

**Alaska Interagency Coordination
Center Situation Report
Saturday - 06/23/2012**

Statistical Data – 2011 Year-To-Date
Human / 266 fires -23,032 acres
Lightning / 69 fires -239,167 acres
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Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	Npr	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
Alaska Fire Service (AFS)	1	1	19	0	82	89,646.2
GAD (Galena Zone)	1	0	9	0	53	55,161.5
MIL (Military)	0	0	4	0	9	3,225.5
TAD (Tanana Zone)	0	1	4	0	13	29,742.4
UYD (Upper Yukon Zone)	0	0	2	0	7	1,516.8
State of Alaska (DOF)	2	5	6	1	147	598.8
CRS (Copper River)	0	0	0	0	9	25.7
DAS (Delta)	0	0	2	0	14	156.0
FAS (Fairbanks)	0	1	1	1	40	41.8
HNS (Haines)	0	0	0	0	1	0.1
KKS (Kenai)	0	0	0	0	24	14.0
MSS (AnchorageMatSu Area)	1	3	0	0	40	7.6
SWS (Southwest)	1	0	3	0	14	352.2
TAS (Tok)	0	1	0	0	5	1.4
Forest Service (USFS)	0	0	0	0	7	1.0
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	0	7	1.0
Statewide Totals	3	6	25	1	236	90,246.0

Active Wildfires:

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	2	2	1	14	0	19
DOF Protection:	1	3	0	2	0	6
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protection Totals:	3	5	1	16	0	25

Status Summary:

	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	0	3	1	15
DOF Protection:	0	1	3	2
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	0	4	4	17

Fuels Management Fires

	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres On 6/22
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Military	7	12,990.0
Native Corporation	1	140.0
NPS (National Park Service)	2	18.0
State of Alaska	2	184.0

New - AFS

GY2W Lat: **64:45:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **1.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
232268 Lon: **156:52:00** Start Date: 6/22/12 Area: **GAD**
PDGY2W Legal: 008S 010E 33 C Out Date: Owner: **NCA**
#268 Name: **Louden Loop** Cause: **Human** Admin: **Ancsa**

Narrative: This fire was reported by local residents as a structure fire burning into the wildlands in the town of Galena. Seven Alaska Fire Service personnel were dispatched to the fire to assist the local Fire Department. J-66 and T-55 were ordered out of Fairbanks. Upon arrival the I.C. determined that T-55 and J-66 were not necessary and the order was cancelled. Alaska Fire Service personnel assisted the local fire department in extinguishing the wildland portion of the fire. Fire personnel will check the fire perimeter on 6/23/12.

New - DOF

201267 Lat: **61:35:54** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **149:14:43** Start Date: 6/22/12 Area: **MSS**
Legal: 17N 1E 03 S Out Date: 6/22/12 Owner: **STA**
#267 Name: **Trunk Road** Cause: **Human** Admin: **DOT**

Narrative: Palmer 911 Requested Forestry and Palmer SFD respond to a grass fire. Upon arrival Forestry found a 10 x 6 black spot that appeared to have been stomped out by a bystander. The fire was cold trailed and no heat was found. The probable cause was vehicle exhaust.

GY1E Lat: **62:54:04** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.5** Option: **FULL**
204266 Lon: **155:18:01** Start Date: 6/22/12 Area: **SWS**
Legal: 33N 32W 35 S Out Date: Owner: **NCA**
#266 Name: **Noir Hill 2** Cause: **Human** Admin: **MTNT**

Narrative: Fire was reported 12 miles from McGrath off the Noir Hill Road at 0226 hours on 6/21/12 by a local resident. IC(T) with Chevak #2 crew responded by vehicles to the fire. The IC reported the fire to be 0.5 acres, 30% active with individual trees torching in an old burn, and 2-3' flame lengths. The crew put out the flames and put in a saw line and trench. Fire personnel plumbed, mopped, gridded, and cold trailed the fire throughout the afternoon. McGrath VFD assisted with an engine and brush truck. The fire was contained at 1900 on 6/22/12 and placed in monitor status. Forestry personnel will return to the fire 6/23/12.

Staffed - AFS

GYS1 Lat: **66:31:43** Status: **S/U** Acres: **2,600.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
232258 Lon: **152:39:54** Personnel: **230** Start Date: 6/20/12 Area: **TAD**
PDGYS1 Legal: 020N 024W 27 C Out Date: Owner: **NCA**
#258 Name: **Allakaket** Cause: **Human** Admin: **Allakaket**

Narrative: Crews continued to secure the fire edge on all flanks. Smokejumpers and aerial resources made good progress suppressing the head of the fire. One type 2 crew was mobilized. Division N was created at the head of the fire and helispots were established on all three divisions. New tactical frequencies will be put into place. The plan for the next operational period is to continue securing the fire perimeter on all flanks of the fire. Eight smokejumpers will be demobed. (+42)

assigned crews:

Allakaket #1	T2	assigned:	6/21
Allakaket #2	T2		6/21
Gannett Glacier	T2IA		6/21
Hughes	T2		6/21
Midnight Sun IHC	T1		6/20
Minto #1	T2		6/21
Minto #2	T2		6/22
North Stars	T2		6/21
Tanana #2	T2		6/21
White Mountain	T2IA		6/20

GX5H	Lat: 64:25:00	Status: S/U	Acres: 6,000.0	Option: LIMITED
232225	Lon: 153:43:00	Personnel: 8	Start Date: 6/16/12	Area: TAD
PDGX5H	Legal: 012S 026E 29 C		Out Date:	Owner: FWS
# 225	Name: Nowitna River		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOR

Narrative: The fire was observed by personnel aboard surveillance aircraft N309VS. The fire had a 100% active perimeter, running and group torching with 30 to 40 feet flame lengths in black spruce and tundra. The fire had crossed the river to the east. Eight smokejumpers were deployed for cabin protection. The plan for the next operational period is to continue to burn out and mop-up around structures. (+4400)

GX5G	Lat: 63:46:18	Status: S/U	Acres: 51.0	Option: MODIFIED
232224	Lon: 159:35:24	Personnel: 20	Start Date: 6/16/12	Area: GAD
PDGX5G	Legal: 020S 005W 11 K		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
# 224	Name: Bear Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: Helicopter N911CV shuttled backhaul off of the fire today. The Chena IHC will do a final grid of the fire in the morning and all resources will begin demob off of the fire at 1300 on 6/23/12.

assigned crews: Chena Type 1 IHC assigned: 6/17

Staffed - DOF

GY2	Lat: 64:09:59	Status: S/U	Acres: 37.9	Option: FULL
212262	Lon: 146:23:44	Personnel: 28	Start Date: 6/21/12	Area: DAS
	Legal: 9S 7E 04 F		Out Date:	Owner: STA
# 262	Name: Delta Creek #3		Cause: Lightning	Admin: FOR

Narrative: The acreage was upgraded due to better mapping on the ground. Personnel worked at extending hose lays around the east flank. The west flank was worked with hand tools and fedcos. The lines were expanded towards Delta Creek to pinch off the head. The interior continued to smolder. Some personnel were demobed to support the area with helitack loads. Containment was expected at 6/22/12 at 2200 hours.

assigned crews: Delta T2 assigned: 6/21

Unstaffed - AFS

GYX8	Lat: 61:16:32	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.1	Option: FULL
232263	Lon: 149:37:13		Start Date: 6/21/12	Area: MIL
PDGYX8	Legal: 014N 002W 27 C		Out Date:	Owner: MIL
# 263	Name: McVeigh Creek		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: The fire was last observed on 6/21/2012. The fire will be in monitor status.

GYX2	Lat: 63:57:08	Status: U/U	Acres: 2,500.0	Option: LIMITED
232261	Lon: 146:23:31		Start Date: 6/21/12	Area: MIL
PDGYX2	Legal: 011S 007E 21 C		Out Date:	Owner: MIL
# 261	Name: Delta Creek # 2		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: At 1341 zone personnel in surveillance aircraft N756ZV flew the fire and reported that the fire had increased to 2500 acres. The fire behavior was observed to be 85% active, smoldering and creeping and having one to two feet flame lengths. The weather at the time of observations was 0% cloud cover and winds out of the north at 3-5 mph. (+2499)

GYJ8	Lat: 64:42:49	Status: U/U	Acres: 5.0	Option: LIMITED
232255	Lon: 146:27:15		Start Date: 6/19/12	Area: MIL
PDGYJ8	Legal: 002S 006E 25 C		Out Date:	Owner: MIL
# 255	Name: STUART CREEK		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: Surveillance aircraft N756ZV flew over the fire reported that there were no visible smokes. The fire remains in monitor status.

GYH6	Lat: 63:55:12	Status: U/U	Acres: 700.0	Option: LIMITED
232252	Lon: 146:24:36		Start Date: 6/19/12	Area: MIL
PDGYH6	Legal: 011S 007E 32 C		Out Date:	Owner: MIL
# 252	Name: Delta Creek		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: The fire was last observed on 06/21/2012. The fire remains in monitor status.

GYB2	Lat: 69:13:53	Status: U/U	Acres: 800.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 155:12:12		Start Date: 6/18/12	Area: GAD
	Legal: 002S 014W 35 K		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
# 245	Name: Kigalik River 2		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: The fire was flown by surveillance aircraft N114MN. The fire was 5% active, backing into the drainage to the east. The majority of the progress of the fire was halted at the river. Observations were made under 60% cloud cover with winds out of the SW at 5-10 mph. The acreage increased to 800 acres. This fire remains in monitor status. (+780)

GYB1	Lat: 69:27:09	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.5	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 154:07:20		Start Date: 6/18/12	Area: GAD
	Legal: 001N 009W 09 K		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
# 244	Name: Alice Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: Surveillance aircraft N114MN flew the fire and reported a 0% active perimeter with no change in acreage. This fire remains in monitor status.

GYB0	Lat: 69:15:52	Status: U/U	Acres: 1,850.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 155:25:54		Start Date: 6/18/12	Area: GAD
	Legal: 002S 015W 14 K		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
# 243	Name: Kigalik River		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: Zone surveillance aircraft in N114MN flew the fire and reported a 0% active perimeter. Winds were out of the SW at 5-10 with 60% cloud cover. The acreage increased to 1850. This fire remains in monitor status. (+1825)

GYA9	Lat: 69:11:48	Status: U/U	Acres: 3,750.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 155:05:57		Start Date: 6/18/12	Area: GAD
	Legal: 003S 013W 08 K		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
# 242	Name: Knifeblade Ridge		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: Zone surveillance in N114MN reported the fire as 10% active and backing in tundra. Fire progression has stopped at the Ikpikuk River. Observations were made under 60% cloud cover with winds out of the SW at 5-10 mph. Acreage increased to 3750. This fire remains in monitor status. (+3740)

GYA7	Lat: 68:54:32	Status: U/U	Acres: 18,850.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 155:41:42		Start Date: 6/18/12	Area: GAD
	Legal: 006S 016W 22 K		Out Date:	Owner: NCA
# 240	Name: Kucher Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: Ancsa

Narrative: Zone surveillance in N114MN flew the fire and reported it to be 10% active and backing in tundra. Winds were out of the SW at 5-10 mph. The fire grew in size to 18,850 acres. This fire remains in monitor status. (+18,350)

GX7P	Lat: 65:33:58	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.1	Option: FULL
231233	Lon: 144:54:47		Start Date: 6/17/12	Area: UYD
PDGX7P	Legal: 009N 014E 31 C		Out Date:	Owner: STA
# 233	Name: Boulder Creek		Cause: Human	Admin: L&W

Narrative: This fire was last observed on 6/21/2012. This fire remains in monitor status.

GX5Q Lat: **66:26:43** Status: **U/U** Acres: **6,575.4** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **155:17:16** Start Date: 6/16/12 Area: **GAD**
 Legal: 012N 017E 17 K Out Date: Owner: **BLM**
 # 226 Name: **Hogatza River** Cause: **Lightning - WFU** Admin: **NOD**
 Narrative: This fire was not flown today. Acreage increase due to updated mapping. This fire remains in monitor status. (+3075.4)

GW45 Lat: **65:29:24** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1,886.0** Option: **LIMITED**
231185 Lon: **154:25:54** Start Date: 6/7/12 Area: **TAD**
 Legal: 001N 021E 14 K Out Date: Owner: **STA**
 # 185 Name: **Melozi** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**
 Narrative: The fire was observed by personnel aboard surveillance aircraft N309VS. The fire had a 0% active perimeter with a handful of interior smokes that were smoldering in hardwoods in the southwest area of fire. There was some growth noted on the southern portion of the fire. Change in acreage due to error in mapping program (-741.8)

GW3W Lat: **66:39:11** Status: **U/U** Acres: **3,254.0** Option: **LIMITED**
231178 Lon: **155:45:57** Start Date: 6/6/12 Area: **GAD**
 Legal: 015N 014E 35 K Out Date: Owner: **STA**
 # 178 Name: **Pahl River** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**
 Narrative: The fire was not flown today. Acreage changed due to digitized mapping. This fire remains in monitor status. (-25.2)

GW25 Lat: **65:44:54** Status: **U/U** Acres: **13,531.0** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **154:15:52** Start Date: 6/6/12 Area: **TAD**
 Legal: 004N 022E 15 K Out Date: Owner: **FWS**
 # 173 Name: **Little Indian River** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **KUR**
 Narrative: The fire was observed by personnel aboard surveillance aircraft N309VS. The fire had a 10% active perimeter on the southern portion, backing against a south wind with 1 to 3 foot flame lengths. Winds were from the south at 1 to 3 under 90% high overcast. The fire remains in monitor status. (+1000).

GW1F Lat: **65:10:30** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1,500.0** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **142:39:06** Start Date: 6/5/12 Area: **UYD**
PDGW1F Legal: 004N 025E 15 C Out Date: Owner: **NPS**
 # 146 Name: **Marie Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **YCP**
 Narrative: At 1945 the fire was flown by surveillance aircraft N9011N. The fire was observed to be 1500 acres. The fire was 40% active. The fire activity was mostly on the perimeter of the fire. The fire was backing to the NW in hardwood, smoldering/creeping, with 1-3 ft flame lengths. The wind was coming out of the NW at approximately 8 mph. It was mostly cloudy with light rain showers and some lightning activity.

Unstaffed - DOF

211269 Lat: **64:47:42** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **UNPLANNED**
 Lon: **147:50:57** Start Date: 6/23/12 Area: **FAS**
 Legal: Out Date: Owner: **Unknown**
 # 269 Name: **Driftwood Log Deck** Cause: **Human** Admin: **NotEntered**
 Narrative: Duty Officer recieved a call of a fire south of the Fairbanks International Airport. DOF engines and Prevention responded. Personnel found a 40 x 10 driftwood log deck smoldering next to the river.

204256	Lat: 61:22:36	Status: U/U	Acres: 100.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 154:32:53		Start Date: 6/19/12	Area: SWS
# 256	Legal: 17N 029W 21 S		Out Date:	Owner: STA
	Name: Swift		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Surveillance personnel flew the fire and found it to be 100% active in continuous black spruce with 3-5 feet flame lengths and isolated torching. The winds were 5-15 mph, increasing from the southwest. The fire is 100 acres and remains in monitor status.

GX5M	Lat: 62:15:00	Status: U/U	Acres: 5.0	Option: Limited
204220	Lon: 158:09:00		Start Date: 6/16/12	Area: SWS
# 220	Legal: 25N 48W 15 S		Out Date:	Owner: BLM
	Name: Tango Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: AND

Narrative: Fire was not flown today and remains in monitor status.

212039	Lat: 64:03:19	Status: U/C	Acres: 0.1	Option: Critical
	Lon: 145:32:40		Start Date: 5/5/12	Area: DAS
# 039	Legal: 10S 11E 11 F		Out Date:	Owner: PRI
	Name: Remmington Rd.		Cause: Human	Admin: PRI

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status.

Out - AFS

GWZ1	Lat: 65:34:53	Status: Out	Acres: 2,696.0	Option: LIMITED
232143	Lon: 153:30:39		Start Date: 6/5/12	Area: TAD
# 143	Legal: 002N 026E 17 C		Out Date: 6/22/12	Owner: BLM
	Name: Kokrines Hills		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: The fire was last observed by personnel aboard N309VS on 6/18/12. The fire was declared out on 6/18/12.

Out - DOF

201265	Lat: 62:25:58	Status: Out	Acres: 0.1	Option: Full
	Lon: 150:13:34		Start Date: 6/21/12	Area: MSS
# 265	Legal: 27N 5W 16 S		Out Date: 6/22/12	Owner: STA
	Name: Chulitna		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Helicopter 509EH flew to the fire and confirmed the fire was out on arrival. The single tree was cut down and cold trailed. Cause was determined to be from a lightning strike.

201264	Lat: 62:25:34	Status: Out	Acres: 0.1	Option: FULL
	Lon: 150:10:29		Start Date: 6/21/12	Area: MSS
# 264	Legal: 27N 5W 15 S		Out Date: 6/22/12	Owner: STA
	Name: Whiskers		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Helicopter 509EH flew to the fire and confirmed the fire had received precipitation and was declared out on arrival. Cause was determined to be from a lightning strike.

213253	Lat: 62:39:08	Status: Out	Acres: 1.0	Option: Full
	Lon: 141:00:32		Start Date: 6/19/12	Area: TAS
# 253	Legal: 10N 23E 13 C		Out Date: 6/22/12	Owner: STA
	Name: Scotty Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: FOR

Narrative: Fire was called out at 1737 on 6/22/2012 by the IC.
