

Alaska Interagency Coordination  
Center Situation Report  
Saturday - 05/26/2007

| Wildland Fires                   | New | Out | Active | Npr | YTD Fires | YTD Acres |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|--------|-----|-----------|-----------|
| <b>Alaska Fire Service (AFS)</b> | 1   | 3   | 6      | 0   | 29        | 15,281.7  |
| GAD (Galena Zone)                | 1   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 2         | 21.5      |
| MIL (Military)                   | 0   | 3   | 1      | 0   | 21        | 1,558.0   |
| TAD (Tanana Zone)                | 0   | 0   | 2      | 0   | 4         | 8,102.2   |
| UYD (Upper Yukon Zone)           | 0   | 0   | 2      | 0   | 2         | 5,600.0   |
| <b>State of Alaska (DOF)</b>     | 7   | 1   | 13     | 0   | 129       | 1,858.9   |
| CRS (Copper River)               | 0   | 0   | 0      | 0   | 5         | 3.9       |
| DAS (Delta)                      | 1   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 19        | 10.3      |
| FAS (Fairbanks)                  | 5   | 0   | 8      | 0   | 40        | 1,243.6   |
| KKS (Kenai)                      | 0   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 14        | 314.5     |
| MSS (AnchorageMatSu Area)        | 0   | 0   | 2      | 0   | 46        | 164.2     |
| SWS (Southwest)                  | 1   | 1   | 0      | 0   | 4         | 87.4      |
| TAS (Tok)                        | 0   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 1         | 35.0      |
| <b>Forest Service (USFS)</b>     | 0   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 1         | 0.1       |
| CGF (Chugach)                    | 0   | 0   | 1      | 0   | 1         | 0.1       |
| <b>Statewide Totals</b>          | 8   | 4   | 20     | 0   | 159       | 17,140.7  |

**Active Wildfires:**

| Protection Summary: | CRI | FUL | MOD | LIM | UNPL | TOTAL |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-------|
| AFS Protection:     | 0   | 1   | 1   | 4   | 0    | 6     |
| DOF Protection:     | 7   | 4   | 0   | 2   | 0    | 13    |
| USFS Protection:    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1   | 0    | 1     |
| Protection Totals:  | 7   | 5   | 1   | 7   | 0    | 20    |

**Status Summary:**

|                  | Staffed         |                   | Unstaffed       |                   |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
|                  | Contained (S/C) | Uncontained (S/U) | Contained (U/C) | Uncontained (U/U) |
| AFS Protection:  | 0               | 2                 | 1               | 3                 |
| DOF Protection:  | 1               | 1                 | 7               | 3                 |
| USFS Protection: | 0               | 0                 | 1               | 0                 |
| Status Totals:   | 1               | 3                 | 9               | 6                 |

**Fuels Management Fires**

|          | Ytd Fires | Ytd Acres | New | Active | Acres on 5/25 |
|----------|-----------|-----------|-----|--------|---------------|
| Military | 4         | 20,650.0  | 0   | 3      |               |

New - AFS

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**DGA2** Lat: **64:56:00** Status: **S/U** Acres: **20.0** Option: **MODIFIED**  
Lon: **161:11:00** Personnel: **8** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **GAD**  
Legal: **6S 12W 31 K** Out Date: Owner: **NCA**  
# 175 Name: **Koyuk Dump** Cause: **Human** Admin: **Koyuk**  
Narrative: Fire reported one mile from Koyuk outside of the dump. High North winds, 4` flame legnth, 50% active, running in tundra towards natural barrier. Locals and local fire department assisting smokejumper operations.

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New - DOF

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**711176** Lat: **64:56:00** Status: **S/U** Acres: **1.5** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **147:50:00** Personnel: **20** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **FAS**  
Legal: **1N 1W 6 F** Out Date: Owner: **PRI**  
# 176 Name: **Pandora** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: The fire was reported by a DOF employee. DOF engines, prevention, IA squads, and VFDs responded. Air support was also requested, but were already off duty. Many structures were threatened. The main fire was knocked down and secured at 1 acre, and there were 5 spot fires. Personnel worked through the night mopping up and securing the perimeter. A crew order has been placed for the morning. Containment is expected for 5/26.

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**DGA0** Lat: **64:11:00** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.0** Option: **CRITICAL**  
**712174** Lon: **145:50:00** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **DAS**  
Legal: **10S 11E 4 S** Out Date: **5/25/07** Owner: **PRI**  
# 174 Name: **False Alarm #5** Cause: **False Alarm** Admin:  
Narrative: A report was relayed through Fairbanks Area Dispatch from 911 of a 10 acre fire south of Quartz Lake. Tok helicopter 920 was requested from a prepositioned staging area. A Type six engine and six pack also responded. The reporting individual was contacted, and the incident was identified to be a known fire in limited protection. This fire was declared a false alarm.

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**711173** Lat: **64:29:00** Status: **U/U** Acres: **0.0** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **146:21:00** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **FAS**  
Legal: **1N 1W 6 F** Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 173 Name: **McCoy Creek** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: The fire burning near McCoy Creek was reported by a resident at 25 mile Salcha River. 19A flew the area and reported seeing no smokes. The area will be flown again tomorrow.

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**DF96** Lat: **64:04:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
**717172** Lon: **145:35:00** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **DAS**  
Legal: **10S 11E 4 S** Out Date: Owner: **PRI**  
# 172 Name: **Harris Road** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: Helicopter 920 discovered an unpermitted lawn burn. A Type 3 Engine and six pack with squad responded. The landowner was spraying the fire with water. Forestry personnel checked for heat and extinguished the fire. It was left in monitor status.

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**711171** Lat: **64:53:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **147:52:00** Start Date: **5/25/07** Area: **FAS**  
Legal: **1N 2W 26 F** Out Date: Owner: **PRI**  
# 171 Name: **Miller Hill** Cause: **Human** Admin:  
Narrative: A brush fire off Miller hill was reported. A DOF engine, prevention, and the local VFD responded and quickly contained the fire. The fire remains in monitor status while an investigation continues.

**DF9Z** Lat: **64:52:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **3.0** Option: **CRITICAL**  
**711170** Lon: **147:10:00** Start Date: 5/25/07 Area: **FAS**  
 Legal: 1N 3E 33 F Out Date: Owner: **PRI**  
 # 170 Name: **Swampy Hollow** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: A structure fire spread into the wildlands . Forestry engines, VFD engines, and Aerial supervision responded. Areas of concern included a downed powerline, fuel, and propane proximal to the fire. Half a load of retardant was diverted from fire 169. Flames were 5-6' in grass and the perimeter was 100% active. Personnel secured the perimeter and worked the interior following complete suppression of the structure. The fire remains in monitor status.

**DF9X** Lat: **64:01:00** Status: **S/C** Acres: **27.0** Option: **FULL**  
**711169** Lon: **149:07:00** Personnel: **78** Start Date: 5/25/07 Area: **FAS**  
 Legal: 10S 8W 28 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
 # 169 Name: **Ferry** Cause: **Human** Admin: **ARR**

Narrative: The fire was reported by Ferry residents as two smokes started by the train. DOF helitack, engines, ASM A-2, T-51, T-46, 2 loads of jumpers, Tri Valley, and Clear Fire Departments responded. A-2 reported 7 seperate smokes along 8 miles of the railroad tracks. Only one was road accessible. Structures were proximal to the fires. Jumpers and helitack staffed fires that were inaccessible by road. The fires were patrolled by ATV along the tracks. The helicopter and smokejumpers were released in the evening. Crews continued securing the perimeter and mopping up. Containment is estimated 5/26.

Assigned Crews: Fairbanks #1 Type 2 Assigned: 5/25  
 Yukon Type 2 5/25

**DF9D** Lat: **61:58:00** Status: **Out** Acres: **1.0** Option: **MODIFIED**  
**704168** Lon: **158:28:00** Start Date: 5/25/07 Area: **SWS**  
 Legal: 22N 50W 29 S Out Date: 5/25/07 Owner: **BLM**  
 # 168 Name: **Montana Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **AND**

Narrative: A black spot was reported on 5/24 with no activity visible. The helicopter out of McGrath was committed to repeater maintainance, so was sent 5/25 to check the incident. The fire was declared out.

**Staffed - AFS**

**DF7E** Lat: **64:47:00** Status: **S/U** Acres: **5,800.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
**731164** Lon: **151:16:00** Personnel: **49** Start Date: 5/23/07 Area: **TAD**  
**PDDF7E** Legal: 01S 19W 28 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
 # 164 Name: **Mooseheart** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Transition with the Type 3 incident commander occured. The Chena IHC was transported to the fire and began assisting smokejumpers with line construction, burn-out operations and cabin protection around Mooseheart Lake. A paracargo order was received by the fire in the afternoon and a staging area at Manley Hot Springs was established. The Tanana #1 crew was ordered and staged in Tanana for transportation to the fire tomorrow. Firefighters will continue with cabin protection tomorrow and will continue assessing structures further north and west of the fire for future protection.

Assigned Crews: Chena Type 1 Assigned: 5/24  
 Tanana 1 Type 2 5/25

**Unstaffed - AFS**

**AB11** Lat: **63:52:00** Status: **RX** Acres: **250.0** Option: **FULL**  
 Lon: **145:54:00** Start Date: 5/20/07 Area: **MIL**  
 Legal: Out Date: Owner: **MIL**  
 # B11 Name: **Bolio Lake RX** Cause: **Prescribed** Admin: **ARMY**

Narrative: Zone surveillance flew the burn and reported no smokes visible. The burn remains in monitor status.

**AA88**                      Lat: **63:56:28**                      Status: **RX**                      Acres: **20,000.0**                      Option: **FULL**  
                                  Lon: **145:46:56**                      Start Date: 5/19/07                      Area: **MIL**  
                                  Legal: 11S 10E                      F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **MIL**  
 # A88                      Name: **Oklahoma Range RX**                      Cause: Prescribed                      Admin: **ARMY**  
 Narrative: Zone surveillance flew the burn in N736. There were two areas of minor activity in the southern portion of the burn. No significant activity or increase in size was reported. The burn remains in monitor status.

**AA05**                      Lat: **64:42:15**                      Status: **RX**                      Acres: **350.0**                      Option: **FULL**  
                                  Lon: **147:01:00**                      Start Date: 5/19/07                      Area: **MIL**  
                                  Legal: 02S 04E                      F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **MIL**  
 # A05                      Name: **Manchu Small Arms Range R**                      Cause: Prescribed                      Admin: **ARMY**  
 Narrative: Fire specialists checked the burn. There were a few smokes in the center of the burn and a few smokes in the hardwoods, but they are secure at this time.

**DF6H**                      Lat: **66:39:00**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **5,500.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                  Lon: **149:37:00**                      Start Date: 5/22/07                      Area: **UYD**  
                                  Legal: 21N 10W 12 F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **FWS**  
 # 155                      Name: **Hodzana River**                      Cause: Lightning                      Admin: **YFR**  
 Narrative: The fire was not flown today and it remains in monitor status.

**DF4S**                      Lat: **63:49:00**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **2,300.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                  Lon: **154:07:00**                      Start Date: 5/21/07                      Area: **TAD**  
                                  Legal: 19S 14E 23 K                      Out Date:                      Owner: **BLM**  
 # 150                      Name: **Sulukna River**                      Cause: Lightning                      Admin: **NOD**  
 Narrative: The fire was not flow and remains in monitor status.

**DFL4**                      Lat: **66:31:24**                      Status: **U/U**                      Acres: **100.0**                      Option: **LIMITED**  
                                  Lon: **146:20:35**                      Start Date: 5/16/07                      Area: **UYD**  
                                  Legal: 20N 7E 30 F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **FWS**  
 # 101                      Name: **Johnnie the Frog**                      Cause: Human                      Admin: **YFR**  
 Narrative: Zone detection in N309VS reported the fire was smoldering in brush and willow with 1 open flame. The fire remains in Monitor Status.

**DD7T**                      Lat: **64:48:25**                      Status: **U/C**                      Acres: **1,200.0**                      Option: **FULL**  
**732049**                      Lon: **147:38:30**                      Start Date: 5/1/07                      Area: **MIL**  
                                  Legal: 1S 1E 19 F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **MIL**  
 # 049                      Name: **Qual Range**                      Cause: Human                      Admin: **ARMY**  
 Narrative: Ft. Wainwright Range Control is monitoring the fire. No activity was reported and it remains in monitor status.

**Unstaffed - DOF**

                                 Lat: **64:47:24**                      Status: **U/C**                      Acres: **0.3**                      Option: **CRITICAL**  
**711167**                      Lon: **148:00:18**                      Start Date: 5/24/07                      Area: **FAS**  
                                  Legal: 1S 2W 29 F                      Out Date:                      Owner: **PRI**  
 # 167                      Name: **Fox Den**                      Cause: Human                      Admin:  
 Narrative: The IA squad checked the fire. One smoke was found in the morning. The fire remains in monitor status.

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**701156** Lat: **61:58:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **1.8** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **151:12:00** Start Date: **5/22/07** Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 22N 11W 26 S Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 156 Name: **Skwentna** Cause: **Human** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: The fire was not checked and remains in monitor status.

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**701149** Lat: **61:08:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **150:01:51** Start Date: **5/21/07** Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 17N 3E S Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 149 Name: **Jim Lake** Cause: **Human** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: The fire is still in monitor status due to a prevention investigation.

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**DF21** Lat: **64:04:31** Status: **U/C** Acres: **35.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
**713142** Lon: **141:06:40** Start Date: **5/20/07** Area: **TAS**  
Legal: 27N 22E 33 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 142 Name: **Davis Creek** Cause: **Human** Admin: **FOR**

Narrative: Demob of all personnel occurred on 5/25, and the fire was left in monitor status.

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**711114** Lat: **63:51:30** Status: **U/U** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **148:42:00** Start Date: **5/18/07** Area: **FAS**  
Legal: 12S 6W 21 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 114 Name: **Usibelli** Cause: **Human** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status.

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**DFY0** Lat: **64:08:56** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1,200.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
**711048** Lon: **146:49:36** Start Date: **4/29/07** Area: **FAS**  
Legal: 9S 5E 08 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**  
# 048 Name: **Little Delta** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: 19A flew the fire. The fire advanced to the west with an active flanking fire. Mapping showed an increase in 1000 acres. No resources are threatened at this time. The fire will continue to be monitored.

### Unstaffed - USFS

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**DFFO** Lat: **60:52:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **LIMITED**  
**737009** Lon: **148:58:00** Start Date: **5/14/07** Area: **CGF**  
**P0DFFO** Legal: 9N 3E 17 S Out Date: Owner: **USFS**  
# 092 Name: **Blueberry Hill** Cause: **Human** Admin: **CGF**

Narrative: Fire continues to be on monitor status.

### Out - AFS

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**DF6X** Lat: **64:41:50** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **146:59:03** Start Date: **5/22/07** Area: **MIL**  
Legal: 02S 04E F Out Date: **5/25/07** Owner: **MIL**  
# 160 Name: **DMPTR #3** Cause: **Human** Admin: **ARMY**

Narrative: Fire specialists checked the fire and declared it out.

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| <b>DF6L</b> | Lat: <b>64:41:45</b>  | Status: <b>Out</b> | Acres: <b>0.1</b>   | Option: <b>FULL</b> |
|             | Lon: <b>146:57:54</b> |                    | Start Date: 5/22/07 | Area: <b>MIL</b>    |
|             | Legal: 02S 04E        | F                  | Out Date: 5/25/07   | Owner: <b>MIL</b>   |
| # 158       | Name: <b>DMPTR #2</b> |                    | Cause: <b>Human</b> | Admin: <b>ARMY</b>  |

Narrative: Fire specialists checked the fire and declared it out.

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| <b>DF58</b> | Lat: <b>64:41:49</b>  | Status: <b>Out</b> | Acres: <b>0.1</b>   | Option: <b>FULL</b> |
|             | Lon: <b>146:58:26</b> |                    | Start Date: 5/22/07 | Area: <b>MIL</b>    |
|             | Legal: 02S 04E        | F                  | Out Date: 5/25/07   | Owner: <b>MIL</b>   |
| # 154       | Name: <b>DMPTR #1</b> |                    | Cause: <b>Human</b> | Admin: <b>ARMY</b>  |

Narrative: Fire specialists checked the fire and declared it out.