

Morning Highlights

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HIGHLIGHTS

Highlights will not be updated daily due to the lack of fire activity in Alaska. Emergency Fire Fighter (EFF) crew demobilization information will be posted when available.

For additional information call 907-356-5511.

- Emergency Fire Fighter (EFF) Update
 - The Nenana, Salcha, Fort Youkon #1, Venetie #2 and Nikolai crews were scheduled to be mobilized Monday to fires in California. However, the order was cancelled as the wildland fire situation in California has moderated. Fire activity in other areas throughout the west has also moderated and, as a result, many outstanding requests for crews and other types of resources have been cancelled.

- Alaska Summary
 - Year to Date Number of Fires Statewide: 280
 - Year to Date Acres Burned Statewide: 269,805
 - Fire activity is minimal; no fires in Alaska are staffed.

- National Situation
 - For the situation report visit: <http://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreprt.pdf>.
 - To view a map of large incidents go to: http://activefiremaps.fs.fed.us/lg_fire2.php.

ADDITIONAL REFERENCES

- Alaska Interagency Coordination Center: <http://fire.ak.blm.gov>
 - Map of Current Fires: <http://fire.ak.blm.gov/predsvcs/maps.php>
 - Situation Report: <http://fire.ak.blm.gov/content/aicc/sitreport/current.pdf>
- National Fire Situation: <http://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreprt.pdf>
- Creating Defensible Space: <http://firewise.org/> and <http://www.dnr.state.ak.us/forestry/pdfs/02firewise.pdf>
- Department of Transportation (Road Closure Info): (907) 451-2240, <http://511.alaska.gov>
- Division of Forestry, Burn Permit Info: (907) 451-2626, <http://www.dnr.state.ak.us/forestry/fire/>
- Department of Environmental Conservation (Smoke Concerns): <http://www.dec.state.ak.us/air/am/smoke.htm>
- National Parks Service: www.nps.gov/akso/Fire/firehome.htm
- National Weather Service: <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/>
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife: <http://www.fws.gov/fire/>
- USDA Forest Service: <http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/>
- Temporary Flight Restriction Information: <http://airspace.nifc.gov/mapping/nifc>
- Federal Aviation Administration: <http://www.faa.gov>

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