

Alaska Incident Commander Conference Call Agenda

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Date: July 24, 2019

Note taker: Tim Mowry

AMAC/GACC Coordinator: Greeting and Roll call

AICC: National and Alaska Situation Update

IC report out: Called in order of Priority

Agenda/Incident Commander Discussion Points: **Summarize the following in 4 min or less:**

- Fire Size / % contained / # of people / Cost to date
- Significant changes since the last 209
- BRIEF fire synopsis /Critical Incident Information (use Directional vs DIVS's)
- Political Issues / Community Meetings
- Closures / Evacuations / Public Safety Issues
- Major Safety Concerns / Injuries / Accidents
- Critical Resource Needs
- Resources Available to Reassign/Share/Demob

Final closing information:

Confirmation of next call:

AICC Report and Fire Updates by Incident

AICC Report	Alaska remains at PL5 12 new fires for 198 acres 236 active fires Light initial attack in L48 w/exception of Northwest where it was heavy IA
1 Fire: #466 Chalkyitsik Complex IC: Tom Kurth	482,192 acres w/gain of 8,700 acres; 0% contained; 310 personnel; \$5.2 million Burnouts put on hold yesterday due to smoke and fickle winds Drones being used and are effective for recon and firing operations New fire in planning area - #659. Not a factor and will monitor Keeping an eye on modis on northern tip of Frozen Calf Fire Chief Mountain and North Dakota crews scheduled to fly out on NICC jet Smoke and limited visibility is impacting air ops, only 500 yards of visibility Expecting UAF crew in and suggest giving them a day off to reset while wait for a window to fly them in Shadow day with AK Green Team today and TOC at 0700 tomorrow
2 Fire: #319 Shovel Creek IC: Scott Schuster	21,209 acres but probably gained 200-300 acres yesterday 54% contained, 366 personnel, \$24.7 million Mass demobe today Finished pulling hose and pumps yesterday, will turn rehab work over to T3 team Lifted evacuation notices for all areas Shadowing with T3 team today Incident period for F-Mag ends at midnight tonight.
3 Fire: #181 Swan Lake	102,229 acres; 72% contained; 306 personnel; \$23.1 million

<p>IC: Greg Patterson</p>	<p>Widespread rain – ¼ to ½ inch on fire – low fire activity, mostly interior burning Pulling hose, backhaul and suppression repair Community meeting tomorrow night in Cooper Landing Still heavy traffic for dip netting season Pulling 3 crews today for demobe on NICC jet</p>
<p>4 Fire: #485 Grouse Creek and #576 Garnet Creek IC: Fabian Montano</p>	<p>Grouse Creek – 25,000 acres; 5% containment; 107 personnel; \$1,180,000 Garnet Creek – 6,500 acres Grouse Ck Fire got active in afternoon and evening, moved south to less than a mile from Management Action Point to put village of Rampart on Level 1 evac alert, light precip calmed fire activity last night Burnout operation along allotments on south side Fire is still south of Hess Creek, hasn't spotted over yet Communicating with miners on Slate Creek about Garnet Creek Fire, looking at doing prep work for structure protection Concerns – boats, bears and snags Needs – one T1 hotshot crew</p>
<p>5 Fire: #899 Cornucopia Complex IC: Bea Day</p>	<p>83,787 acres, change in acreage on Hadweenzic Fire No air ops yesterday due to smoke New fire in planning area - #653 – will probably add to the delegation All staffed fires are waiting for favorable weather conditions to burn out Did burn out around bible camp between #493 and #337 Tried to burn out along control line on #349 near Venetie but couldn't get it going Demobing crews off #572 today if weather allows and will insert three crews on #337 and #349 Strategy meeting with Agency Administrators today at 1600 at ICP</p>
<p>6 Fire: #409 Rainbow 2 IC: Thomas Grubs</p>	<p>19,000 acres; 0% contained; 63 personnel; \$1.36 million Tried mapping mission yesterday but failed due to smoke Burning interior pockets and moving south Demobing King's Creek Fire Use Module and replacing with Snow Slide Fire Use Module Demobing Lewis and Clark crew to head home Still mopping up and looking for hot spots on northern edge closest to cabins Transitioning today with Snow Slide Fire Use Module; new IC will be Chris Harper Needs – T2IA crew</p>
<p>7 Fire: #534 Smith Creek and McGrath IC: Seth Ross</p>	<p>Lots of lightning in Southwest yesterday, picked up 6 news fires, staffed #662 with smokejumpers and helitack, will probably pull them today for new fire near Medfra Widespread rain in area No significant changes, no injuries or accidents In demobe and recycle mode Waiting to hear from IC on #662 about needs – probably need 3 T2 crews</p>

<p>8 Fire: #324 Hess Creek IC: Willy Watsabaugh</p>	<p>173,467 acres; 102 personnel; \$2,038,462 Anticipate a recon flight to get better mapping; probably growth to NE and NW Burnout lines along Elliott Hwy are holding and will be mopping up next few days Very smoked in today, helicopter flew to Fairbanks this morning and may not be able to return due to smoke No needs; no resources available for reassignment</p>
<p>9 Fire: #508 Kobe IC: Jeremy Cowie</p>	<p>896 acres; 70% contained; 158 personnel; Continuing to mop up, backhaul and do suppression repair Three-tenths of an inch of rain on fire last night Couple of crews available for reassignment but they only have a couple days left and will time out on Friday</p>
<p>10 Fire: #361 Boundary River and #133 McArthur Creek IC: Loretta Duke</p>	<p>McArthur Fire grew but it got rain; will take a look at it today Boundary River Fire is behaving and staying in footprint Only resource assigned to fires is a helicopter</p>
<p>Safety:</p>	<p>None</p>
<p>Other topics:</p>	<p>DRTI ship is available today starting at 1500 if anyone needs it Dave Whitmer, AFS ops to ICs - It will take several inches of rain to have a major impact on fires currently on landscape, don't be fooled by the rain with these resistant fuels</p>
<p>Date/Time of Next Call:</p>	<p>July 25, 2019 @ 0800</p>