Incident Management Situation Report Tuesday, July 22, 2025 – 0730 MDT National Preparedness Level 4

National Fire Activity:

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
Initial attack activity:	Light (105 fires)
New large incidents:	1
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires:	35
CIMTs committed:	21
NIMOs committed:	1

Nationally, there are 41 fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression. Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

Understanding the IMSR

IMSR Map

Two MAFFS C-130 airtankers and support personnel have been deployed to Port Hueneme, CA to support wildland fire operations nationally. Respective units are from the 152nd Airlift Wing (NV Air National Guard) and 146th Airlift Wing (CA Air National Guard).

Active Incident Resource Summary

GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel	Change in Personnel
AICC	17	448,200	28	20	19	1,312	14
NWCC	18	142,825	129	353	39	5,460	-375
ONCC	3	37,476	68	173	24	2,934	-686
oscc	4	82,949	9	17	3	472	-239
NRCC	5	281	12	12	2	398	-16
GBCC	15	183,939	61	130	33	2,781	104
swcc	7	109,378	29	62	15	1,816	-10
RMCC	7	23,984	26	75	11	1,486	-134
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	2	106	0	5	0	13	-3
Total	78	1,029,138	362	847	146	16,672	-1,345

Northwest Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	15
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	11
CIMTs committed:	8
NIMOs committed:	1

Butte Creek, Warm Springs Agency, BIA. CIMT (NW Team 3). CIMT is also managing the Cram incident. Five miles northeast of Simnasho, OR. Grass, timber and brush. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, flanking and isolated torching. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Burdoin, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. CIMT (NW Team 13). Five miles west of Lyle, WA. Grass, brush and timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and backing. Numerous structures and infrastructure threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

Grizzly Complex, Medford Unit, Oregon DOF. Transfer of command from CIMT (ODF Team 3) back to the local unit today. CIMT is also managing the Board Shanty incident. Twenty miles west of Medford, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Board Shanty, Grants Pass Unit, Oregon DOF. One mile south of Grants Pass, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Elk, Klamath Unit, Oregon DOF. Transfer of command from CIMT (ODF Team 1) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. CIMT is also managing the Hagelstein incident. Seven miles southwest of Beatty, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area and road closures in effect.

Hagelstein, Klamath Unit, Oregon DOF. Four miles southeast of Modoc Point, OR. Timber, light slash and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Energy infrastructure threatened. Area and road closures in effect.

Pomas, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS. CIMT (NW Team 12). CIMT (NW Team 10) mobilizing. Thirty-six miles northwest of Entiat, WA. Grass and timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and isolated torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Hope, Northeast Region, Washington DNR. CIMT (NW Team 8). Started on private land 15 miles north of Kettle Falls, WA. Timber, closed timber litter and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering, creeping and isolated torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Lake Spokane, Northeast Region, Washington DNR. CIMT (NW Team 2) mobilizing. Started on private land 12 miles northwest of Spokane, WA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking and backing. Numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Road closures in effect.

Bear Gulch, Olympic NF, USFS. NIMO Team 2. Ten miles northwest of Hoodsport, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with isolated torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Cram, Prineville District, BLM. Fifteen miles north of Madras, OR. Timber. No new information received.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Butte Creek	OR-WSA	2,000	0	30	Ctn	UNK	196	0	4	12	6	0	500K	BIA
Burdoin	WA-SES	8,776	0	0	Ctn	7/29	417	0	10	56	0	44	4M	ST
Grizzly Complex	OR-711S	887	0	90	Ctn	7/24	126	-100	4	5	12	0	23.8M	ST
Board Shanty	OR-712S	469	0	20	Ctn	7/31	641	-168	24	19	0	0	3.2M	ST

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Elk	OR-981S	2,637	0	90	Ctn	7/30	266	-81	5	14	4	0	16.4M	ST
Hagelstein	OR-981S	669	0	62	Ctn	7/30	353	-157	11	16	0	0	7.7M	ST
Pomas	WA-OWF	3,429	0	0	Ctn	10/1	758	0	11	20	6	0	33.2M	FS
Норе	WA-NES	7,891	0	55	Ctn	8/10	1,008	-19	29	44	1	11	21.7M	PRI
Lake Spokane	WA-NES	2,338	1,083	16	Ctn	8/2	299	101	5	35	3	4	500K	PRI
Bear Gulch	WA-OLF	684	32	19	Ctn	10/1	160	0	4	6	1	0	4.6M	FS
Cram	OR-PRD	95,748		73	Ctn	8/1	887		19	89	4	18	12.9M	PRI
* Greeley Heights	OR-WSA	381		100	Ctn		49		2	3	0	0	50K	BIA

WSA - Warm Springs Agency, BIA

Great Basin Area (PL 4)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	9
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
CIMTs committed:	3

Monroe Canyon, Fishlake NF, USFS. CIMT (GB Team 3). Three miles east of Monroe, UT. Timber, brush and heavy slash. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and short-range spotting. Numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Deer Creek, Southeast Area, Utah DOF. CIMT (GB Team 4). Twenty-five miles southeast of Moab, UT. Timber, chaparral and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Several communities threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

White Sage, Arizona Strip District, BLM. CIMT (GB Team 6). Fifteen miles southeast of Fredonia, AZ. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering, creeping and torching. Several communities and communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Forsyth, Dixie NF, USFS. Thirty miles north of St. George, UT. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Gold, Carson City District, BLM. Six miles northeast of Sparks, NV. Grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Monroe Canyon	UT-FIF	9,545	62	3	Ctn	8/15	878	70	22	45	9	4	7.3M	FS
Deer Creek	UT-SES	17,123	0	54	Ctn	8/7	581	2	11	30	7	13	13.5M	ST
White Sage	AZ-ASD	59,065	223	44	Ctn	7/30	627	-9	13	26	5	0	16.4M	BLM
Forsyth	UT-DIF	15,662	0	95	Ctn	7/31	232	11	3	5	6	17	36.4M	FS
Gold	NV-CCD	1,268	68	35	Ctn	7/22	169	55	5	8	2	0	100K	BLM
Gothic	NV-NAFQ	35,714		25	Comp	8/1	6		0	0	1	0	115K	DOD

NAFQ - Nellis Air Force Base

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	12
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
CIMTs Committed	3

Turner Gulch, Grand Junction Field Office, BLM. CIMT (RM Team 1). CIMT is also managing the Wright Draw incident. Eight miles northeast of Gateway, CO. Brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Numerous residences threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Wright Draw, Grand Junction Field Office, BLM. Eight miles northeast of Gateway, CO. Brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, backing and smoldering. Area, trail and road closures in effect.

South Rim, Black Canyon of the Gunnison NP, NPS. CIMT (RM Team 3). Nine miles east of Montrose, CO. Brush, timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Ute 63, Ute Mountain Ute Agency, BIA. CIMT (CA Team 2). Seven miles southwest of Red Mesa, CO. Brush, grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened.

Cottonwood Flat, Garfield County, CO. Two miles east of Parachute, CO. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area and road closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Turner Gulch	CO-GRD	15,601	-136	34	Ctn	8/1	589	49	14	33	3	0	9M	BLM
Wright Draw	CO-GRD	466	0	69	Ctn	9/15	49	0	0	5	2	0	516K	BLM
South Rim	CO-BCP	4,220	0	31	Ctn	8/10	450	-64	6	21	5	13	9.4M	NPS
Ute 63	CO-UMA	530	0	34	Ctn	7/26	311	-34	5	9	1	0	4.2M	BIA
Cottonwood Flat	CO-GFX	310	0	80	Ctn	7/31	25	-76	0	3	0	0	2.8M	CNTY

Northern California Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	9
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2
CIMTs Committed	3

Orleans Complex, Six Rivers NF, USFS. CIMT (CA Team 1). CIMT (CA Team 4) mobilizing. Ten miles east of Orleans, CA. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, torching and flanking. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Green, Shasta NF, USFS. CIMT (CA Team 3). Thirteen miles east of Lakehead, CA. Brush, hardwood slash and timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Orleans Complex	CA-SRF	17,707	1,098	6	Ctn	8/15	1,652	-69	40	101	11	0	23.5M	FS
Green	CA-SHF	19,022	0	54	Ctn	8/1	1,274	-617	28	72	11	0	40.7M	FS

Southwest Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	7
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
CIMTs Committed	2

Dragon Bravo, Grand Canyon NP, NPS. CIMT (SW Team 4). Two miles west of North Rim, AZ. Timber, chaparral and brush. Active fire behavior with creeping, isolated torching and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

Laguna, Santa Fe NF, USFS. CIMT (SW Team 1). Eight miles north of Gallina, NM. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with running, backing and creeping. Residences threatened. Area closures in effect.

Cabin, Apache-Sitgreaves NF, USFS. Twenty-one miles northwest of Heber, AZ. Timber, grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

Billy, Tonto NF, USFS. Fifteen miles south of Young, AZ. Brush, medium slash and timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and smoldering. Structures threatened. Trail and area closures in effect.

Goose, Gila NF, USFS. Eighteen miles northwest of Silver City, NM. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Trail and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Dragon Bravo	AZ-GCP	12,728	83	18	Ctn	9/1	883	16	16	29	6	113	13.8M	NPS
Laguna	NM-SNF	16,835	122	55	Ctn	7/31	320	-5	2	14	5	0	7.7M	FS
Cabin	AZ-ASF	1,048	0	65	Ctn	8/6	40	-10	2	1	1	0	275K	FS
Billy	AZ-TNF	1,697	290	6	Ctn	8/2	266	1	5	7	3	0	2M	FS
Goose	NM-GNF	3,060	-61	1	Ctn	7/31	193	12	4	5	0	0	2.6M	FS
Turkey Feather	NM-GNF	24,128	0	25	Comp	8/15	103	-7	1	6	0	0	2.3M	FS

Southern California Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	20
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2

Fay, Kern County Fire Department. Seven miles east of Kernville, CA. Grass, brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Dale, Riverside Unit, Cal Fire. Thirteen miles southeast of Sage, CA. Grass, chaparral and brush. Minimal fire behavior with 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
Fay	CA-KRN	648	0	78	Ctn	7/29	160	-24	5	0	2	0	1.6M	FS
Dale	CA-RRU	1,096	0	95	Ctn	7/23	142	-176	1	7	0	0	4.1M	ST
Max	CA-KRN	426	0	100	Ctn		65	-49	2	3	0	0	2.4M	FS

Alaska Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	0
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
CIMTs committed:	2

Nenana Ridge Complex (2 fires), Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. CIMT (AK Team 2). Started on Alaska DNR land 20 miles southwest of Fairbanks, AK. Grass, brush, and timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Himalaya Road, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. CIMT (RM Team 2). CIMT is also managing the Aggie Creek incident. Started on Alaska DNR land 12 miles northwest of Fox, AK. Chaparral and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous residences and energy infrastructure threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Aggie Creek, Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF. Started on Alaska DNR land 23 miles northwest of Fairbanks, AK. Chaparral. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Residences and energy infrastructure threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Seven Mile Lookout, Tok Area, Alaska DOF. Started on Alaska DNR land seven miles southwest of Tok, AK. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with short crown runs, short-range spotting and creeping. 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
Nenana Ridge Complex	AK-FAS	33,106	0	18	Ctn	9/1	374	0	7	9	3	5	15.2M	ST
Himalaya Road	AK-FAS	6,194	0	39	Ctn	10/1	363	23	6	5	4	0	16.3M	ST
Aggie Creek	AK-FAS	35,146	0	5	Ctn	10/1	6	-2	0	0	0	0	3.1M	ST
Seven Mile Lookout	AK-TAS	3,969	0	55	Ctn	9/30	58	0	2	0	0	0	5.5M	ST
Goldrun Complex	AK-GAD	34,050	0	0	Comp	10/1	118	-7	4	0	2	0	2.5M	NPS
Christian	AK-UYD	39,063	0	0	Comp	10/1	4	0	0	0	0	0	284K	FWS
Roundabout Complex	AK-GAD	74,849		31	Comp	10/1	62		2	0	2	0	6.1M	FWS
Ninety-Eight	AK-MID	15,677		54	Comp	10/1	67		2	1	1	0	3.7M	DOD
Elephant	AK-TAD	8,941		79	Comp	10/1	24		1	0	0	0	886K	ST
Ptarmigan Complex	AK-UYD	50,428		0	Comp	10/1	49		0	0	1	0	5.5M	BLM
Obrien	AK-UYD	8,125		0	Comp	10/1	2		0	0	0	0	254K	BLM
Lush	AK-TAD	26,544		65	Comp	10/1	97		3	0	2	0	6.2M	PRI
Twelve Mile Lake	AK-DAS	23,865		0	Comp	9/1	2		0	0	1	0	1.2M	ST
Sand Lake	AK-DAS	6,322		0	Comp	9/1	0		0	0	0	0	399K	ST
McQuisten	AK-TAD	816		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Ulaneak	AK-GAD	257		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Muskox	AK-TAD	1,000		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Thluichohnjik	AK-UYD	147		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Continental	AK-TAD	800		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Chabanika	AK-TAD	3,504		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Hogatza	AK-TAD	28,126		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Moran	AK-TAD	10,805		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Anguitakada	AK-GAD	7,991		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Red	AK-TAD	9,619		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Mauneluk	AK-GAD	2,786		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Takoma	AK-UYD	19,431		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Wheeler	AK-GAD	26,698		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	53K	BLM
Polly	AK-UYD	350		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	136K	BLM
Timber	AK-GAD	703		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Klikhtentotzna	AK-TAD	79,795		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Yukon Fork	AK-UYD	835		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Sikik	AK-GAD	12,325		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	NPS
Doc	AK-UYD	904		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
Helmet	AK-UYD	606		0	Comp	10/1	0		0	0	0	0	NR	FWS

GAD – Galena Zone, BLM MID – Military Zone, BLM TAD – Tanana Zone, BLM UYD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM DAS – Delta Area, Alaska DOF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Geographic Area	Fires/ Acres	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	11	4	15
Northwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	7	33	40
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	8	1	9
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	16	1,484	1,500
Southern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	17	2	20
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	41	2	43
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin	FIRES	0	1	0	0	4	4	9
Great Basin	ACRES	0	123	0	0	1,120	5	1,248
Southwest	FIRES	2	0	0	0	3	2	7
Southwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	2	0	0	7	3	12
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	1	0	0	196	1	198
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Southern Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	16	6	23
Southern Area	ACRES	98	0	0	0	89	29	221
TOTAL FIRES:		3	3	0	0	76	22	105
TOTAL ACRES:		98	124	0	0	1,474	1,554	3,255

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

Geographic Area	Fires/ Acres	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	198	0	0	197	12	407
Alaska	ACRES	0	572,424	0	0	323,659	2	896,085
Northwest	FIRES	164	193	13	23	1,205	399	1,997
Northwest	ACRES	4,863	54,536	3,096	25	22,320	9,135	93,975
Northern California	FIRES	2	11	23	32	1,525	270	1,863
Northern California	ACRES	0	73	756	232	5,348	36,404	42,813
Southern California	FIRES	3	45	7	19	2,492	232	2,798
Southern California	ACRES	44	63,416	846	220	66,735	32,880	164,140
Northern Rockies	FIRES	415	40	13	23	743	228	1,462
Northern Rockies	ACRES	5,920	3,748	920	12	34,632	3,327	48,559
Great Basin	FIRES	21	417	2	23	663	190	1,316
Great Basin	ACRES	5,593	161,745	0	4	56,237	88,348	311,927
Southwest	FIRES	433	107	1	12	458	420	1,431
Southwest	ACRES	8,302	64,266	151	88	44,181	119,282	236,269
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	308	156	9	8	897	171	1,549
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	38,641	4,897	4,717	552	142,805	3,285	194,896
Eastern Area	FIRES	197	0	31	14	8,150	283	8,675
Eastern Area	ACRES	1,608	0	5,862	13	168,360	26,205	202,049
Southern Area	FIRES	376	0	62	85	16,362	545	17,430
Southern Area	ACRES	52,873	0	10,891	32,590	538,737	53,841	688,933
TOTAL FIRES:		1,919	1,167	161	239	32,692	2,750	38,928
TOTAL ACRES:		117,843	925,104	27,240	33,736	1,403,013	372,709	2,879,645

Ten Year Average	Quantity
Fires (2015 – 2024 as of today)	31,647
Acres (2015 – 2024 as of today)	3,356,560

Cumulative acres shown in the Active Incident Resource Summary Table may not be reflected in the YTD statistics due to a lag in units completing YTD adjustments in the SIT/209 Application. Otherwise, changes in agency YTD fires and acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

Predictive Services Discussion:

A cold front is forecast to become stationary from far northern California to the Dakotas today, separating unseasonably cool conditions in the greater Northwest from warmer and drier weather to its south. Monsoonal activity will be limited to portions of the Southwest and Continental Divide, while a few thunderstorms may form in the afternoon over the mountains of the northwestern U.S.

Elevated fire weather is expected across parts of Nevada, Utah and northwestern Arizona, where humidity will range from 10-15% and south-southwest wind gusts as high as 25-35 mph are expected. Mainly wet thunderstorms are forecast over southeastern Arizona into much of New Mexico and Colorado, but frequent lightning and erratic outflow winds will accompany this activity. Isolated thunderstorms are possible from the mountains of far northern California into the Northwest, northern Great Basin and northern Rockies, but temperatures will be as much as 10-20° below average. Some elevated fire weather may affect northwestern Texas into western Oklahoma as highs warm above 100° and south winds gust up to 35 mph, but fuels are less receptive there than in the West.

Low pressure developing along an old front in the coastal Southeast will result in locally heavy rain, while the Northeast will be dry and mild. Severe storms are expected in the Upper Midwest.

National Predictive Services Outlook

6 Minutes for Safety:

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is Cramer Fire (Idaho) - July 22, 2003