

Active Wildland Fires in Alaska: 5/17/2026 6:32 AM

Only active wildland fires (not called "out") are included in this report.

063-Little

<i>2026-AKGAD-000063</i>	Acres: 16.9	Lat: 63° 27.0' N
SNWX	Status: Staffed/Uncontained 8	Lon: 162° 14.0' W
	Owner Category: ANC	Area: Galena Zone (GAD)
PDSNWX	Owner: AKSMLN-St. Michael Native Corporation	Option: Full
		Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: Costs updated to include daily aircraft and overhead costs

060-Killey River

<i>2026-AKKKS-603060</i>	Acres: 8.2	Lat: 60° 28.322' N
SNUS	Status: Staffed/Uncontained 19	Lon: 150° 38.552' W
7360306026	Owner Category: USFWS	Area: Kenai-Kodiak Area (KKS)
PNSNUS	Owner: AKKNR-Kenai National Wildlife Refuge	Option: Full
		Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: Gannett Glacier arrived on the fire line today working around snags in the old fire scar. The crew engaged to secure the west side of the fire with anticipation of strong gusts from the east. Saw line around 75% of the perimeter. Minimal fire activity observed.

070-New Hope

<i>2026-AKDAS-612070</i>	Acres: 0.5	Lat: 64° 7.657' N
SNXE	Status: Unstaffed/Contained	Lon: 145° 41.566' W
7361207026	Owner Category: Private	Area: Delta Area (DAS)
PNSNXE	Owner: AKPRI-Private	Option: Critical
		Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: A column of black smoke was reported near the intersection of New Hope and Tanana Loop Extension. H-6HX, multiple Forestry engines and prevention responded and arrived at a garbage pile spreading into the nearby wildlands. The fire was reported to be 0.5 acres, rank 2-4 with 100% active perimeter under very windy conditions. The weather improved and resources were able to suppress the fire in the surrounding area. Rural Deltana suppressed the garbage pile itself. Forestry personnel completed a grid of the affected wildland, and called the fire contained at 2226, controlled at 2252.

069-Lynne Lake

<i>2026-AKMSS-601069</i>	Acres: 0.1	Lat: 61° 42.523' N
SNXD	Status: Unstaffed/Contained	Lon: 150° 1.826' W
7360106926	Owner Category: Private	Area: Mat-Su Area (MSS)
PNSNXD	Owner: AKPRI-Private	Option: Critical
		Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: At approximately 1853, MATCOM reported fire spreading and threatening structures in the area of Lynn Lake. H-7AM responded and reported .1-acre slash pile escaping into the adjacent grass but minimal concern for spread. Forestry engine and prevention arrived and worked with Houston resources to extinguish fire. Fire declared contained, controlled and placed in monitor status at 2006.

067-Demar*2026-AKMSS-601067*

Acres: 0.2

SNX7

Status: Unstaffed/Contained

7360106726

Owner Category: Private

PNSNX7

Owner: AKPRI-Private

Lat: 61° 29.668' N**Lon: 149° 41.55' W**

Area: Mat-Su Area (MSS)

Option: Critical

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: MATCOM reported a trash fire that spread to the trees in the area of Demar Ave. H-7AM responded and reported .2 acre, rank 1 fire burning in grass, hardwood and dead and down. Unified Command was established. Mat-Su Squad arrived on scene and took over command. After completing a thorough grid, no heat was found. The fire has been called contained, controlled and is in monitor status.

066-Miller*2026-AKMSS-601066*

Acres: 0.1

SNX6

Status: Unstaffed/Contained

7360106626

Owner Category: Private

Owner: AKPRI-Private

Lat: 61° 37.709' N**Lon: 149° 48.724' W**

Area: Mat-Su Area (MSS)

Option: Critical

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: MATCOM reported fire spreading to trees and threatening houses in the area of the Parks Highway in Houston. Upon arrival, resources reported .1-acre fire burning in spruce, grass and mixed hardwoods caused by a debris fire. Fire was suppressed and called contained and controlled at 1642.

056-Lynx 2*2026-AKMID-000056*

Acres: 7

SNRK

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Owner Category: DOD

PDSNRK

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Lat: 64° 45.97' N**Lon: 146° 43.03' W**

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Option: Modified (Jul 10)

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: Agency helicopter H911CV observed minimal smoke and reported 2 acres of additional growth.

055-Lynx 1*2026-AKMID-000055*

Acres: 4

SNRJ

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Owner Category: DOD

PDSNRJ

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Lat: 64° 45.51' N**Lon: 146° 46.09' W**

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Option: Full

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/16/2026: Agency helicopter H911CV observed no visible smoke and reported 1 acre of additional growth.

053-Windfall Mountain Oil Shale*2026-AKUYD-000053*

Acres: 0.1

SNNW

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Owner Category: ANC

PDSNNW

Owner: AKDYN-Doyon, Limited

Lat: 65° 1.691' N**Lon: 141° 14.748' W**

Area: Upper Yukon Zone (UYD)

Option: Limited

Cause: Natural

Narrative from 5/13/2026: Reactivation of oil shale fire.

052-Stuart Creek 8*2026-AKMID-000052*

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 64° 43.058' N**Lon: 146° 26.886' W**

SNNT

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNNT

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/13/2026: Range control reports 50Mx50M fire caused by ordnance. Will monitor as resources allow.

051-9 Mile Hill*2026-AKFAS-611051*

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 64° 53.32' N**Lon: 147° 20.14' W**

SNNK

Status: Unstaffed/Contained

Area: Fairbanks Area (FAS)

7361105126

Owner Category: Private

Option: Critical

PNSNNK

Owner: AKPRI-Private

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/13/2026: FECC reported a tree on a powerline resulting in a brush fire in the area of 9 Mile Hill Road. Upon arrival, resources reported a fire smoldering in grass and brush with a 20% active perimeter. After GVEA cleared the scene, Forestry and North Star VFD resources extinguished the fire. Fire declared contained and controlled and placed in monitor status.

049-Stuart Creek 7*2026-AKMID-000049*

Acres: 0.06

Lat: 64° 42.551' N**Lon: 146° 26.77' W**

SNM4

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNM4

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/12/2026: Range control reported a 15mx15m fire in the Stuart Creek Impact Area. Fire is reported to be going out on its own.

048-Stuart Creek 6*2026-AKMID-000048*

Acres: 0.5

Lat: 64° 42.39' N**Lon: 146° 27.02' W**

SNM1

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNM1

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/12/2026: Range Control reported 100x25 meter fire caused by ammunition in Stuart Creek Impact Area. Fire merged with fire 47 later on in the day. Fire will be monitored as resources allow.

047-Stuart Creek 5*2026-AKMID-000047*

Acres: 0.6

Lat: 64° 42.53' N**Lon: 146° 27.16' W**

SNLW

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNLW

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/12/2026: Range Control reported a 50x50 meter fire caused by munitions in the Stuart Creek Impact Area. Fire merged with fire 48.

043-Stuart Creek 4*2026-AKMID-000043*

Acres: 0.22

Lat: 64° 43.061' N**Lon: 146° 27.767' W**

SNGB

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNGB

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/10/2026: Fort Wainwright Range Control reported fire in the limited fire protection area of the Yukon Training Area.

042-Stuart Creek 3*2026-AKMID-000042*

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 64° 42.0' N**Lon: 146° 26.0' W**

SNFM

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNFM

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/10/2026: Fort Wainwright range control reported a small fire about 20 feet in perimeter caused by an Apache 30mm rocket. The fire was smoldering with no flame activity, and will be monitored.

041-Stuart Creek 2*2026-AKMID-000041*

Acres: 0.05

Lat: 64° 42.81' N**Lon: 146° 28.351' W**

SNEL

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSNEL

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/9/2026: Fort Wainwright Range reported fire in the limited fire protection area of the Yukon Training Area. White smoke was visible and grass and other surface fuels burned.

038-Louise Creek Coal Seam*2026-AKFAS-611038*

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 63° 55.224' N**Lon: 148° 52.79' W**

SNCH

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Fairbanks Area (FAS)

7361103826

Owner Category: State

Option: Full

PNSNCH

Owner: AKDNS-AK DNR-Mental Health Trust

Cause: Natural

Narrative from 5/15/2026: H-169 flew the Louise Creek Coal Seam fire and reported white smoke, no active flames and no growth in size. H-169 completed several bucket drops on the fire.

035-Homestake*2026-AKGAD-000035*

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 65° 9.0' N**Lon: 162° 37.0' W**

SNA3

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Galena Zone (GAD)

7363103526

Owner Category: BLM

Option: Limited

PDSNA3

Owner: AKADD-Anchorage Field Office

Cause: Natural

Narrative from 5/7/2026: Area was flown by zone detection aircraft but unable to locate due to weather in the area

033-Snow

2026-AKGAD-000033

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 65° 0.6' N**Lon: 164° 52.2' W**

SNA0

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Galena Zone (GAD)

Owner Category: BLM

Option: Modified (Aug 20)

PDSNA0

Owner: AKADD-Anchorage Field Office

Cause: Natural

Narrative from 5/7/2026: Area flown by agency aircraft. Unable to locate due to inclement weather in the area

031-Stuart Creek 1

2026-AKMID-000031

Acres: 0.1

Lat: 64° 42.634' N**Lon: 146° 26.659' W**

SN7V

Status: Unstaffed/Uncontained

Area: Military Zone (MID)

Owner Category: DOD

Option: Limited

PDSN7V

Owner: AKFWQ-Fort Wainwright, Yukon TA

Cause: Human

Narrative from 5/5/2026: Range Control reported a 30x10 foot fire currently burning itself out. No action needed at this time.

Number of active fires = 21***This summary section excludes Complexed fires.*****Estimated total acreage of active fires = 39.23**
