

**Incident Management Situation Report  
Thursday, October 24, 2024 – 0730 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 3**

**National Fire Activity:**

<b>Fire Activity and Teams Assigned</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Initial attack activity:	Moderate (220 fires)
New large incidents:	2
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires:	22
CIMTs committed:	7
NIMOs committed:	1

Nationally, there are 13 fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression. Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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[IMSR Map](#)

One fire suppression crew from Parks Canada and one fire suppression crew from Saskatchewan, Canada are supporting fire suppression efforts in the Great Basin Area.

**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>
<b>AICC</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>NWCC</b>	11	269,129	12	17	3	692	<b>96</b>
<b>ONCC</b>	1	5,127	22	23	9	856	<b>-270</b>
<b>OSCC</b>	4	115,036	7	8	10	273	<b>-41</b>
<b>NRCC</b>	5	40,235	4	18	0	203	<b>-63</b>
<b>GBCC</b>	15	628,263	33	67	16	1,498	<b>-92</b>
<b>SWCC</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>RMCC</b>	5	99,890	6	77	6	665	<b>124</b>
<b>EACC</b>	9	2,212	3	27	2	219	<b>51</b>
<b>SACC</b>	24	678	10	21	9	905	<b>-245</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1,159,898</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>5,311</b>	<b>-632</b>

### Southern Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	32
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	2
CIMTs committed:	2
NIMOs committed:	1

NIMO Team 1 has been mobilized to assist Disaster Recovery Staff with organizing a safe, efficient and orderly transition from response to recovery in all hurricane impacted areas across the Southern Region.

**Hurricane Helene Support – NC**, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Transfer of command from CIMT (SW Team 2) back to the local unit will occur today. Primary mission is to coordinate emergency road clearing efforts and provide community support to the counties surrounding Newton, NC.

**Hurricane Helene Support – NC**, North Carolina Forest Service. CIMT (NC State). Primary mission is to coordinate emergency road clearing efforts, perform damage assessments and deliver commodities throughout western North Carolina.

\* **Calhoun**, Alabama Forestry Commission. Four miles west of Blue Mountain, AL. Brush. Minimal fire behavior.

**Bow Mountain**, Oklahoma, DOF. Thirty-two miles southwest of Talihina, OK. Timber and hardwood litter. No new information. Last report unless new information is 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
Hurricane Helene Support – NC	NC-FE4	---	---	---	---	---	45	-8	0	0	0	UNK	3.3M	FEMA
Hurricane Helene Support – NC	NC-NCS	---	---	---	---	---	361	2	0	0	9	UNK	465K	ST
Bow Mountain	OK-OKS	178	---	40	Ctn	UNK	10	---	0	4	0	0	17K	ST
* Calhoun	AL-ALS	500	---	60	Ctn	10/28	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	ST

\*\*Disclaimer: Personnel numbers reflect resources reported on ICS-209s.

### Great Basin Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	5
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
CIMTs committed:	1

**Red Rock**, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. CIMT (GB Team 7). IMT is also managing the Garden fire. Fifteen miles west of Salmon, ID. Grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Garden**, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. Twenty-five miles northwest of Salmon, ID. Grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Yellow Lake**, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache NF, USFS. Ten miles southeast of Francis, UT. Timber, medium slash and grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures, communication infrastructure and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.



## Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	6
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2
CIMTs committed:	1

**Elk**, Bighorn NF, USFS. CIMT (RM Team 1). Fifteen miles northwest of Dayton, WY. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Midnight**, Pine Ridge Agency, BIA. Forty-two miles southeast of Buffalo Gap, SD. Grass and timber. Active fire behavior with running, single tree torching and backing.

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	WY-BHF	96,370	10	52	Ctn	10/31	470	104	5	19	6	17	41M	FS
Midnight	SD-PRA	732	0	80	Ctn	11/2	7	0	0	2	0	0	150K	BIA

## Northern California Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	11
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
CIMTs committed:	2

**Shoe**, Shasta-Trinity NF, USFS. Transfer of command from CIMT (CA Team 13) to CIMT (NW Team 12) will occur tomorrow. Twelve miles southwest of Big Bend, CA. Timber and chaparral. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Energy infrastructure 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
Shoe	CA-SHF	5,127	0	45	Ctn	10/30	856	-270	22	23	9	0	26.8M	FS

## Northwest Area (PL 2)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	2
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	7
CIMTs committed:	1

**Rail Ridge**, Prineville District, BLM. CIMT (NW Team 2). Fifty-one miles northwest of Burns, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Bachelor Complex**, Deschutes NF, USFS. Twenty miles southwest of Bend, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Homestead Complex (4 fires)**, Umpqua NF, USFS. Thirty miles northeast of Glide, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Red**, Deschutes NF, USFS. Eighteen miles west of Crescent, OR. Timber, closed timber litter and medium slash. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Rail Ridge	OR-PRD	176,619	0	92	Ctn	11/1	339	-44	4	1	1	8	82.6M	BLM
Bachelor Complex	OR-DEF	16,426	0	63	Ctn	11/5	67	-15	0	2	0	0	19.3M	FS
Homestead Complex	OR-UPF	12,917	0	65	Ctn	10/30	59	0	1	2	1	0	76.4M	FS
Red	OR-DEF	3,060	0	30	Ctn	11/30	11	-4	0	1	0	0	25.8M	FS

**Eastern Area (PL 3)**

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	147
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	3

**Evergreen Forest**, Sandstone Forestry Area, Minnesota DNR. Ten miles southwest of Pine City, MN. Timber, medium slash and brush. Active fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Summit Lake**, Ottawa NF, USFS. Twenty-four miles southeast of Ishpeming, MI. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

**Lard Lake**, Hiawatha NF, USFS. Nine miles southeast of Munising, MI. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Evergreen Forest	MN-3SS	167	0	70	Ctn	11/2	49	0	0	3	0	0	455K	ST
Summit Lake	MI-OTF	225	0	0	Ctn	11/15	45	16	1	0	1	0	75K	FS
Lard Lake	MI-HIF	79	-121	75	Ctn	11/15	49	35	2	2	0	0	35K	FS
* Puchyan	WI-WIS	646	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	75K	ST

WIS – Wisconsin DNR

**Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)**

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	1
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

**Nevada Lake**, Southwestern Land Office, Montana DNR. Nineteen miles northeast of Drummond, MT. Timber and brush. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Nevada Lake	MT-SWS	190	---	95	Ctn	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	985K	ST
Daly	MT-BRF	11,387	153	56	Comp	11/30	107	-24	2	2	1	0	8.3M	FS
Meridian	MT-BDF	3,900	---	30	Comp	10/31	33	---	1	2	0	0	250K	FS

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Rainbow	MT-BDF	172	---	0	Comp	11/09	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Sheep Creek	MT-BDF	667	---	40	Comp	11/15	17	---	0	4	0	0	1.6M	FS
Eagle Butte	MT-FBA	600	0	100	Ctn	---	59	3	2	4	0	0	170K	BIA

BRF – Bitterroot, NF, USFS    BDF - Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF, USFS    FBA – Fort Belknap Agency, BIA

**Fires and Acres Yesterday (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	0	0	<b>0</b>
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Northwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	1	0	10	0	<b>11</b>
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	4	0	2	0	<b>6</b>
Southern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	12	0	<b>12</b>
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	28	118	0	<b>146</b>
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	5	<b>5</b>
Great Basin	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0.9</b>
Southwest	FIRES	1	1	0	0	2	0	<b>4</b>
Southwest	ACRES	0	4	0	0	0	0	<b>4.1</b>
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	1	0	0	5	0	<b>6</b>
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	58	0	<b>58</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	146	0	<b>147</b>
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	374	0	<b>374</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	10	0	0	1	21	0	<b>32</b>
Southern Area	ACRES	26	0	0	0	131	0	<b>157</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>747</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	140	0	0	224	12	<b>376</b>
Alaska	ACRES	0	553,766	0	0	113,309	1	<b>667,076</b>
Northwest	FIRES	288	278	31	28	1,568	941	<b>3,134</b>
Northwest	ACRES	62,365	1,040,752	68,131	5,301	231,346	345,146	<b>1,753,043</b>
Northern California	FIRES	27	33	2	12	2,437	354	<b>2,865</b>
Northern California	ACRES	91	5,285	8	79	383,256	162,128	<b>550,848</b>
Southern California	FIRES	17	85	1	59	3,956	463	<b>4,581</b>
Southern California	ACRES	796	8,002	0	14,855	185,054	284,057	<b>492,765</b>
Northern Rockies	FIRES	582	91	14	10	1,400	667	<b>2,764</b>
Northern Rockies	ACRES	60,481	178,528	1,801	45	114,749	74,261	<b>429,865</b>
Great Basin	FIRES	57	1,150	8	65	1,282	610	<b>3,172</b>
Great Basin	ACRES	1,849	371,903	350	548	100,257	733,389	<b>1,208,298</b>
Southwest	FIRES	789	214	8	23	584	987	<b>2,605</b>
Southwest	ACRES	52,714	37,797	2,859	1,924	81,122	155,624	<b>332,041</b>
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	508	417	10	26	774	365	<b>2,100</b>
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	43,313	53,654	241	1,454	452,299	27,661	<b>578,624</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	216	0	30	48	8,503	384	<b>9,181</b>
Eastern Area	ACRES	985	0	1,191	92	160,280	9,690	<b>172,239</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	692	0	30	100	12,795	560	<b>14,177</b>
Southern Area	ACRES	22,125	0	7,348	15,067	1,666,481	50,060	<b>1,761,083</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>3,176</b>	<b>2,408</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>33,523</b>	<b>5,343</b>	<b>44,955</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>244,720</b>	<b>2,249,688</b>	<b>81,930</b>	<b>39,366</b>	<b>3,488,157</b>	<b>1,842,022</b>	<b>7,945,886</b>

<b>Ten Year Average</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
<b>Fires (2014 – 2023 as of today)</b>	<b>49,393</b>
<b>Acres (2014 – 2023 as of today)</b>	<b>6,399,734</b>

**Disclaimer: Changes in agency YTD fires and acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.**



## **Predictive Services Discussion:**

A frontal system will bring showers and thunderstorms to the Midwest and western Great Lakes states this afternoon through tonight. Dry and breezy northwest flow will be in place across the Northeast and mid-Atlantic with sustained winds of 10 to 20 mph. Much of the Southeast will see very warm conditions with high temperatures in the 80s to near 90 and humidity of 20-30%, though winds will be mostly light. Meanwhile an expansive ridge of high pressure will be in place across the West with dry conditions from the Plains westward. A dry cold front will push through the Rocky Mountains today. That will bring west to northwest winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph over eastern Colorado along with humidity values in the upper single digits and teens. There will also be warm and breezy conditions ahead of the front over the Southern Plains with humidity of 15-30%. Cooler temperatures will prevail behind that front across the Pacific Northwest, the northern Great Basin, and northernmost California. It will be a warm day for Central and Southern California and the Desert Southwest with temperatures rising well into the 90s in the deserts amid relative humidity of 5-15%.

## [National Predictive Services Outlook](#)

### **6 Minutes for Safety:**

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is [ATV - Transport](#).