

**ALASKA INTERAGENCY COORDINATION CENTER  
SITUATION REPORT  
JUNE 28, 2000  
PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III**

**WILDLAND FIRES:**

|                                | YESTERDAY'S |           |          | TODAY'S   | YEAR-TO-DATE |                  |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|------------------|
|                                | NEW         | CARRYOVER | OUT      | CARRYOVER | FIRES        | ACRES            |
| <b>AFS PROTECTION TOTALS</b>   | <b>0</b>    | <b>28</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>26</b> | <b>71</b>    | <b>136,815.1</b> |
| GAD (GALENA)                   | 0           | 5         | 2        | 3         | 14           | 14,628.9         |
| MIL (MILITARY)                 | 0           | 1         | 0        | 1         | 10           | 2,264.4          |
| TAD (TANANA)                   | 0           | 17        | 1        | 16        | 33           | 111,613.2        |
| UYD (UPPER YUKON)              | 0           | 6         | 0        | 6         | 14           | 8,308.6          |
| <b>STATE PROTECTION TOTALS</b> | <b>2</b>    | <b>9</b>  | <b>3</b> | <b>8</b>  | <b>210</b>   | <b>12,459.8</b>  |
| CRS (COPPER R.)                | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 5            | 11.3             |
| DAS (DELTA)                    | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 8            | 30.5             |
| FAS (FAIRBANKS)                | 1           | 6         | 3        | 4         | 50           | 4,021.9          |
| HNS (HAINES)                   | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 2            | 2.1              |
| KKS (KENAI)                    | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 42           | 1,126.5          |
| MSS (ANC-MATSU)                | 1           | 1         | 0        | 2         | 90           | 52.4             |
| SWS (SOUTHWEST)                | 0           | 2         | 0        | 2         | 8            | 7,209.4          |
| TAS (TOK)                      | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 5            | 5.7              |
| <b>USFS PROTECTION TOTALS</b>  | <b>0</b>    | <b>1</b>  | <b>0</b> | <b>1</b>  | <b>10</b>    | <b>13.2</b>      |
| CGF (CHUGACH)                  | 0           | 0         | 0        | 0         | 6            | 2.5              |
| TNF (TONGASS)                  | 0           | 1         | 0        | 1         | 4            | 10.7             |
| <b>STATEWIDE TOTALS:</b>       | <b>2</b>    | <b>38</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>35</b> | <b>291</b>   | <b>149,288.1</b> |

**TODAY'S CARRYOVER:**

| MANAGEMENT OPTION | CRI | FUL | MOD | LIM | UNPLANNED | TOTAL |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-------|
| AFS PROTECTION    | 0   | 2   | 5   | 19  | 0         | 26    |
| STATE PROTECTION  | 2   | 2   | 0   | 4   | 0         | 8     |
| USFS PROTECTION   | 0   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0         | 1     |
| TOTALS            | 2   | 5   | 5   | 23  | 0         | 35    |

**STATUS**

|                  | STAFFED   |             | UNSTAFFED |             |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
|                  | CONTAINED | UNCONTAINED | CONTAINED | UNCONTAINED |
| AFS PROTECTION   | 0         | 4           | 2         | 20          |
| STATE PROTECTION | 0         | 0           | 2         | 6           |
| USFS PROTECTION  | 0         | 0           | 1         | 0           |
| TOTALS           | 0         | 4           | 5         | 26          |

**PRESCRIBED FIRES BY LAND MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

|                             | YESTERDAY'S |       | YEAR-TO-DATE |       |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------|--------------|-------|
|                             | NUMBER      | ACRES | NUMBER       | ACRES |
| BLM (BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)   | 0           | 0.0   | 0            | 0.0   |
| FWS (US FISH & WILDLIFE)    | 0           | 0.0   | 1            | 125.0 |
| NPS (NATIONAL PARK SERVICE) | 0           | 0.0   | 0            | 0.0   |
| MIL (MILITARY LANDS)        | 0           | 0.0   | 1            | 10.0  |
| STA (STATE)                 | 0           | 0.0   | 2            | 369.0 |
| USFS (US FOREST SERVICE)    | 0           | 0.0   | 0            | 0.0   |

**LIGHTNING STRIKES REPORTED 0800 6/27 TO 0800 6/28: 552**

**INCIDENT INFORMATION**

**WILDLAND FIRES AND FALSE ALARMS:**

| AFS #  | COORDINATES       | AREA | OWNER | UNIT | CAUSE | ACRES | STATUS    | OPTION |
|--------|-------------------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|-----------|--------|
| STATE# | LEGAL DESCRIPTION |      |       |      |       |       | DISCOVERY | DATE   |

**NEW AFS: NONE**

**NEW STATE:**

|        |                     |     |     |  |   |     |            |     |
|--------|---------------------|-----|-----|--|---|-----|------------|-----|
| 001305 | 6135 14955          | MSS | PRI |  | H | 0.1 | U/C        | CRI |
|        | T017N R004W SSWNE12 | S   |     |  |   |     | 06/27/2000 |     |

HORSESHOE #2: FORESTRY WAS REQUESTED TO RESPOND TO A DEEP SEATED PEAT FIRE BY VFD'S IN THE WEE HOURS OF THE MORNING. VFD REPORTED THAT THERE WAS ACTIVE FLAMES AT THEIR ARRIVAL ON THE INCIDENT AT 0400. THE I.C. WAS UNABLE TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE. DUE TO THE SUSPICIOUS NATURE OF THIS FIRE AND THE FUELS, IT WILL BE MONITORED FOR A FEW DAYS BEFORE IT WILL BE CALLED OUT.

|        |                     |     |     |     |   |     |            |     |
|--------|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|---|-----|------------|-----|
| 011306 | 6329 14849          | FAS | STA | DOT | H | 0.1 | OUT        | FUL |
|        | T016S R007W SSESE24 | F   |     |     |   |     | 06/27/2000 |     |

MCKINLEY : MCKINLEY FD AND FORESTRY HELITACK RESPONDED TO A CAR FIRE ESCAPED INTO THE WILDLAND 30 FT OFF 224.5 PARKS HWY. MCKINLEY FD EXTINGUISHED FIRE.

**NEW USFS: NONE**

**CARRYOVER AFS:**

|      |                 |     |     |       |   |     |            |     |
|------|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|---|-----|------------|-----|
| A179 | 6502 141 19     | UYD | NCA | HUNGW | H | 1.0 | U/U        | MOD |
|      | T002N R032E S06 | F   |     |       |   |     | 06/07/2000 |     |

FOXFIRE: FIRE WAS FLOWN BY NPS DETECTION TODAY. SOME OPEN FLAMES IN A HARDWOOD STAND, SURROUNDED BY BLACK FROM LAST YEARS FIRE, WERE OBSERVED. NO THREAT TO COOK'S CABIN. FIRE WILL NOT BE FLOWN AGAIN FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

|      |                 |     |     |       |   |        |            |     |
|------|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|---|--------|------------|-----|
| A189 | 6607 149 28     | UYD | NCA | DOYON | L | 6600.0 | U/U        | LIM |
|      | T015N R009W S16 | F   |     |       |   |        | 06/09/2000 |     |

DALL RIVER: FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED, LAST FLOWN 6/26.

|        |                 |     |     |     |   |        |            |     |
|--------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|---|--------|------------|-----|
| A191   | 6712 151 24     | TAD | STA | L&W | L | 4400.0 | U/U        | MOD |
| 031191 | T028N R018W S36 | F   |     |     |   |        | 06/09/2000 |     |

WILD: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. LAST FLOWN 6/24.

|        |                 |     |     |     |   |     |            |     |
|--------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|---|-----|------------|-----|
| A197   | 6639 14259      | UYD | FWS | YKF | L | 5.0 | U/U        | LIM |
| 032197 | T021N R022E S09 | F   |     |     |   |     | 06/10/2000 |     |

NELSON LAKE: FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED, LAST FLOWN 6/26.

|        |                 |     |     |     |   |        |            |     |
|--------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|---|--------|------------|-----|
| A198   | 6357 15302      | TAD | BLM | NOD | L | 3000.0 | U/U        | LIM |
| 031198 | T018S R030E S05 | K   |     |     |   |        | 06/10/2000 |     |

SPIRIT LAKE: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/26.

|        |                 |     |     |     |   |       |            |     |
|--------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|---|-------|------------|-----|
| A207   | 6608 15638      | GAD | BLM | NOD | L | 840.0 | OUT        | LIM |
| P00207 | T009N R010E S36 | K   |     |     |   |       | 06/10/2000 |     |

PURCELL: FIRE FLOWN BY ZONE DETECTION AIRCRAFT WHICH REPORTED NO SMOKES VISIBLE. FIRE WAS DECLARED OUT.

|        |                 |     |     |     |   |       |            |     |
|--------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|---|-------|------------|-----|
| A209   | 6434 15133      | TAD | STA | L&W | L | 120.0 | U/U        | LIM |
| 031209 | T004S R020W S10 | F   |     |     |   |       | 06/11/2000 |     |

BENT TREE : ZONE SURVEILLANCE IN HELICOPTER 511EH REPORTED THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE FIRE WAS SMOLDERING ALONG A RIDGE TOP.

A218 6517 14137 UYD NPS YCP L 436.0 U/U LIM  
T005N R030E S05 F 06/12/2000  
HARD LUCK CREEK: NPS PATROL FLIGHT REPORTED SEEING NO SMOKES, FIRE WILL NOT BE FLOWN AGAIN FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

A231 6514 15212 TAD NCA DOYON L 733.5 U/C FUL  
032231 T005N R023W S24 F 06/13/2000  
TEN MILE CREEK: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/23.

A232 6445 14627 MIL MIL ARMY L 2250.0 U/U LIM  
032232 T002S R006E S12 F 06/13/2000  
BEAVER CREEK: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/26.

A236 6514 15259 TAD NCA DOYON L 4650.0 S/U LIM  
T005N R026W S30 F 06/13/2000  
GRANT CREEK: 6/27 THE TANANA CREW AND HELITACK DETERMINED THAT THE FIRE WAS COLD 100 FEET IN FROM THE BURN LINE. THEY MOPPED UP AROUND THE GREEN ISLANDS AND FINGERS. ALL THE HOSE WAS PULLED. THE TANANA CREW WILL GRID THE BURN TOMORROW AND BE READY FOR DEMOBE BY 1200 HRS.

A238 6443 15111 TAD STA L&W L 60000.0 U/U LIM  
031238 T002S R018W S28 F 06/13/2000  
ZITZIANA: 1700 HRS. THE FIRE WAS FLOWN BY 26L. THE FIRE EXHIBITED EXTREME BEHAVIOR ALONG A 10 MILE SOUTHERN FLANK AND A 5 MILE WIDE FRONT. PRIVATE PARCELS AT KINDANINA LAKE ARE THREATENED FIVE MILES TO THE EAST. NOTE INCREASE IN ACREAGE. 2012 HRS. THE FIRE WAS FLOWN BY HELICOPTER 511EH. THE HEAD OF THE FIRE WAS RECEIVING SOME ISOLATED, LIGHT PRECIPITATION. STRUCTURE ASSESSMENT WAS DONE AND A PLAN WAS FORMULATED TO PROVIDE STRUCTURE PROTECTION IF POSSIBLE, ON 6/28. EXTREME FIRE BEHAVIOR AND HIGH WINDS PREVENTED DEPLOYMENT OF TACTICAL FORCES.  
(+52,000.0 ACRES)

A239 6548 14359 UYD NCA DANZHIT L 1250.0 U/C FUL  
T011N R018E S09 F 06/13/2000  
TORGNY: FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED, LAST FLOWN 6/26.

A242 6516 14845 TAD STA REFU L 700.0 S/U MOD  
031242 T005N R006W S10 F 06/14/2000  
TOLOVANA DOME: THE FIRE IS BURNING IN SPRUCE AND MIXED HARDWOODS. THE FLANKS AND HEAD OF THE FIRE REMAINED ACTIVE THROUGHOUT THE DAY. THE 4 CREWS (NORTHSTARS, DENALI, MINTO, & ALLAKAKET#1) WITH THE AID OF SOME LIGHT PRECIPITATION HELD IT TO A MINIMUM ACREAGE GAIN. LATE IN THE DAY TWO ADDITIONAL CREWS (ALLAKAKET #2 & TETLIN) WERE TRANSPORTED TO THE FIRE. 4 HELITACK WERE DEMOBILIZED OF A242.

A245 6517 14838 TAD STA L&W L 3580.0 U/U LIM  
031245 T005N R005W S05 F 06/14/2000  
TOLOVANA FLATS: 2051 HRS. THE FIRE WAS MAPPED BY SURVEILLANCE AIRCRAFT 23KM. THE FIRE RECEIVED LIGHT RAIN. THE FIRE HAS PUSHED UP AND OVER THE RIDGE TO THE EAST INTO MIXED HARDWOODS. THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE FIRE WAS BACKING IN BLACK SPRUCE AND HAS MOVED TO THE TOP OF A RIDGE. MIXED HARDWOODS HAVE SLOWED THE FIRES SREAD TO THE NORTH. (+800.0 ACRES)

A247 6455 15324 TAD FWS NOW L 12000.0 U/U LIM  
T006S R027E S33 K 06/14/2000  
BERING CREEK: 1630 HRS. THE FIRE HAS SPREAD TO THE EAST. IT WAS 90% ACTIVE AND BURNING IN BLACK SPRUCE. THERE WERE NO IMPROVEMENTS THREATENED. (+10,750.0 ACRES)

A269 6616 14852 UYD FWS YKF L 4.0 U/U LIM  
T017N R006W S29 F 06/22/2000  
FORK OF THE FORKS: ZONE DETECTION REPORTED SEEING NO SMOKES.

A274 6343 15207 TAD NPS DEP L 5100.0 U/U LIM  
T014S R024W S12 F 06/23/2000  
FORAKER: THE HEAD OF THE FIRE HAS MOVED OUT OF THE FIRE SCAR AND IS BURNING IN BLACK SPRUCE AND TUNDRA. FLAME LENGTHS WERE FIVE TO TEN FEET AT THE HEAD OF THE FIRE WITH RAPID TORCHING OF INDIVIDUAL AND SMALL GROUPS OF TREES AND 1 TO 2 FEET ELSEWHERE. THE SOUTH END OF THE FIRE WAS ACTIVELY BACKING INTO THE 5-10 MPH SOUTHWEST WIND. APPROXIMATELY 20% OF THE FIRE PERIMETER IS ACTIVE. NOT INCREASE IN ACREAGE. (4,700 ACRES)

A283 6633 15027 TAD BLM NOD L 0.0 U/U LIM  
T020N R014W S24 F 06/24/2000  
FISH: A DETECTION SHIP WILL LOOK FOR THIS FIRE AGAIN WHEN SMOKE CONDITIONS WARRANT. IT IS A POSSIBLE FALSE ALARM.

A286 6406 15055 TAD BLM NOD L 10000.0 S/U LIM  
P00286 T009S R017W S29 F 06/24/2000  
BEARPAW MT.: THE FIRE CONTINUES TO FLANK TO THE NORTH UNDER SOUTH WEST WINDS. CABIN SITE PROTECTION WAS IN PLACE AT 3 CABIN SITES. HEAVY SMOKE REVENTED ESTIMATES ON NEW GROWTH. THE FIRE WAS 5 MILES FROM MUCHA LAKE. MUCHA LAKE HAS SEVERAL CABIN SITES THAT WILL TAKE 1 TO 2 DAYS TO COMPLETE CABIN PROTECTION WORK. CABIN OWNERS WERE ADVISED OF THE SITUATION. SITE ASSESMENT WAS DONE ALONG THE KANTISHNA RIVER CORRIDOR. THERE WAS 9 HELITACK AND 12 SMOKEJUMBERS WORKING ON CABIN PROTECTION.

A288 6354 15050 TAD NPS DEP L 2195.0 U/U LIM  
T012S R017W S02 F 06/24/2000  
OTTER CREEK: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/26.

A287 6400 15047 TAD STA L&W L 2.0 OUT MOD  
P00287 T001N R001E S01 06/24/2000  
FLUME CREEK: FIRE DECLARED OUT ON 06/26.

A291 6411 15804 GAD STA L&W L 5735.0 U/U LIM  
T015S R004E S15 K 06/25/2000  
YUKON CREEK: FIRE FLOWN BY ZONE DETECTION AIRCRAFT N24KM WHICH REPORTED THE FIRE CONTINUING TO BURN ACTIVELY IN ALPINE TUNDRA. SOUTHWEST WINDS KEPT THE HEAD OBSCURED, PREVENTING ACCURATE MAPPING. (+4,635.0 ACRES)

A292 6508 15647 GAD FWS KUK L 6540.0 S/U MOD  
032292 T004S R010E S22 K 06/25/2000  
NATLARATLEN RIVER: FIRE IS NOW 30% CONTAINED. LOWER TEMPERATURES, HIGH HUMIDITY, AND CLOUD COVER REDUCED THE FIRE SPREAD. HOWEVER, SIGNIFICANT TORCHING IS STILL VISIBLE IN SPRUCE. CREWS MAKING EXCELLENT PROGRESS ON BOTH FLANKS. PLAN FOR TOMORROW IS TO CONTINUE MOPPING UP AND HOTSPOTTING ALONG BOTH FLANKS. (4,930.0 ACRES)

A295 6516 15906 GAD BLM NOD L 645.0 U/U LIM  
T002S R002W S33 K 06/25/2000  
BOX RIVERR: FIRE FLOWN BY ZONE DETECTION AIRCRAFT WHICH REPORTED THE FIRE CREEPING ON A RIDGETOP IN ALPINE TUNDRA. FIRE INCREASED BY 643 ACRES SINCE LAST FLOWN ON 6/25. (+643.0 ACRES)

A296 6350 15046 TAD NPS DEP L 395.0 U/U LIM  
T012S R016W S31 F 06/25/2000  
UPPER OTTER CREEK: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/26.

A298 6442 15820 GAD NCA GANA L 0.1 OUT FUL  
T009S R003E S19 K 06/26/2000  
SOUTH FORK NULATO: FIRE WAS DECLARED OUT AND DEMOBED AT 1800.

A299 6434 15253 TAD FWS NOW L 800.0 U/U LIM  
T004S R027W S13 F 06/26/2000  
GRAND CREEK: 40TC REPORTED THE FIRE AS 1/2 ACRE ON 6/26. ZONE  
SURVEILLANCE IN HELICOPTER 511EH REPORTED THE FIRE WAS BURNING EAST INTO  
AN OLD BURN. THE FIRE RECIEVED LIGHT RAIN. NOTE THE ACREAGE GAIN SINCE  
6/26. (+1,500.0 ACRES)

A303 6357 15030 TAD NPS DEP L 2500.0 U/U MOD  
T011S R015W S21 F 06/26/2000  
CHISTIA: THE FIRE WAS NOT MONITORED. IT WAS LAST FLOWN ON 6/26.

**CARRYOVER STATE:**

6454 14617 FAS STA L&W H 600.0 U/U LIM  
011172 T001N R007E SSENW22 F 06/06/2000  
ROCK CK. : FIRE NOT PATROLLED TODAY DUE TO HEAVY SMOKE AND LOW  
VISABILITY.

A280 3447 14615 FAS STA L&W L 800.0 U/U LIM  
011280 T001S R007E SSENE36 F 06/24/2000  
BEAVER CK: FIRE NOT PATROLLED TODAY DUE TO HEAVY SMOKE IN AREA.

6134 14955 MSS PRI H 1.0 U/C CRI  
001282 T017N R004W SNWNW12 S 06/24/2000  
HORSESHOE LAKE: FIRE NOT CHECKED TODAY. CONTINUE IN MONITOR STATUS.  
(+600.0 ACRES)

6417 14925 FAS STA L&W L 2600.0 U/U FUL  
011289 T008S R007W SNWSW30 F 06/24/2000  
CLEAR : OVERCAST SKIES WITH LIGHT WINDS ALLOWED CREWS TO COMPLETE 2  
MILES OF HANDLINE ALONG THE SOUTH PERIMETER, WHILE DOZERS COMPLETED 7  
MILES OF LINE ON THE SOUTHEAST PERIMETER. THE FIRE CONTINUES TO BURN  
ACTIVELY ALONG THE NORTH AND EAST FLANKS. ESTIMATED SIZE IS 2,600 AND IS  
15% CONTAINED. A STRUCTURE PROTECTION GROUP HAS BEEN ASSEMBLED TO ASSESS  
AND PROTECT STRUCTURES SOUTH OF THE FIRE, WHERE CONTROL EFFORTS ARE  
FOCUSED. ONE STRUCTURE WAS THREATENED TODAY AND WAS PROTECTED WITH THE  
ASSISTANCE OF RETARDANT, ENGINES AND A DOZER. TO DATE ONE STRUCTURE HAS  
BEEN LOST AND SEVERAL HAVE BEEN SAVED. 7 ADDITIONAL CREWS HAVE BEEN  
ORDERED FOR 6/28. THE TEAM HAS ESTABLISHED AN ICP AND A BASE CAMP WITH  
THE ASSISTANCE OF CLEAR AIR FORCE BASE. (+600.0 ACRES)

6449 14800 FAS PRI H 0.1 OUT CRI  
011290 T001S R002W SNWNW20 F 6/25/2000  
5.5 CHENA RIDGE: FIRE DECLARED OUT.

A293 6347 15559 SWS STA L&W L 7200.0 U/U LIM  
004293 T020S R015E SSWSW05 K 06/25/2000  
TANGO CREEK: GAL DETECTION A/C 24KM FLEW THE FIRE AROUND 1930 AND  
REPORTED IT TO BE 4.5 MILES LONG AND 2.5 MILES WIDE. (+6,875.0 ACRES)

6419 14928 FAS STA FOR L 0.1 U/U FUL  
011294 T007S R009W S14 F 06/25/2000  
CLEAR 2: FIRE PATROLLED BY FORESTRY HELICOPTER. NO SMOKES VISIBLE.

A300 6427 14906 FAS STA L&W H 0.1 OUT FUL  
011300 T005S R006W SNWSE26 F 06/26/2000

JULIUS CK: SMJ FOUND A COUPLE OF SMOKES IN EARLY AM. MOPPED UP AND EXTINGUISHED FIRE. FIRE DECLARED OUT AT 0.1 ACRE AND SMJ DEMOBED IN AFTERNOON.

A301 6237 15439 SWS BLM AND L 2.0 U/U LIM  
004301 T029S R029E SNESE11 S 06/26/2000  
MIDDLE FORK: FIRE FLOWN BY 40TC. FIRE IS REAL SPOTTY WITH NUMEROUS  
FINGERS AND SOME OPEN FLAME. (+1.5 ACRES)

**CARRYOVER USFS:**

P00001 5532 13323 TNF NCA SEA H 8.0 U/C FUL  
T073S F085E S19 C 06/04/2000  
BORDER: FIRE REMAINS ON MONITOR STATUS.