

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, April 30, 2020 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (90 new fires)
New large incidents:	0
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:***	3
Area Command teams committed:	3
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Nationally, there are 0 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.

This report will be posted Monday – Friday at 0800 Mountain time unless significant activity occurs.

Area Command teams (Team 1 Stutler, Team 2 Sexton and Team 3 Jalbert) have been assigned by the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group (NMAC) to develop a national COVID-19 wildland fire response plan.

NIMO (Houseman) has been assigned to COVID-19 support at Forest Service headquarters in Washington D.C.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	1	1	0	0	0	29
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	1	842	0	0	0	0
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	1	0	0	1	0	14
SACC	7	28,504	4	33	5	351
Total	10	29,347	4	34	5	394

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 49
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 3

Holcombe Rd, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land thirty-four miles southwest of Ozona, TX. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

Silverking, Big Cypress National Preserve, NPS. Forty miles west of Coral Springs, FL. Timber and southern rough. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

Sunday Afternoon, Florida Forest Service. Five miles southwest of Tamiami, FL. Timber, brush and tall grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Holcombe Rd	TX-TXS	25,958	0	89	Ctn	5/1	192	19	2	17	0	4	NR	PRI
Silverking	FL-BCP	610	0	70	Ctn	6/30	82	0	1	7	3	0	2.5M	NPS
Sunday Afternoon	FL-FLS	1,286	---	90	Ctn	5/3	42	---	1	3	2	0	267K	ST

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	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	1	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	3	0	0	0	0	1	4
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
Eastern Area	FIRES	7	0	0	0	8	1	16
	ACRES	2	0	0	0	41	0	43
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	49	0	49
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	193	0	193
TOTAL FIRES:		10	0	0	0	77	3	90
TOTAL ACRES:		4	0	0	0	270	0	274

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	11	1	13
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northwest Area	FIRES	41	11	1	0	199	26	278
	ACRES	248	149	1,000	0	267	11	1,675
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	3	0	0	442	44	490
	ACRES	1	57	0	0	678	390	1,127
Southern California Area	FIRES	2	15	1	0	394	50	462
	ACRES	2	5	0	0	147	106	260
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	200	1	0	0	143	42	386
	ACRES	1,573	2	0	0	8,620	315	10,510
Great Basin Area	FIRES	5	35	10	6	103	11	170
	ACRES	35	148	0	42	759	88	1,073
Southwest Area	FIRES	80	50	2	0	66	97	295
	ACRES	253	131	24	0	2,735	1,043	4,187
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	79	9	4	0	145	15	252
	ACRES	593	33	446	0	26,748	1,213	29,033
Eastern Area	FIRES	149	0	20	1	2,937	178	3,285
	ACRES	173	0	1,046	1	9,125	1,408	11,753
Southern Area	FIRES	192	86	10	19	5,726	220	6,253
	ACRES	17,774	404	2,951	1,004	119,332	19,734	161,200
TOTAL FIRES:		749	211	48	26	10,166	684	11,884
TOTAL ACRES:		20,653	930	5,467	1,047	168,414	24,311	220,823

Ten Year Average Fires (2010 – 2019 as of today)	16,918
Ten Year Average Acres (2010 – 2019 as of today)	842,324

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

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

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	626	0	626
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	9,090	0	9,090
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	0	0	626	0	626
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	0	9,090	0	9,090

***Prescribed fire acres are for reference only and may not reflect the most up-to-date information.

***Official prescribed fire accomplishment reporting occurs through agency specific systems of record.

Predictive Services Discussion: A cooling trend will develop over the northwestern states as a cold front moves east from the Pacific Northwest into the Northern Rockies. Showers will accompany its passage. Wetting rainfall is expected to only dip as far south as the northern fringes of the Great Basin. A breezy westerly flow will develop behind the front across Northern California and the Great Basin. Increasing heat across New Mexico will lead to single digit humidities that will further dry fuels. Cool and wet conditions are expected across the Upper Midwest as a cold low pressure area moves east toward Pennsylvania. Breezy and dry conditions are expected across northern Florida in the wake of a passing front. In Alaska, scattered showers are expected along the northern Gulf of Alaska coastline east of Valdez. The Kenai Peninsula and the Interior are expected to remain dry with slightly below average temperatures.

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



Power Line Safety

Miscellaneous Fireline Hazards

Operating near or under power lines poses unique hazards, and the following precautions should be followed to reduce potential equipment damage or injury:

- If possible, the power company should deactivate lines in the fire area.
- Don't operate heavy equipment under power lines.
- Keep all aviation activity away from power lines. Inform air attack and/or other aviation resources of the location of the power lines.
- Don't drive with long antennas under power lines.
- Don't stand near power lines during retardant drops.
- Don't park under power lines. The magnetic field around energized power lines can induce an electrical charge in ungrounded vehicles or equipment. This charge can shock anyone who touches the vehicle.
- Don't apply a straight stream to power lines.
- All personnel should be cautioned that smoke may become charged and conduct the electrical current. Deactivated transmission and distribution lines may continue to pose a hazard due to induction.
- If power lines fall on your vehicle, DON'T leave the vehicle until the power company arrives. If the vehicle is on fire or fire is near, jump clear, don't hang on, keep feet together, and bunny hop away.

Resources:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide, PMS 461](#)

[Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations](#)

[Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide, PMS 210](#)

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