,595	2	4	0	69
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	6	43,299	0	28	3	129
Total	55	523,980	92	144	41	3,463

Alaska Area (PL 4)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs Committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs Committed:	3

Shovel Creek, Fairbanks Area Zone, Alaska DOF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (AK Green Team) to IMT 1 (PNW Team 2) will occur today. Twenty miles northwest of Fairbanks, AK. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous residences and communication infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road and trail closures in effect.

Swan Lake, Kenai-Kodiak Area, Alaska DOF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (AK Black Team) to IMT 2 (NW Team 13) will occur today. Started on FWS land six miles northeast of Sterling, AK. Timber and short grass. Active fire behavior with spotting, single tree torching and flanking. Numerous residences and structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Boundary River, Tok Area Forestry, Alaska DOF. Started on Native corporation land 37 miles southeast of Tok, AK. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened.

Caribou Creek, Fairbanks Area Zone, Alaska DOF. Twenty miles northeast of North Pole, AK. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Residences threatened.

Christian River, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Started on Native corporation land 43 miles northeast of Venetie, AK. Timber, grass and understory. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

Hess Creek, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Started on state land 29 miles northeast of Steven's Village, AK. Timber and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing and creeping. Residences and structures threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Hadweenzic River, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Previously reported incident. Started on FWS land 26 miles northeast of Beaver, AK. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, creeping and smoldering. 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			
Shovel Creek	AK-FAS	10,008	0	8	Ctn	07/30	667	62	17	18	7	0	6.1M	ST
Swan Lake	AK-KKS	77,732	0	69	Comp	08/31	451	-3	13	8	4	0	10.4M	FWS
Boundary River	AK-TAS	15,000	0	0	Ctn	07/25	133	39	5	0	2	0	1.3M	TRI
Caribou Creek	AK-FAS	310	0	75	Ctn	UNK	107	0	4	0	3	0	3.5M	ST
Christian River	AK-UYD	150	0	60	Ctn	07/06	57	0	2	0	0	0	337K	TRI
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Hess Creek	AK-UYD	97,696	3,696	0	Comp	07/31	60	17	0	0	0	2	500K	ST
Nugget Creek	AK-FAS	6,900	---	0	Comp	10/01	4	---	0	0	0	0	5K	ST
Lloyd Mountain	AK-TAD	20,026	---	0	Comp	07/31	13	---	0	0	0	0	87K	ST
Foraker	AK-TAD	5,144	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	NPS
Black River	AK-UYD	15,478	---	0	Comp	7/31	38	---	2	0	0	0	27K	BLM
Tractor Trail 2	AK-UYD	2,289	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	1	0	0	0	90K	ST
Hadweenzic River	AK-UYD	20,874	7,568	0	Comp	07/31	8	-19	0	0	0	0	200K	FWS
McArthur Creek	AK-TAS	22,000	995	0	Comp	07/15	2	2	0	0	0	0	400K	ST
Victoria Mountain	AK-UYD	1,440	446	0	Comp	07/31	8	0	0	0	0	0	34K	BLM

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
North River	AK-GAD	69,630	---	0	Comp	09/01	0	---	0	0	0	0	30K	BLM
Old Grouch Top	AK-SWS	21,433	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	22K	ST
Hurst Creek	AK-SWS	11,500	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	22K	ST
Little Crazy Mountain	AK-UYD	7,500	---	0	Comp	07/27	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Wilderness	AK-TAD	5,815	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	BLM
Marr	AK-UYD	5,500	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	12K	BLM
Yukon Charley	AK-UYD	4,800	---	0	Comp	07/22	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	NPS
Little Kasigluk	AK-SWS	3,640	---	0	Comp	08/08	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Frozen Calf	AK-UYD	3,037	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FWS
Kugruk River 1	AK-GAD	2,707	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	20K	BLM
South Fork Buckland River	AK-GAD	2,504	---	0	Comp	09/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	BLM
Buckland 3	AK-GAD	2,338	---	0	Comp	09/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Bergman Creek	AK-TAD	1,731	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Beaver	AK-MID	1,300	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	PRI
Bakbuk Creek	AK-SWS	776	---	0	Comp	07/04	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	ST
Kateel River	AK-GAD	685	---	0	Comp	09/01	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
Koyuk River	AK-GAD	600	---	0	Comp	09/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	BLM
East Fork Dennison	AK-TAS	400	---	0	Comp	07/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	ST
Little Mud River	AK-TAD	400	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	FWS
Biederman Bluff	AK-UYD	350	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FWS
Snowshoe Creek	AK-TAD	217	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	ST
Bearnose Hill	AK-UYD	200	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	TRI
Page Mountain	AK-SWS	200	---	0	Comp	07/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	39K	ST

GAD - Galena Zone, BLM TAD – Tanana Zone, BLM SWS - Southwest Area Forestry, Alaska DOF MID –Military Zone, BLM

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 10
New large incidents: 2
Uncontained large fires: 5
Type 2 IMTs Committed: 1

Miller, Coronado NF. Previously reported incident. Seven miles west of Cloverdale, NM. IMT 2 (SW Team 4) mobilizing. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and creeping. Residences threatened.

* **San Rafael**, Southeast District, Arizona DOF. Twelve miles southeast of Patagonia, AZ. Grass and timber. Active fire behavior with running, wind-driven runs and smoldering. Residences threatened.

* **Coleman**, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. Six miles southwest of Alpine, AZ. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and backing. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Wagonbed, Gila NF. Twelve miles south of Winston, NM. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and isolated torching. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Pine Lodge, Lincoln NF. Five miles northwest of Arabella, NM. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and isolated torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Van Valer, Coronado NF. Eighteen miles southwest of Pima, AZ. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Gap, San Carlos Agency, BIA. Ten miles northeast of Bylas, AZ. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Miller	AZ-CNF	4,500	400	0	Comp	07/15	151	5	6	8	1	0	100K	FS
* San Rafael	AZ-A3S	438	---	75	Ctn	07/03	64	---	2	3	0	0	7K	ST
Wagonbed	NM-GNF	445	-15	0	Ctn	07/06	151	74	6	3	1	0	200K	FS
Pine Lodge	NM-LNF	14,783	740	48	Ctn	08/01	143	-2	3	5	1	3	6M	FS
Van Valer	AZ-CNF	530	0	55	Ctn	07/07	73	-72	3	1	1	0	800K	FS
Gap	AZ-SCA	16,711	0	90	Ctn	07/03	71	-4	1	4	3	0	810K	BIA
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
* Coleman	AZ-ASF	473	---	0	Comp	07/05	28	---	1	2	0	0	20K	FS
Woodbury	AZ-TNF	123,875	0	80	Comp	07/15	307	-14	6	10	3	0	22.6M	FS
Lone Mountain	NM-LNF	3,631	407	90	Comp	07/15	37	0	1	1	0	0	300K	FS
Gurule	NM-CAF	2,360	---	90	Comp	UNK	30	---	0	3	0	0	465K	FS

TNF – Tonto NF CAF – Carson NF

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 48
New large incidents: 1
Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Perchman**, National Forests in Florida. Three miles west of Welaka, FL. Southern rough and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with running, flanking and wind-driven runs. Residences threatened.

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														
* Perchman	FL-FNF	675	---	30	Ctn	07/16	16	---	0	4	2	0	35K	FS

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 25
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
East	CA-MNF	410	0	45	Comp	07/31	54	2	2	0	1	0	1.3M	FS

MNF – Mendocino NF

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 17

New large incidents:

1

Uncontained large fires:

1

* **Table Butte**, Idaho Falls District, BLM. Ten miles south of Dubois, ID. Short grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Table Butte	ID-IFD	806	---	0	Ctn	UNK	52	---	0	11	1	0	15K	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Skull Flat	UT-FIF	1,517	0	50	Comp	07/12	146	0	4	3	4	0	653K	FS

FIF – Fishlake NF

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires:2

New large incidents:0

Uncontained large fires:0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Doe Canyon	CO-SJF	2,390	740	75	Comp	07/15	45	3	2	3	0	0	375K	FS

SJF – San Juan NF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
	ACRES	0	51,200	0	0	18,355	1	69,556
Northwest Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	13	0	15
	ACRES	93	0	0	0	3	0	96
Northern California Area	FIRES	3	0	0	0	20	2	25
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	20	5	27
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	0	3	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	2	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	5	0	0	9	3	17
	ACRES	0	1,130	0	0	7	0	1,137
Southwest Area	FIRES	4	1	0	0	0	5	10
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	1	7	11
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
	ACRES	1	2	0	0	0	0	3
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	48	0	48
	ACRES	0	0	0	10	306	0	316
TOTAL FIRES:		10	9	0	0	98	16	133
TOTAL ACRES:		98	52,332	0	10	18,697	13	71,150

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	148	0	0	195	18	361
	ACRES	0	376,404	0	0	222,087	6	598,497
Northwest Area	FIRES	156	34	7	5	448	135	785
	ACRES	3,313	19,370	83	1	1,716	869	25,353
Northern California Area	FIRES	9	6	2	2	917	96	1,032
	ACRES	9	24	0	1	9,277	829	10,140
Southern California Area	FIRES	8	46	3	4	1,369	118	1,548
	ACRES	17	93	2,565	5	10,126	849	13,655
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	484	10	10	1	216	82	803
	ACRES	4,831	132	1,424	0	6,127	682	13,197
Great Basin Area	FIRES	9	135	0	10	187	48	389
	ACRES	17	3,880	0	8	3,117	1,602	8,624
Southwest Area	FIRES	359	104	7	12	326	315	1,123
	ACRES	18,700	5,072	10	1,138	14,271	191,330	230,521
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	99	75	1	5	182	84	446
	ACRES	787	139	5,048	0	14,181	5,816	25,971
Eastern Area	FIRES	300	0	8	27	2,709	234	3,278
	ACRES	569	0	52	520	25,030	5,540	31,711
Southern Area	FIRES	188	0	24	39	9,826	196	10,273
	ACRES	22,129	0	846	2,152	149,296	13,008	187,431
TOTAL FIRES:		1,612	558	62	105	16,375	1,326	20,038
TOTAL ACRES:		50,373	405,115	10,028	3,825	455,229	220,533	1,145,105

Ten Year Average Fires (2009 – 2018 as of today)	30,679
Ten Year Average Acres (2009 – 2018 as of today)	2,321,127

***Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

***Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <https://gacc.nifc.gov/>

Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	17	2	467	11,307
YUKON TERRITORY	3	36,828	49	68,355
ALBERTA	20	4	711	804,992
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	29	46	4,694
SASKATCHEWAN	3	0	165	1,250
MANITOBA	27	15,993	169	45,683
ONTARIO	13	44,682	178	73,673
QUEBEC	0	0	113	5,645
NEWFOUNDLAND	1	0	58	83
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	120	166
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	92	107
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	1	9	1	9
NATIONAL PARKS	32	558	32	558
TOTALS	117	98,105	2,201	1,016,520

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: High pressure over the northern Gulf of Alaska will creep northward to be over the Kenai Peninsula by afternoon. This will initiate a long duration warming and drying trend for the state as the high pressure ridge continues to drift north and stall over the Interior in the coming days. A trough of low pressure along the West Coast will intensify southward and produce a cooling trend. On the northern end of the trough showers and storms are expected across the Northern Rockies. Arizona and New Mexico will remain hot. Convection will be diminished temporarily over New Mexico as high pressure amplifies over the state. The East will remain hot and humid as the Bermuda high pressure area remains amplified over Florida and Georgia.

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



Day 4 Inattentional Blindness

This Week of Remembrance is dedicated to all those who have fallen in the line of duty and is intended to serve as an opportunity to renew our commitment to the health, wellness, and safety of wildland firefighters.

It's logical to think that you can see whenever your eyes are open, but the reality is that attention plays a crucial role in your ability to visually perceive something. Inattentional blindness occurs when our eyes are open to our current environment, but focused on the "shiny object."

The fire environment is full of shiny objects and takes a proactive level of engagement to try to combat our hefty domes into staying focused. A core competency of emergency responders is the ability to direct and sustain attention on a deliberately chosen target or object, and tolerate sustained attention even when it's unpleasant.

Noisy chainsaws, helicopters performing bucket operations, dozers clanking around the hillside and the constant chatter from the radio, all create sources of distractions. As leaders, it's our responsibility to maintain a big picture perspective of our area of operation, but with the nature of our dynamic environment, it requires a collective effort.

Inattentional blindness can occur in any setting. Have you ever been distracted by an unresolved issue at work or home while doing a routine task like the morning inspection of the engine? Inattentional blindness can cause you to "see" what you expect to see rather than what is actually there.

I'm sure we've all heard the analogy, "two heads are better than one" or "four eyes see more than two". In order to increase our odds of processing our environment, we need to empower all those around us. Whether you're the Incident Commander, Division Supervisor, or Firefighter, we need to foster a healthy command climate that allows for open communication.

Span of Control is another tool we have that helps in the battle of inattentional blindness. Being able to delegate particular tasks helps divvy out our mental capacity and provides us with different viewpoints.

Action:

1 - Watch this video (if you have seen this before, don't give it away!)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vJG698U2Mvo>

2 - Then discuss these questions:

- 🧵 What situations in your daily work are likely to result in inattentional blindness?
- 🧵 What situations on a fire are likely to result in inattentional blindness?
- 🧵 How can you prepare for and mitigate this condition?
- 🧵 How will you maintain awareness of your own attention?

Supporting Materials:

Fancy car - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U1saQoMRD8A>

The invisible gorilla (a more in depth breakdown) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Utki8YF7dgQ>

How can YOU Honor through Learning?