

**Incident Management Situation Report  
Friday, May 5, 2023 – 0730 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity (April 28, 2023 – May 4, 2023):**

<b>Fire Activity and Teams Assigned</b>	<b>Total</b>
Initial attack activity:	Light (682 Fires)
New large incidents:	12
Large fires contained:	14
Uncontained large fires: **	10
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0
<a href="#">Complex IMTs</a> committed:	0

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

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

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**This report will be posted every Friday at 0730 Mountain Time unless significant activity occurs.**

**Active Incident Resource Summary**

<b>GACC</b>	<b>Incidents</b>	<b>Cumulative Acres</b>	<b>Crews</b>	<b>Engines</b>	<b>Helicopters</b>	<b>Total Personnel</b>	<b>Change in Personnel</b>
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	1	227	2	2	0	55	-184
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	-14
SWCC	1	700	2	3	0	54	27
RMCC	1	2,231	0	12	0	60	59
EACC	5	3,665	0	15	2	149	84
SACC	11	38,631	1	30	7	996	632
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>45,454</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1,314</b>	<b>604</b>

## Southern Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Total
New fires:	139
New large incidents:	4
Uncontained large fires:	3

**Great Lakes**, National Forests in North Carolina, USFS. Transfer of command from CIMT (SA Red Team) back to the local unit occurred on 5/2. One mile southeast of New Bern, NC. Chaparral, dormant brush, hardwood slash and timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Communities and numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Sandy**, Big Cypress National Preserve, NPS. Twenty-two miles northeast of Carnestown, FL. Southern rough, tall grass and hardwood litter. Moderate fire behavior with wind-driven runs, short-range spotting and creeping. Structures threatened. Area and trail closures in effect.

\* **Orange Hammock**, Florida Forest Service. Started on private land 2 miles southwest of Port Orange, FL. Timber and southern rough. Extreme fire behavior with flanking, group torching and short-range spotting. Residences threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Great Lakes	NC-NCF	32,400	0	70	Ctn	6/19	224	-9	1	10	2	0	4.5M	FS
* Sandy	FL-BCP	3,300	---	0	Ctn	5/18	60	---	0	1	5	0	420K	NPS
* Orange Hammock	FL-FLS	562	---	60	Ctn	5/6	28	---	0	5	0	0	NR	PRI
* Sand Dunes	TX-TXS	347	---	100	Ctn	---	18	---	0	3	0	0	NR	PRI
* Co Rd. 3221	MS-MSS	125	---	100	Ctn	---	2	---	0	1	0	0	25K	PRI
County Road 121	FL-FLS	1,053	0	100	Ctn	---	26	0	0	6	0	0	NR	PRI
Radar Hill	OK-OSA	425	0	100	Ctn	---	25	0	0	9	0	0	500K	BIA
Swine	OK-WEA	1,364	0	100	Ctn	---	12	0	1	1	0	0	17K	BIA
Aggie Flats	OK-OKS	105	0	100	Ctn	---	3	0	0	1	0	0	3K	ST
Grey Squirrel Hollow	OK-OKS	250	0	100	Ctn	---	2	0	0	1	0	0	3K	ST
North Side	OK-OKS	240	0	100	Ctn	---	3	0	0	2	0	0	3K	ST
Curry Island	FL-FLS	400	100	100	Ctn	---	10	1	0	1	0	0	3K	PRI

TXS – Texas A&M Forest Service    MSS – Mississippi Forestry Commission    OSA – Osage Agency, BIA  
WEA – Wewoka Agency, BIA    OKS – Oklahoma DOF

## Eastern Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Total
New fires:	234
New large incidents:	4
Uncontained large fires:	4

\* **Berg**, Agassiz NWR, FWS. Seven miles east of Middle River, MN. Tall grass and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

\* **Hwy 59**, Bemidji Region, Minnesota, DNR. Two miles south of Waubun, MN. Tall grass. Active fire behavior with running, creeping and smoldering.

\* **SE Thief**, Warroad Forestry Area. Two miles from Gratzke, MN. Tall grass and brush. Extreme fire behavior with running.

\* **Pearson**, Southwest Region, Minnesota DNR. Ten miles southwest of Madison, MN. Tall grass and timber. Active fire behavior with running, creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Berg	MN-AGR	1,728	---	80	Ctn	5/15	43	---	0	1	0	0	89K	FWS
* Hwy 59	MN-1BS	320	---	50	Ctn	5/6	44	---	0	6	1	2	15K	ST
* SE Thief	MN-1DS	1,225	---	90	Ctn	UNK	42	---	0	7	1	0	15K	ST
* Pearson	MN-4XS	390	---	99	Ctn	5/5	18	---	0	0	0	0	5K	ST
Lankey Mountain	WV-WVS	1,370	-130	100	Ctn	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	25K	ST
Log Swamp	NJ-NJS	1,607	0	100	Ctn	---	6	-9	0	3	0	0	15K	ST

WVS – West Virginia DOF NJS – New Jersey Forest Fire Service

### Southwest Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Total
New fires:	65
New large incidents:	3
Uncontained large fires:	2

\* **Park**, Captain District, NM State Forestry. Six miles southwest of Picacho, NM. Short grass and timber. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs and creeping. Residences threatened.

\* **Big Tank**, Las Vegas District, NM State Forestry. Fifteen miles east of Las Vegas, NM. Grass, brush and timber. Active fire behavior with running, creeping and smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Park	NM-N5S	700	---	0	Ctn	5/5	54	---	2	3	0	0	10K	ST
* Big Tank	NM-N4S	900	---	30	Ctn	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	15K	SF
* Marsh	NM-N4S	1,678	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	ST
Antelope Flats	NM-N3S	939	-50	100	Ctn	---	0	-25	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

N3S – Socorro District, NM State Forestry

### Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Total
New fires:	12
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

\* **Natick**, Nebraska NF, USFS. Ten miles southeast of Thedford, NE. Short grass and timber. Active fire behavior with running, backing and spotting.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Natick	NE-NBF	2,231	---	50	Ctn	5/6	60	---	0	12	0	0	150K	FS
Gageby Creek	CO-BNX	4,618	0	100	Ctn	---	1	0	0	0	0	0	369K	CNTY



**Fires and Acres from April 28, 2023 to May 4, 2023 (by Protection):**

<b>Geographic Area</b>	<b>Fires/ Acres</b>	<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	<b>5</b>
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
Northwest	FIRES	3	2	0	0	20	2	<b>27</b>
Northwest	ACRES	4	2	0	0	9	0	<b>15</b>
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	46	1	<b>47</b>
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	17	0	<b>17</b>
Southern California	FIRES	1	0	0	0	59	6	<b>66</b>
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	292	3	<b>295</b>
Northern Rockies	FIRES	13	1	0	0	47	7	<b>68</b>
Northern Rockies	ACRES	51	2	0	0	162	50	<b>265</b>
Great Basin	FIRES	0	4	0	1	12	2	<b>19</b>
Great Basin	ACRES	0	0	0	0	11	0	<b>12</b>
Southwest	FIRES	18	5	2	1	27	12	<b>65</b>
Southwest	ACRES	20	32	0	3	4,906	94	<b>5,055</b>
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	3	2	0	1	6	0	<b>12</b>
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	3	15	0	0	141	0	<b>159</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	41		2	0	187	4	<b>234</b>
Eastern Area	ACRES	62		2,117	0	2,077	3	<b>4,259</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	4	0	0	2	125	8	<b>139</b>
Southern Area	ACRES	15	0	0	3,940	1,342	176	<b>5,473</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>83</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>682</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>154</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,117</b>	<b>3,943</b>	<b>8,958</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>15,549</b>

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

<b>Geographic Area</b>	<b>Fires/ Acres</b>	<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	11	0	<b>11</b>
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Northwest	FIRES	27	11	3	0	118	9	<b>168</b>
Northwest	ACRES	127	92	0	0	195	0	<b>414</b>
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	1	0	271	15	<b>287</b>
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	114	7	<b>121</b>
Southern California	FIRES	2	4	0	21	354	38	<b>419</b>
Southern California	ACRES	1	26	0	22	423	211	<b>683</b>
Northern Rockies	FIRES	22	2	1	0	155	33	<b>213</b>
Northern Rockies	ACRES	69	3	6	0	531	255	<b>864</b>
Great Basin	FIRES	2	36	2	7	36	5	<b>88</b>
Great Basin	ACRES	470	8	0	0	56	1	<b>535</b>
Southwest	FIRES	82	48	4	4	245	93	<b>476</b>
Southwest	ACRES	788	673	33	3	18,695	958	<b>21,150</b>
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	35	6	2	1	83	14	<b>141</b>
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	565	82	36	0	72,679	1,182	<b>74,544</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	83	0	11	10	3,768	175	<b>4,047</b>
Eastern Area	ACRES	927	0	5,180	52	37,674	5,385	<b>49,218</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	352	0	30	46	7,711	271	<b>8,410</b>
Southern Area	ACRES	97,056	0	6,830	12,848	123,090	49,878	<b>289,702</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>605</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>12,752</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>14,260</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>100,002</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>12,085</b>	<b>12,925</b>	<b>253,459</b>	<b>57,877</b>	<b>437,232</b>

<b>Ten Year Average</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Fires (2013 – 2022 as of today)</b>	<b>17,219</b>
<b>Acres (2013 – 2022 as of today)</b>	<b>803,334</b>

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

## **Predictive Services Discussion:**

Dry and breezy conditions will develop over much of the Southwest into southern Colorado and the adjacent High Plains today and tomorrow. Moderate to High risk significant fire potential is forecast for portions of southeast Arizona into central and eastern New Mexico and the adjacent High Plains. Dry conditions will continue into early next week with low afternoon relative humidity and poor overnight recovery. An upper low may move into the Four Corners late next week with breezy and dry conditions likely near and east of the Divide in New Mexico while areas west of the Divide would see improving conditions and isolated to scattered showers.

Hot and dry conditions will continue over Florida today with minimum relative humidity near or below 30%. Higher relative humidity is forecast this weekend into next week with minimum relative humidity above 35%. Isolated showers and thunderstorms are also forecast for much of next week, with localized areas of wetting rain. However, lightning ignitions will be possible with any of the storms and significant fire potential will remain low to moderate.

Upper troughing will continue near the West Coast through mid-next week with periods of showers and thunderstorms and wetting rainfall for the northern half of the West including northern California. An upper low is forecast to move into the southern Great Basin mid-next week with showers possible there as well. Meanwhile, daily scattered showers and thunderstorms are forecast for much of the Plains through the Mississippi Valley to the Appalachians with most locations receiving wetting rain over the next week. The East Coast will be drier with isolated showers and thunderstorms possible late next week, but northern New England will likely remain dry with increasing fire potential. Temperatures over Alaska will continue to be near to below normal with scattered light showers into next week.

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

## **6 Minutes for Safety:**

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is [Communication \(LCES\)](#).