

Alaska Interagency Coordination Center
Situation Report
Friday - 06/21/2002

Fire Danger is High.
 The Mystery Creek
 Prescribed Burn Project is
 scheduled for today on the
 Kenai Wildlife Refuge.

Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
Alaska Fire Service (AFS)	1	0	16	46	413,371.4
GAD (Galena Zone)	1	0	2	11	68,877.0
MIL (Military)	0	0	3	11	65,276.5
TAD (Tanana Zone)	0	0	9	17	278,757.3
UYD(Upper Yukon Zone)	0	0	2	7	460.6
State of Alaska (DOF)	2	3	13	272	266,872.3
CRS (Copper River)	0	0	0	16	5.0
DAS (Delta)	0	0	0	23	18.9
FAS (Fairbanks)	0	1	4	67	23,613.1
HNS (Haines)	0	0	0	3	0.3
KKS (Kenai)	0	0	1	36	1,524.9
MSS(AnchorageMatSu Area)	1	1	0	106	84.8
SWS (Southwest)	1	1	8	20	241,625.2
TAS (Tok)	0	0	0	1	0.1
Forest Service (USFS)	0	0	0	16	23.5
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	16	23.5
Statewide Totals	3	3	29	334	680,267.2

Active Wildfires:

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	0	2	1	13	0	16
DOF Protection:	2	3	1	7	0	13
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protection Totals:	2	5	2	20	0	29

Status Summary:

	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	0	4	1	11
DOF Protection:	1	1	3	8
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	1	5	4	19

Fuels Management Fires

	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres 6/20
Military	1	1.0			

New - AES

A330 Lat: **63:51** Status: **U/U** Acres: **20.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **157:40** Date Started: 6/20 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 019.0S 006.00E 15 K Date Out: Owner: **FWS**
Name: **Galatea 2** Cause: **Lightning** Admin:

Narrative: Commercial aircraft N70080B reported fire to Galena Dispatch at 1304 hrs. Fire is about 5 miles SE of coordinates: 63 54 X 157 49. Fire is a "couple of acres" burning in a spruce bog, and giving off "plenty of smoke". At 1500 hrs, 114MN detection flight determines fire location is actually at 64 51 X 157 40, and is in Limited protection. Fire is 20 acres in size. It is burning in predominantly Black Spruce, but mixed with White Spruce and Tundra. Fire behavior is: smoldering and creeping. Fire is 30% active. Action plan is to monitor the fire.

New - DOF

201331 Lat: **61:05** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.2** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **149:45** Date Started: 6/20 Area: **MSS**
Legal: 011N 003W 02 S Date Out: 6/20 Owner: **PRI**
Name: **Bear Valley** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Helitack responded to column of smoke. Found fire creeping in mixed hardwoods and black spruce. Anchorage engine was on site and released helitack.

204329 Lat: **63:40** Status: **U/U** Acres: **40.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **156:07** Date Started: 6/20 Area: **SWS**
Legal: 021S 014E 15 S Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **Graham** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Fire actively burning and backing into wind. Expected growth for 6/21/02 to be up to 300 due to strong winds.

Active - AES

A322 Lat: **65:55** Status: **U/U** Acres: **3.0** Option: **LIMITED**
231322 Lon: **150:20** Date Started: 6/18 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 013.0N 013.00W 28 F Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **Ray River** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: 1620 hrs.: The fire was flown by surveillance aircraft 309VS. The fire appeared to receive some rain and there were no smokes.

A314 Lat: **66:27** Status: **U/C** Acres: **22.0** Option: **FULL**
Lon: **144:53** Date Started: 6/16 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 019.0N 013.00E 23 F Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **Squirrel Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **Doyon**

Narrative: The fire will remain in monitor status.

A288 Lat: **64:39** Status: **U/U** Acres: **0.5** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **148:02** Date Started: 6/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 003.0S 002.00W 18 F Date Out: Owner: **MIL**
Name: **Willow Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **ARMY**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

A284 Lat: **64:29** Status: **S/U** Acres: **36,100.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **153:02** Date Started: 6/08 Area: **TAD**
P00284 Legal: 012.0S 029.00E 03 K Date Out: Owner: **FWS**
Name: **Big Mud** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOW**

Narrative: 1224 hrs: Smokejumpers were dropped at a cabin site for cabin protection. Sprinkler kits are in place and crews are working to reduce fuel around cabins. Expected demob of 6 smokejumpers 1800 hrs. on 6/21 and the remaining two in the morning of 6/22.

A283	Lat: 64:38	Status: S/U	Acres: 58,000.0	Option: MODIFIED
231283	Lon: 150:26		Date Started: 6/08	Area: TAD
P00283	Legal: 003.0S 014.00W 19 F		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Geskakmina Lake		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W
Narrative: Cabin protection continued along the northwest corner of the fire. The cloudy weather and cooler temperatures limited fire spread.				
A282	Lat: 65:22	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.1	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 148:31		Date Started: 6/07	Area: TAD
	Legal: 006.0N 005.00W 11 F		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Wilber		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W
Narrative: Fire was not monitored today.				
A275	Lat: 64:14	Status: S/U	Acres: 25,700.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 151:29		Date Started: 6/06	Area: TAD
	Legal: 008.0S 020.00W 10 F		Date Out:	Owner: BLM
	Name: John Hansen Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD
Narrative: Tanana #2 crew arrived at the fire. 3 to 4 miles of line construction on the southeast perimeter of the fire will be the objective for the next operational period. Cabin protection and fuel reduction around cabins remains the priority. Planned demob of 4 smokejumpers scheduled 6/21 at 1000.				
A272	Lat: 67:20	Status: U/U	Acres: 60.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 144:22		Date Started: 6/06	Area: UYD
	Legal: 029.0N 015.00E 15 F		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: Sheenjek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: YKF
Narrative: The fire was not monitored.				
A269	Lat: 64:43	Status: U/U	Acres: 12.0	Option: LIMITED
211269	Lon: 148:03		Date Started: 6/05	Area: MIL
	Legal: 002.0S 002.00W 36 F		Date Out:	Owner: MIL
	Name: Boundary		Cause: Lightning	Admin: ARMY
Narrative: The fire was not monitored.				
A265	Lat: 64:08	Status: U/U	Acres: 34,200.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 152:33		Date Started: 6/05	Area: TAD
	Legal: 009.0S 026.00W 13 F		Date Out:	Owner: BLM
	Name: Sischu		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD
Narrative: The fire was not monitored.				
A261	Lat: 63:48	Status: U/U	Acres: 23,500.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 154:15		Date Started: 6/04	Area: TAD
	Legal: 019.0S 024.00E 04 K		Date Out:	Owner: BLM
	Name: Sulukna		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD
Narrative: The fire was not monitored.				
A251	Lat: 65:32	Status: U/U	Acres: 120.0	Option: LIMITED
231251	Lon: 149:07		Date Started: 5/31	Area: TAD
	Legal: 008.0N 008.00W 12 F		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Mud		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W
Narrative: 1630 hrs.: The fire was monitored by surveillance aircraft 309VS. There were no smokes.				
A175	Lat: 65:26	Status: S/U	Acres: 101,000.0	Option: FULL
231175	Lon: 148:49		Date Started: 5/23	Area: TAD
P00175	Legal: 007.0N 004.0W 17 F		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: MILEPOST 78		Cause: Human	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Continued cloudy and cool weather limited fire spread. Crews were able to establish an anchor point and a helispot on the west flank of the fire. Crews will be flown into H100 tomorrow, and will continue working the west flank. A spike camp will be established.

A168 Lat: **63:52** Status: **U/U** Acres: **67,800.0** Option: **LIMITED**
231168 Lon: **157:08** Date Started: **5/22** Area: **GAD**
Legal: 019.0S 009.00E 05 K Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **Galatea Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Fire is creeping and smoldering in black spruce as it continues to move up into the Wapoo Hills. Few smokes observed in the interior. 5% of the perimeter is active. Ownership is 55% State and 45% FWS.

A069 Lat: **63:57** Status: **U/U** Acres: **64,900.0** Option: **LIMITED**
232069 Lon: **146:23** Date Started: **5/15** Area: **MIL**
P00069 Legal: 011.0S 007.00E 21 F Date Out: Owner: **MIL**
Name: **Spurs** Cause: **Human** Admin: **ARMY**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

Active - DOF

204326 Lat: **62:22** Status: **U/U** Acres: **15.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **156:43** Date Started: **6/19** Area: **SWS**
Legal: 026N 040W 09 S Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **LITTLE GEORGE** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Fire 10% active. Five-acre increase since 6/19/02.

204325 Lat: **62:22** Status: **U/U** Acres: **150.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **156:34** Date Started: **6/19** Area: **SWS**
Legal: 026N 039W 07 S Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **BIG WALDRON** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Fire active (60%) with flame front on west side. 150 acres and growing.

A318 Lat: **61:18** Status: **U/U** Acres: **150.0** Option: **MODIFIED**
204318 Lon: **163:40** Date Started: **6/18** Area: **SWS**
Legal: 014N 080W 20 S Date Out: Owner: **FWS**
Name: **Aropuk** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **YKD**

Narrative: Fire 80% active with 1-3 ft. flame lengths. Actively backing into wind.

A316 Lat: **64:57** Status: **S/C** Acres: **8.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
211316 Lon: **148:12** Date Started: **6/17** Area: **FAS**
Legal: 002N 003W 31 F Date Out: Owner: **PRI**
Name: **Grand Teton Rd.** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Fire was gridded. No smokes were found. Fire to remain in monitor status.

A309 Lat: **61:12** Status: **U/C** Acres: **1.0** Option: **FULL**
203309 Lon: **151:01** Date Started: **6/16** Area: **KKS**
Legal: 013N 010W 23 S Date Out: Owner: **PRI**
Name: **Beluga** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Fire not checked today. Still on monitor status.

211287 Lat: **64:36** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **147:03** Date Started: **6/09** Area: **FAS**
Legal: 004S 003E 12 F Date Out: Owner: **BOR**
Name: **Dumpster 3** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Monitor status. Lat and long change due to GPS coordinates.

211280	Lat: 65:08 Lon: 146:42 Legal: 004N 005E Name: Un Chena	Status: U/U 34 F	Acres: 1,290.0 Date Started: 6/07 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: LIMITED Area: FAS Owner: STA Admin: FOR
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Narrative: Fire was flown and mapped on 6/18. Acreage gain of 570 acres. Fire received precip on 6/20. Monitor status.

204212	Lat: 63:42 Lon: 156:20 Legal: 021S 013E Name: Bear Ck.	Status: U/U 03 K	Acres: 52,531.0 Date Started: 5/26 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: LIMITED Area: SWS Owner: STA Admin: L&W
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Narrative: Acreage gain due to better mapping. A few smokes observed. No active perimeter.

A210 204210	Lat: 63:37 Lon: 155:48 Legal: 022S 016E Name: Colorado 1	Status: U/U 04 K	Acres: 32,572.0 Date Started: 5/26 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: LIMITED Area: SWS Owner: STA Admin: L&W
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Narrative: Very windy. No acreage growth.

A208 204208	Lat: 63:39 Lon: 155:29 Legal: 021S 018E Name: Susulatna	Status: U/U 08 K	Acres: 9,465.0 Date Started: 5/26 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: LIMITED Area: SWS Owner: STA Admin: L&W
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Narrative: Fire was not flown today. Remains on monitor status.

A182 211182	Lat: 65:05 Lon: 146:11 Legal: 003N 008E Name: WEST FORK CHENA	Status: U/C 20 F	Acres: 22,092.0 Date Started: 5/23 Date Out: Cause: Human	Option: FULL Area: FAS Owner: PRI Admin:
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Narrative: Prevention checked out Fire 182. Fire received precipitation. No smokes were seen. A citation was issued.

A167 204167	Lat: 62:42 Lon: 155:39 Legal: 030N 034W Name: VINASALE	Status: S/U 10 S	Acres: 132,000.0 Date Started: 5/22 Date Out: Cause: Human	Option: FULL Area: SWS Owner: NCA Admin:
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Narrative: Nondalton crew flown into H11 to mop up west side of fire from H8. Airlifted in 50 fedcos. Lots of smokes. Lower Kalskag went into H9 and walked to new sling spot. Mopped up about 3 acres of slop overs. On the 21st they will move to H8 where uncontained line was found from the air on the 20th. Smoke and low visibility delayed mapping sections of the fire until today. Acreage increase due to today's mapping.

Out - DOF

211328	Lat: 64:55 Lon: 147:03 Legal: 001N 003E Name: Water Dognot	Status: Out 12 F	Acres: 0.1 Date Started: 6/19 Date Out: 6/20 Cause: Lightning	Option: FULL Area: FAS Owner: STA Admin: FOR
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Narrative: 6/19 Lightning caused fire reported by homeowner at 11 mile CHSR. Requested 309VS with to fly area. No smokes found: many waterdogs. F-72 tied in with homeowner but could not locate smoke. Area had recieved precip. The area will be patrolled tomorrow. 6/20 Fire area patrolled, one natural out found. Fire declared out and lat and long corrected.

A225 204225	Lat: 63:10 Lon: 154:30 Legal: 027S 023E Name: SCOW HARRY	Status: Out 09 K	Acres: 10.0 Date Started: 5/27 Date Out: 6/20 Cause: Lightning	Option: FULL Area: SWS Owner: NCA Admin:
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Narrative: Fire flown today and declared out.
