

Alaska Interagency Coordination
Center Situation Report
Friday - 05/22/2009

Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	WFU	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
Alaska Fire Service (AFS)	3	0	4	0	19	38,668.6
MIL (Military)	0	0	1	0	14	38,660.3
TAD (Tanana Zone)	1	0	1	0	1	1.0
UYD (Upper Yukon Zone)	2	0	2	0	4	7.3
State of Alaska (DOF)	5	10	10	0	99	1,236.7
CRS (Copper River)	0	0	0	0	4	0.7
DAS (Delta)	1	3	0	0	21	100.2
FAS (Fairbanks)	0	3	2	0	17	24.1
KKS (Kenai)	1	1	2	0	11	1,086.0
MSS (AnchorageMatSu Area)	2	1	5	0	40	22.4
SWS (Southwest)	0	0	1	0	2	2.5
TAS (Tok)	1	2	0	0	4	0.8
Forest Service (USFS)	0	0	0	0	5	0.9
CGF (Chugach)	0	0	0	0	3	0.7
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	0	2	0.2
Statewide Totals	8	10	14	0	123	39,906.2

Active Wildfires:

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	0	2	0	2	0	4
DOF Protection:	8	1	0	1	0	10
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protection Totals:	8	3	0	3	0	14

Status Summary:

	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	0	2	0	2
DOF Protection:	1	0	8	1
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	1	2	8	3

Prescribed Fires

	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres on5/21
Military	8	2,834.8	1	4	95.0
Private	1	38.0			

New - AFS

AA50 Lat: **64:46:00** Status: **RX** Acres: **95.0** Option: **PRESCRIB**
Lon: **147:09:00** Personnel: **29** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 2S 3E 4 F Out Date: Owner: MIL
A50 Name: **Chena Lakes Flood Plain RX** Cause: Prescribed Admin: COE
Narrative: Alaska Fire Service personnel successfully burned the S unit at the Chena Lakes Flood Plain RX. Out of 120 total acres they were able to blacken 95 acres. Firefighters may burn again tomorrow depending on weather and fuel conditions.

EW50 Lat: **66:39:51** Status: **S/U** Acres: **1.5** Option: **FULL**
Lon: **145:49:19** Personnel: **8** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 21N 9E 9 F Out Date: Owner: NCA
138 Name: **Christian River Two** Cause: Admin: Doyon
Narrative: At 2005 IC Carroll from fire 132 discovered a new fire on the east side of Christian River. The fire appeared to be approximately 1.5 acres in size and burning in white spruce, brush and grass. The fire plotted in full suppression management and it was determined that action needed to be taken. At 2140 smokejumper aircraft N112BH responded and deployed 8 smokejumpers on the fire. IC Foland made positive sat phone commo with dispatch and had no additional needs at that time. Plans were made to order and deliver an EFF crew the next day (5/22).

EW5Y Lat: **65:25:30** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1.0** Option: **LIMITED**
931137 Lon: **153:43:00** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 1S 25E 3 K Out Date: Owner: STA
137 Name: **Little Melozitna** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W
Narrative: Fairbanks FAA flight service relayed a commercial aircraft report of a fire northwest of Tanana. The fire was 1-5 acres with smoke, but no flame showing. A thunderstorm was in the area. The fire plotted in a limited management protection option and a surveillance flight was scheduled for 5/22.

EW5V Lat: **66:34:00** Status: **F/A** Acres: **0.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **145:16:00** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 20N 12E 7 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: NCA
135 Name: **False Alarm 02** Cause: False Alarm Admin: Fort Yukon
Narrative: Smokejumper aircraft N107BH (J-07) spotted smoke located approximately 20 miles east of fire 132 after they finished jump ops over fire 132. J-07 went to investigate and discovered that the Fort Yukon dump was on fire. The fire had not escaped into the wildlands and looked to be well contained. Therefore, it was determined that no action would be taken and a false alarm number was requested.

EW5S Lat: **66:40:20** Status: **S/U** Acres: **5.0** Option: **FULL**
Lon: **145:48:59** Personnel: **8** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 21N 9E 4 F Out Date: Owner: NCA
132 Name: **Christian River One** Cause: Human Admin: Venetie
Narrative: At 1555 a fire was discovered by zone detection aircraft N9011N. The fire was 1/10 acre in size, 80% active and creeping in white spruce and willow. There was some single tree torching taking place. The fire plotted in a full management area and it was determined that action needed to be taken. Smokejumper aircraft N107BH arrived over the fire at 1705 and deployed 8 smokejumpers. At 1808 the smokejumper IC made positive communications with UYT via sat phone. The fire was 3 acres in size with continuous crowning in white spruce and lesser burning in brush and heavy grass. At 2005 IC Carroll place an order for PC which arrived over the fire at 2207.

New - DOF

EW5X Lat: **63:22:38** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
913136 Lon: **143:22:42** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **TAS**
 Legal: 19N 10E 31 C Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: NCA
 # 136 Name: **Tanacross Dump Fire** Cause: Human Admin: TANAC

Narrative: An illegal burn at the Tanacross dump was reported. R51 responded to the fire and found it was a sawdust pile burning. R51 suppressed the fire. The fire was checked later by T-72 and declared out at 1902.

901134 Lat: **61:34:09** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **149:45:17** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **MSS**
 Legal: 17N 3W 14 S Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: PRI
 # 134 Name: **Kenlar** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: A fire was reported by Palmer 911 as a grass fire under a power line. 398EH and Forestry engines responded and extinguished fire.

EW5W Lat: **60:34:57** Status: **U/C** Acres: **1.5** Option: **CRITICAL**
903133 Lon: **151:17:38** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **KKS**
 Legal: 6N 12W 25 S Out Date: Owner: BORO
 # 133 Name: **California Ave.** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: At 1710 AST paged Kenai fire department and DOF to a smoke in North Kenai near the wildwood subdivision. Kenai FD, Nikiski FD, DOF engines and helitack, all responded. IC White requested additional resources and Aerial Supervision. 909AK, lead 901AK and Tanker-52 responded. One load of retardant was dropped then the tanker, and air attack, were released.

912131 Lat: **64:04:28** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **145:43:54** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **DAS**
 Legal: 10S 10E 02 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: PRI
 # 131 Name: **School Road** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: The Area Forester spotted a column of black smoke. Two type 3 engines and the prevention officer in a type 6 engine were dispatched. An incinerator fire was discovered with materials creeping out onto the gravel. The fire was contained and controlled. The landowner was directed to extinguish the fire. Later the IC returned to the fire, checked it, and declared it out.

901129 Lat: **61:59:12** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.2** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **149:58:00** Start Date: 5/21/09 Area: **MSS**
 Legal: 22N 4W 22 S Out Date: Owner: PRI
 # 129 Name: **Hidden Hills** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: A fire was reported by Palmer 911 at 0300 as a structure fire spreading into the wildlands. 1 Forestry engine responded and suppressed the involved wildland. The fire was placed in monitor status.

Staffed - DOF

EWJ0 Lat: **59:46:48** Status: **S/C** Acres: **1,074.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
903088 Lon: **151:10:26** Personnel: **66** Start Date: 5/12/09 Area: **KKS**
 Legal: 4S 11W 33 S Out Date: Owner: STA
 # 088 Name: **Mi. 17 East End Rd.** Cause: Human Admin: FOR

Narrative: The Pioneer Peak IHC and several miscellaneous overhead and equipment resources were released. Crews continued monitoring along roads and near structures, patrolling, and suppression repair operations. Demobilization of personnel continues.

Assigned Crews:	Denali Crew	Type 2IA	Assigned:	5/12
	Gannet Glacier	Type 2IA		5/13
	Pioneer Peak	Type 1		5/12
	Shageluk	Type 2		5/14
	Upper Kalskag	Type 2		5/14

Unstaffed - AFS

AA44 Lat: **64:48:00** Status: **RX** Acres: **1,274.0** Option: **PRESCRIB**
934005 Lon: **147:36:00** Start Date: 5/8/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 1S 1E 29 F Out Date: Owner: **MIL**
A44 Name: **Ft. Wainwright Small Arms Ra** Cause: Prescribed Admin: **ARMY**
Narrative: AFS personnel checked the burn. It was smoldering in the southwest corner, but the line remains secure. It remains in monitor status.

AA43 Lat: **61:22:00** Status: **RX** Acres: **461.8** Option: **PRESCRIB**
Lon: **149:41:00** Start Date: 4/29/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 15N 02W 29 S Out Date: Owner: **MIL**
A43 Name: **Ft. Richardson Rx** Cause: Prescribed Admin: **ARMY**
Narrative: The fire was not checked and remains in monitor status.

AA07 Lat: **64:42:00** Status: **RX** Acres: **300.0** Option: **PRESCRIB**
Lon: **146:36:00** Start Date: 5/16/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 2S 6E 32 F Out Date: Owner: **MIL**
A07 Name: **Stuart Creek RX** Cause: Prescribed Admin: **ARMY**
Narrative: Zone personnel monitored the burn on the ground. No smoke was visible and it remains in monitor status.

EV1A Lat: **63:57:20** Status: **U/U** Acres: **38,398.3** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **146:23:16** Start Date: 5/1/09 Area: **MIL**
Legal: 11S 07E 16 F Out Date: Owner: **MIL**
039 Name: **Oklahoma 2** Cause: Human Admin: **ARMY**
Narrative: The fire was not checked and remains in monitor status.

Unstaffed - DOF

901126 Lat: **61:25:33** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **149:50:54** Start Date: 5/20/09 Area: **MSS**
Legal: 15N 3W 05 S Out Date: Owner: **PRI**
126 Name: **Point Mac Road** Cause: Human Admin:
Narrative: Forestry personnel were checking this fire when they were dispatched to fire 134. The fire remains in monitor status.

EW3E Lat: **64:40:26** Status: **U/C** Acres: **20.0** Option: **FULL**
911120 Lon: **148:55:58** Start Date: 5/19/09 Area: **FAS**
Legal: 3S 7W 10 F Out Date: Owner: **STA**
120 Name: **Mile Post 315** Cause: Human Admin: **L&W**
Narrative: Fire was not checked and will remain in monitor status.

911115 Lat: **64:49:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **147:43:00** Start Date: 5/18/09 Area: **FAS**
Legal: 1S 1W 15 F Out Date: Owner: **PRI**
115 Name: **Anderson Apt.** Cause: Human Admin:
Narrative: The fire was not checked and will remain in monitor status.

901089 Lat: **61:38:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **149:37:00** Start Date: 5/13/09 Area: **MSS**
 Legal: 18N 2W 22 S Out Date: Owner: **PRI**
#089 Name: **Topaz** Cause: **Human** Admin:

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

901072 Lat: **61:37:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.5** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **149:25:00** Start Date: 5/8/09 Area: **MSS**
 Legal: 18N 1W 27 S Out Date: Owner: **PRI**
#072 Name: **Falkirk** Cause: **Human** Admin:

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

901010 Lat: **61:12:00** Status: **U/C** Acres: **3.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **149:45:00** Start Date: 4/27/09 Area: **MSS**
 Legal: 13N 3W 16 S Out Date: Owner: **PRI**
#010 Name: **AFD** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: AFD response to wildfires

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904002 Lat: **62:20:46** Status: **U/U** Acres: **0.5** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **153:27:31** Start Date: 3/15/09 Area: **SWS**
 Legal: 26N 23W 13 S Out Date: Owner: **BLM**
#002 Name: **SWS#1** Cause: **Human** Admin: **AND**

Narrative: Helo 83230 performed a recon and dropped off personnel who checked this fire from the ground. The personnel returned to McGrath on 83230. The fire remains in monitor status.

Out - DOF

913130 Lat: **62:20:32** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **143:05:03** Start Date: 5/20/09 Area: **TAS**
 Legal: 18N 12E 15 C Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
#130 Name: **The Junior Fire** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: An illegal burn escaped to wildland and the local VFD was the first on scene. 4 Forestry Engines and Prevention in a POV also responded and arrived just behind the VFD to assist with mop-up. DOF personnel gridded 300' into the surrounding forest, documented the scene, and interviewed the homeowner. The fire was declared out by IC B.Jodan @ 1700.

903128 Lat: **60:26:02** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **151:09:30** Start Date: 5/20/09 Area: **KKS**
 Legal: 4N 11W 15 S Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
#128 Name: **Buck Fire** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: On 5/20/09 at 2344, AST notified the Duty Officer that CES was responding to a structure fire off Echo Lake on Buck Ave. that had spread into the wildlands. DOF assistance was requested. K-61 responded from home and picked up additional personnel at the station to respond. Forestry assisted with the wildland portion of the fire and put the fire in monitor status. The fire was checked on 5/21 and called out.

911127 Lat: **64:57:14** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **147:43:28** Start Date: 5/20/09 Area: **FAS**
 Legal: 2N 1W 34 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
#127 Name: **Goldstream 2** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: The IC checked the fire at 1334 and called the fire out at .10 acres.

911124 Lat: **64:47:25** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **148:01:32** Start Date: 5/20/09 Area: **FAS**
 Legal: 1S 1W 31 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
124 Name: **Becker Ridge** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: At 1532 the fire was checked by the IC and declared out at .3 acres.

912123 Lat: **64:02:26** Status: **OUT** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **145:26:25** Start Date: 5/19/09 Area: **DAS**
 Legal: 10S 12E 20 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
123 Name: **Nistler Extension #1** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: The fire was checked by the prevention officer and declared out.

912122 Lat: **64:02:43** Status: **OUT** Acres: **0.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **145:35:43** Start Date: 5/19/09 Area: **DAS**
 Legal: 10S 11E 16 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
122 Name: **Creekside** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: The prevention officer checked the fire and declared it out.

911110 Lat: **64:45:51** Status: **Out** Acres: **1.3** Option: **CRITICAL**
 Lon: **147:24:07** Start Date: 5/18/09 Area: **FAS**
 Legal: 2S 2E 05 F Out Date: 5/21/09 Owner: **PRI**
110 Name: **Burtis** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: The fire was checked and called out at 1.3 acres.
