### Incident Management Situation Report Monday, September 30, 2024 – 0730 MDT National Preparedness Level 3

## National Fire Activity:

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
Initial attack activity:	Light (66 fires)
New large incidents:	4
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:	30
CIMTs committed:	12
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0

Nationally, there are nine 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**

CIMT (FL State Team 1) and CIMT (FL State Team 3) have been mobilized to the Big Bend region of Florida to perform urban search and rescue in the wake of Hurricane Helene.

CIMT (RM Team 1) has been mobilized to Montgomery, AL to provide Hurricane Helene support.

GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel	Change in Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	24	510,732	84	167	15	3,917	-136
ONCC	1	429,603	0	2	0	102	0
OSCC	4	132,606	33	81	9	1,632	-41
NRCC	7	23,384	1	3	0	67	0
GBCC	16	413,588	49	102	30	2,805	88
SWCC	5	41,141	5	16	1	224	7
RMCC	11	29,353	4	23	2	213	-18
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	3	0	0	0 36 0 945		945	-834
Total	71	1,580,407	176	176 430 57 9,9		9,905	-934

Active Incident Resource Summary

Northwest Area (PL 3)	
Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	17
CIMTs committed:	4

**Rail Ridge**, Prineville, District, BLM. CIMT (AK Team 3). CIMT (NW Team 8) mobilizing. IMT is also managing the Wiley Flat fire. Fifty-one miles northwest of Burns, OR. Grass, brush and timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, isolated torching and spotting. Structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Wiley Flat**, Ochoco NF, USFS. Transfer of command from CIMT (AK Team 3) back to the local unit will occur today. Thirty-one miles southeast of Prineville, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Willamette Complex (4 fires)**, Willamette NF, USFS. CIMT (EA Team 1). Eight miles southeast of Oakridge, OR. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Red**, Deschutes NF, USFS. Eighteen miles west of Crescent, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Homestead Complex (4 fires)**, Umpqua NF, USFS. CIMT (NW Team 12). IMT is also managing the Diamond Complex. Thirty miles northeast of Glide, OR. Timber, closed timber litter and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Diamond Complex (2 fires)**, Umpqua NF, USFS. Eighteen miles southwest of Chemult, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Goosmus**, Northeast Region, Washington DNR. Started on private land five miles north of Curlew, WA. Grass, timber and brush. Active fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Bachelor Complex**, Deschutes NF, USFS. Twenty miles southwest of Bend, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Bottom Creek**, Coos Forest Protective Association, ODF. Twenty-one miles east of Coos Bay, OR. Heavy slash and timber. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering, backing and creeping. Road closures in effect.

**Buck Creek**, Fremont-Winema NF, USFS. Thirty miles southwest of Silver Lake, OR. Timber and medium slash. 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
Rail Ridge	OR-PRD	165,743	157	80	Ctn	11/1	1,038	-98	28	29	8	8	49.5M	BLM
Wiley Flat	OR-OCF	30,186	0	94	Ctn	10/7	27	-20	0	1	0	0	15.8M	FS
Willamette Complex	OR-WIF	26,841	3	54	Ctn	10/31	722	-9	8	24	0	0	156M	FS
Red	OR-DEF	2,154	85	11	Ctn	11/1	69	1	2	4	0	0	25.5M	FS
Homestead Complex	OR-UPF	10,023	38	35	Ctn	10/30	427	17	8	16	3	0	70.3M	FS
Diamond Complex	OR-UPF	11,142	0	90	Ctn	10/18	93	0	1	7	0	0	76.1M	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
Goosmus	WA-NES	1,738	12	7	Ctn	10/9	268	-3	5	30	0	3	1.8M	PRI
Bachelor Complex	OR-DEF	11,742	0	50	Ctn	10/5	135	-5	2	6	0	0	13M	FS
Bottom Creek	OR-721S	232	0	35	Ctn	10/9	243	1	10	6	1	0	3.1M	ST
Buck Creek	OR-FWF	5,758		98	Ctn	10/5	82		3	7	1	0	16.1M	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 3)	
Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	6
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires:	5
CIMTs Committed:	4

**Pack Trail**, Bridger-Teton NF, USFS. CIMT (CA Team 10) is mobilizing. Twenty-five miles southeast of Moran, WY. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs, crowning, and short-range spotting. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations, area and trail closures in effect.

\* **Yellow Lake**, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache NF, USFS. Ten miles southeast of Francis, UT. Timber and medium slash. Extreme fire behavior with running, spotting and group torching. Structures threatened. Area and road closures in effect.

**Lava**, Boise NF, USFS. CIMT (RM Team 2). Twelve miles southwest of Cascade, ID. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous residences threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Wapiti**, Boise NF, USFS. CIMT (GB Team 4). IMT is also managing the Frog fire. Fourteen miles west of Stanley, ID. Grass, brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, isolated torching and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Frog**, Sawtooth NF, USFS. Nineteen miles southeast of Stanley, ID. Grass, brush and timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Red Rock**, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. Fifteen miles west of Salmon, ID. Timber and light slash. Active fire behavior with backing, single tree torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Goat**, Boise NF, USFS. Transfer of command from CIMT (GB Team 2) to CIMT (GB Team 6) occurred yesterday. IMT is also managing the Snag fire and the Middle Fork Complex. Eleven miles southeast of Cascade, ID. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and flanking. Energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Snag**, Boise NF, USFS. Ten miles east of Cascade, ID. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and backing. Energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Middle Fork Complex (2 fires)**, Boise NF, USFS. Nine miles east of Garden Valley, ID. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and backing. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Button**, Humboldt County. Started on private land 54 miles north of Battle Mountain, NV. Grass and brush. Active fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Sage-grouse habitat 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
Pack Trail	WY-BTF	11,881	8,381	0	Comp	10/31	48	39	0	8	2	0	500K	FS
* Yellow Lake	UT-UWF	1,500		0	Ctn	10/30	69		1	5	2	8	500K	FS
Lava	ID-BOF	97,625	-122	82	Ctn	10/15	532	4	10	17	3	13	24.2M	FS
Wapiti	ID-BOF	125,540	0	75	Comp	11/1	344	9	5	9	4	19	69.3M	FS
Frog	ID-STF	3,112	0	66	Ctn	10/8	81	-28	1	0	3	0	5.3M	FS
Red Rock	ID-SCF	3,239	22	75	Ctn	10/31	498	8	12	12	3	0	15.2M	FS
Goat	ID-BOF	26,659	0	46	Comp	10/15	41	-25	0	1	0	0	5.1M	FS
Snag	ID-BOF	33,436	0	90	Comp	10/15	41	-13	0	1	0	0	22.3M	FS
Middle Fork Complex	ID-BOF	61,484	0	90	Comp	10/20	400	-14	9	9	5	0	52.2M	FS
* Button	NV-HUMX	300		30	Ctn	9/30	39		0	9	0	0	50K	PRI
Fish Creek	WY-BTF	25,069	0	87	Comp	10/31	204	0	4	4	2	0	26.7M	FS
Black Eagle	ID-SCF	7,038	150	8	Comp	10/31	7	0	0	0	0	0	2.7M	FS

# Southern California Area (PL 3)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
New fires:	15
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	3
CIMTs committed:	1

**Line**, San Bernardino NF, USFS. CIMT (CA Team 11). Started on private land 10 miles east of San Bernardino, CA. Grass and chaparral. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, short-range spotting and flanking. Energy and communication infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Bridge**, Angeles NF, USFS. Six miles northeast of Glendora, CA. Chaparral, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Communication and energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Airport**, Orange County. Two miles northeast of Rancho Santa Margarita, CA. Grass, chaparral and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. 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
Line	CA-BDF	40,098	621	83	Ctn	10/15	1,176	-19	22	69	5	1	100M	PRI
Bridge	CA-ANF	54,878	0	98	Ctn	10/2	158	-16	5	5	2	81	69M	FS
Airport	CA-ORC	23,526	0	95	Ctn	10/31	264	-17	6	7	2	160	81.6M	CNTY

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)									
Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals								
New fires:	9								
New large incidents:	1								
Uncontained large fires:	3								

**Elk**, Bighorn NF, USFS. Fifteen miles south of Dayton, WY. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs, short-range spotting and group torching. Structures threatened. Area and trail closures in effect.

\* **Wildhorse 5**, Arapaho and Roosevelt NF and Pawnee National Grassland, USFS. Ten miles northwest of Briggsdale, CO. Grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

**Lincoln**, Rosebud Agency, BIA. Two miles east of Norris, SD. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior. 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
Elk	WY-BHF	2,762	2,296	0	Ctn	10/31	96	0	3	2	1	0	1.5M	FS
* Wildhorse 5	CO-ARF	1,200		0	Ctn	UNK	0		0	0	0	0	50K	FS
Lincoln	SD-RBA	800	0	90	Ctn	10/1	18	-18	0	6	0	0	10K	BIA

# Southwest Area (PL 2)Fire Activity and Teams AssignedTotalsNew fires:1New large incidents:1Uncontained large fires:2

\* **Fall**, Pima Agency, BIA. Twelve miles west of West Chandler, AZ. Grass and timber. Active fire behavior with smoldering. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Brigade, Coconino NF, USFS. Three miles southwest of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber. 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
* Fall	AZ-PMA	407		0	Ctn	10/1	37		1	4	0	0	50K	BIA
Brigade	AZ-COF	1,812		40	Ctn	10/3	52		2	2	0	0	75K	FS
West	AZ-TNF	15,074	0	72	Comp	10/15	119	-29	2	8	1	0	19.6M	FS

TNF – Tonto NF, USFS

<b>Fires and Acres</b>	Yesterday	(by	Protection	):
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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	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Northwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	9	2	11
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Southern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	15	0	15
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	11	866	877
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	4	6
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	774	775
Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	3	6
Great Basin	ACRES	0	0	0	0	202	1,261	1,463
Southwest	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Southwest	ACRES	307	0	0	0	0	0	307
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	3	0	0	2	4	9
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	25	4,222	4,247
Eastern Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	3	0	0	0	7	2	12
Southern Area	ACRES	11	0	0	0	2	7	21
TOTAL FIRES:		6	3	0	0	42	15	66
TOTAL ACRES:		318	0	0	0	244	7,131	7,695

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

Geographic Area	Fires/ Acres	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	139	0	0	222	12	373
Alaska	ACRES	0	553,706	0	0	113,311	1	667,019
Northwest	FIRES	278	258	30	27	1,460	889	2,942
Northwest	ACRES	62,338	1,021,664	68,131	5,300	226,688	867,894	2,252,016
Northern California	FIRES	25	29	1	12	2,204	318	2,589
Northern California	ACRES	91	4,721	4	91	381,574	156,966	543,448
Southern California	FIRES	17	78	1	57	3,630	430	4,213
Southern California	ACRES	796	6,985	0	14,793	177,315	200,281	400,170
Northern Rockies	FIRES	555	90	14	10	1,325	608	2,602
Northern Rockies	ACRES	44,656	178,428	1,801	45	114,023	40,353	379,306
Great Basin	FIRES	52	1,086	8	59	1,214	568	2,987
Great Basin	ACRES	1,842	369,360	349	547	83,779	506,968	962,848
Southwest	FIRES	669	201	7	23	558	925	2,383
Southwest	ACRES	52,294	37,672	2,563	1,924	75,445	155,054	324,954
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	322	403	10	25	709	344	1,813
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	8,269	52,741	240	1,454	448,964	27,415	539,084
Eastern Area	FIRES	131	0	27	47	6,044	347	6,596
Eastern Area	ACRES	514	0	1,183	92	98,772	9,281	109,843
Southern Area	FIRES	527	0	27	81	11,057	483	12,175
Southern Area	ACRES	18,235	0	7,339	16,763	1,649,269	46,013	1,737,620
TOTAL FIRES:		2,576	2,284	125	341	28,423	4,924	38,673
TOTAL ACRES:		189,037	2,225,279	81,611	41,010	3,369,144	2,010,230	7,916,313

Ten Year Average	Quantity
<b>Fires</b> (2014 – 2023 as of today)	46,194
Acres (2014 – 2023 as of today)	6,032,936

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

# **Predictive Services Discussion:**

A robust cold front pushing southeastward across the northern Plains will reach the western Great Lakes and southern Plains late in the day while gradually backing to the southwest along the Front Range. Cooler, more seasonable temperatures settle into the Northern Rockies, northern Great Basin and Inland Northwest with near to slightly below average highs in the 50s and 60s across northern Wyoming and Montana

Locally critical conditions are likely in northeast Utah, western/southern Wyoming, western Minnesota, South Dakota and Nebraska amid RH of 10-20% and lingering gusty winds to around 40 mph. Along the West Coast, strong/gusty offshore winds with hot temperatures and very low RH <20% will create locally critical conditions for interior northern California.

Away from the mountainous regions of the Southwest and Colorado Rockies where isolated showers and thunderstorms develop this afternoon, a dry pattern dominates the West. Hot temperatures of 95-110°F will be widespread for interior California, southern Great Basin and lower elevations of Arizona amid RH of 5-15% and generally light winds. The western Great Lakes will have a chance of showers and thunderstorms accompanying the cold front while showery weather persists for the Upper Ohio Valley, central Appalachians and Mid-Atlantic. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will be found across Florida. Dry and seasonable weather with temperatures in the 60s and 70s continue across the Northeast.

National Predictive Services Outlook

# 6 Minutes for Safety:

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is **Downhill Fireline Construction Checklist**.