

Alaska Interagency Coordination  
Center Situation Report  
Monday - 07/21/2003

Human Caused fires: 322  
Lightning caused: 75

Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	Npr	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
<b>Alaska Fire Service (AFS)</b>	0	0	11	0	70	304,483.6
GAD (Galena Zone)	0	0	0	0	34	65,111.8
MIL (Military)	0	0	1	0	7	685.5
TAD (Tanana Zone)	0	0	4	0	10	1,387.8
UYD (Upper Yukon Zone)	0	0	6	0	19	237,298.5
<b>State of Alaska (DOF)</b>	5	3	12	0	313	69,945.9
CRS (Copper River)	0	0	0	0	7	21.5
DAS (Delta)	0	0	1	0	28	49,857.6
FAS (Fairbanks)	0	0	3	0	74	2,802.2
FCC (AIFCC)	1	0	1	0	1	
HNS (Haines)	0	0	0	0	3	0.5
KKS (Kenai)	1	2	1	0	34	405.4
MSS (AnchorageMatSu Area)	3	1	3	0	132	138.9
SWS (Southwest)	0	0	1	0	20	6,603.0
TAS (Tok)	0	0	2	0	14	10,116.8
<b>Forest Service (USFS)</b>	0	0	2	0	13	4.0
CGF (Chugach)	0	0	2	0	12	3.0
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	0	1	1.0
<b>Statewide Totals</b>	5	3	25	0	396	374,433.5

**Active Wildfires:**

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	0	0	0	10	1	11
DOF Protection:	3	4	1	4	0	12
USFS Protection:	1	0	0	1	0	2
Protection Totals:	4	4	1	15	1	25

**Status Summary:**

	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	0	0	0	11
DOF Protection:	0	1	6	4
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	0	1	6	15

**Fuels Management Fires**

	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres on7/20
BLM (Bureau Of Land Mgmt)	1	2,000.0	1	1	2,000.0
Military	8	1,916.7			

## New - AFS

**AA30** Lat: **62:43** Status: **RX** Acres: **2,000.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **146:40** Date Started: **7/20/03** Area: **FCC**  
Legal: **009.0N 005.00W 04 C** Date Out: Owner: **BLM**  
Name: **Alphabet Hills** Cause: **Prescribed** Admin: **AND**  
Narrative: Successful ignition began on the Alphabet Hills prescribed fire at 1540. Burning, from the West end of Kelly Lake to 3 miles South of Pork Chop Lake then South about 3 miles, took place along the North unit The total acreage is approximately 2000.0 to 3000.0.

## New - DOF

**303414** Lat: **60:28** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **MODIFIED**  
Lon: **150:11** Date Started: **7/20/03** Area: **KKS**  
Legal: **004N 005W 06 S** Date Out: **7/20/03** Owner: **FWS**  
Name: **Hidden Lake** Cause: **Human** Admin: **KNA**  
Narrative: Forestry engine found an abandoned campfire at Hidden Lake campground. Fire suppressed and out at 1646 7/20/03.

**301413** Lat: **61:34** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **149:40** Date Started: **7/20/03** Area: **MSS**  
Legal: **017N 002W 17 S** Date Out: Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **Lenora** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: One engine, helitack and prevention officer responded to reported fire in the woods. Two fireworks-started spots were extinguished. Warning was issued to the tourist.

**301412** Lat: **61:37** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **149:50** Date Started: **7/20/03** Area: **MSS**  
Legal: **017N 003W 04 S** Date Out: **7/20/03** Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **West Lake FA** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: Prevention responded to black smoke fire caused by an oil burn in the gravel pit. The landowner was advised to put the fire out. A verbal warning was issued.

**301411** Lat: **61:36** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.4** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **149:52** Date Started: **7/20/03** Area: **MSS**  
Legal: **017N 003W 08 S** Date Out: Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **W Beaver Lake** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: Two engines, helitack, a squad of EFF and VFDs responded to this motorhome fire that spread to the wildlands and burned a nearby cabin. Helitack arrived to a 90% active fire burning with 4-foot flames in black spruce through old Miller's Reach burn. Bucket work and hoselay contained fire. Remains on monitor status.

## Active - AFS

**B371** Lat: **67:09** Status: **U/U** Acres: **37,120.0** Option: **UNPLANN**  
Lon: **145:55** Date Started: **6/29/03** Area: **UYD**  
Legal: **027.0N 002.00E 07 F** Date Out: Owner: **NCA**  
Name: **Cornucopia Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **Venetie**  
Narrative: 1334 hrs.: The fire was monitored by surveillance aircraft 11N which reported the fire was most active on the East flank with the head of the fire backing to the northwest. The fire was generally spreading in all directions. (13873 acreage gain)

**B370** Lat: **67:48** Status: **U/U** Acres: **3,646.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **142:17** Date Started: **6/29/03** Area: **UYD**  
Legal: **034.0N 024.00E 09 F** Date Out: Owner: **FWS**  
Name: **Pass Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **ARC**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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**B365**                      Lat: **67:39**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **4,500.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **144:05**                      Date Started: 6/27/03                      Area: **UYD**  
                                 Legal: 033.0N 016.00E    27 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **FWS**  
                                 Name: **Sheenjok**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **ARC**

Narrative: 1404 hrs.: The fire was monitored by surveillance aircraft 11N. The fire was making a push to the South and Southwest. Smoke conditions did not allow for accurate mapping. The northeast edge had started to creep uphill toward the ridge line. (acreage gain is approximated)

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**B360**                      Lat: **65:32**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **15.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **151:30**                      Date Started: 6/26/03                      Area: **TAD**  
                                 Legal: 008.0N 019.00W    08 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **BLM**  
                                 Name: **Fleshlanana**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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**B359**                      Lat: **65:35**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **50.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **151:20**                      Date Started: 6/26/03                      Area: **TAD**  
                                 Legal: 009.0N 018.00W    28 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **BLM**  
                                 Name: **Gishna**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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**B346**                      Lat: **66:52**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **72,216.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **147:15**                      Date Started: 6/24/03                      Area: **UYD**  
                                 Legal: 023.0N 002.00E    02 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **FWS**  
                                 Name: **Hadweenzie**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **YKF**

Narrative: 1230 hrs.: The fire was flown by 11N. The fire was active on the East and Northeast and spreading to the West and Northwest (backing).  
1300 hrs.: There were 3 separate columns. The other cabins of concern were not threatened and the burnout operation at the historic cabin site was successful. The flight was conducted to assess the cabins and thus mapping of the fire was not completed.

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**B341**                      Lat: **66:44**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **50.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **150:31**                      Date Started: 6/24/03                      Area: **TAD**  
                                 Legal: 022.0N 014.00W    26 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **BLM**  
                                 Name: **Bonanza Creek**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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**B334**                      Lat: **66:42**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **640.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **148:09**                      Date Started: 6/23/03                      Area: **UYD**  
                                 Legal: 020.0N 003.00W    03 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **FWS**  
                                 Name: **Hodzana**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **YKF**

Narrative: 1215 hrs.: The fire was monitored by surveillance aircraft 11N. The fire has moved slightly to the east at the northern edge and at the eastern edge. Tussocks on the north side have halted the northern spread. (gain of 201 acres)

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**B331**                      Lat: **64:50**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **1,250.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                 Lon: **152:41**                      Date Started: 6/22/03                      Area: **TAD**  
                                 Legal: 001.0S 026.00W    36 F                      Date Out:                      Owner: **BLM**  
                                 Name: **Big Mud**                      Cause: **Lightning**                      Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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<b>B299</b>	Lat: <b>65:40</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>117,242.4</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>331299</b>	Lon: <b>148:59</b>		Date Started: 6/17/03	Area: <b>UYD</b>
<b>P00299</b>	Legal: 010.0N 007.00W	27 F	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Erickson Creek</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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<b>B264</b>	Lat: <b>64:48</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>500.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>332264</b>	Lon: <b>147:36</b>		Date Started: 6/11/03	Area: <b>MIL</b>
<b>P00264</b>	Legal: 001.0S 001.00E	29 F	Date Out:	Owner: <b>MIL</b>
	Name: <b>Mk 19 Range</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin: <b>ARMY</b>

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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### Active - DOF

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<b>B409</b>	Lat: <b>61:07</b>	Status: <b>S/U</b>	Acres: <b>15.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>304409</b>	Lon: <b>160:43</b>		Date Started: 7/19/03	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 012N 065W	25 S	Date Out:	Owner: <b>FWS</b>
	Name: <b>Tuluksak</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin: <b>YKD</b>

Narrative: Paracargo was dropped on the fire this morning with additionl food, water, pumps and hose. Heavy mop-up continues with demobe still planned for 7/22.

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<b>301403</b>	Lat: <b>61:37</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>0.1</b>	Option: <b>CRITICAL</b>
	Lon: <b>149:11</b>		Date Started: 7/17/03	Area: <b>MSS</b>
	Legal: 018N 001E	36 S	Date Out:	Owner: <b>PRI</b>
	Name: <b>Arabian</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin:

Narrative: Remains on monitor status.

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<b>B400</b>	Lat: <b>62:42</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>4,500.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>313400</b>	Lon: <b>141:34</b>		Date Started: 7/16/03	Area: <b>TAS</b>
	Legal: 012N 020E	36 C	Date Out:	Owner: <b>FWS</b>
	Name: <b>Black Hills</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>TET</b>

Narrative: The perimeter was 100% active with spotting to the West. At 1700 the convection column was at 8000` and bent over to the West and Northwest. The South flank was actively torching. Critical sites are the allotments along the Chisana River. Smoke may impact the Alaska Hwy this evening.

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<b>B361</b>	Lat: <b>64:01</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>5.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>311361</b>	Lon: <b>148:23</b>		Date Started: 6/26/03	Area: <b>FAS</b>
	Legal: 012S 005W	03 F	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Lignite Creek</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status

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<b>311349</b>	Lat: <b>64:52</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>200.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>145:26</b>		Date Started: 6/25/03	Area: <b>FAS</b>
	Legal: 001N 011E	26 F	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Teuchet</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status

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<b>B286</b>	Lat: <b>60:23</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>2.0</b>	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b>
<b>303286</b>	Lon: <b>150:14</b>		Date Started: 6/14/03	Area: <b>KKS</b>
	Legal: 003N 006W	01 S	Date Out:	Owner: <b>FWS</b>
	Name: <b>Pipe Creek</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>KNA</b>

Narrative: This fire is still on monitor status. A Forestry engine was in the area and reported very little smoke no flames.

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<b>B284</b>	Lat: <b>64:16</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>49,786.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>312284</b>	Lon: <b>145:11</b>		Date Started: 6/14/03	Area: <b>DAS</b>
<b>P00284</b>	Legal: 007S 013E	33 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: <b>SAND CREEK</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: FOR

Narrative: Staff removed structure protection kits from all cabins. Some isolated interior pockets were actively burning. Supplies and gear will continue to be removed tomorrow.

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<b>311283</b>	Lat: <b>64:42</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>640.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>144:42</b>		Date Started: 6/14/03	Area: <b>FAS</b>
	Legal: 003S 015E	13 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: <b>Porcupine</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status

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<b>B202</b>	Lat: <b>63:13</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>5,595.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>313202</b>	Lon: <b>142:57</b>		Date Started: 5/27/03	Area: <b>TAS</b>
<b>P00202</b>	Legal: 017N 013E	29 C	Date Out:	Owner: NCA
	Name: <b>Tok River</b>		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: The fire was flown and a 300` spot Southeast of the river was observed. There is no threat.

## Out - DOF

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<b>303404</b>	Lat: <b>60:27</b>	Status: <b>Out</b>	Acres: <b>0.2</b>	Option: <b>CRITICAL</b>
	Lon: <b>150:53</b>		Date Started: 7/17/03	Area: <b>KKS</b>
	Legal: 004N 010W	11 S	Date Out: 7/20/03	Owner: PRI
	Name: <b>Mi. 7 Funny River Rd</b>		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: This fire was checked today by State Forestry, no heat or smoke was found and the fire was called out at 1257 7/20/03.