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Great Basin Incident Commander Conference Call Agenda 2016



Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2016

Note taker: Gina Dingman

GB MAC/GACC Coordinator:

Agenda/Incident Commander Discussion Points: **Summarize the following in 4 min or less:**

- Fire Size / % contained / # of people / Cost to date
- Significant changes since the last 209
- BRIEF fire synopsis /Critical Incident Information (use Directional vs DIVS's)
- Political Issues / Community Meetings
- Closures / Evacuations / Public Safety Issues
- Major Safety Concerns / Injuries / Accidents
- Critical Resource Needs
- Resources Available to Reassign/Share/Demob

Predictive Services:

Weather update:
Basil

A warming trend will be developing over the next several days, along with continued very low humidity levels. Temperatures will be near to above 100 degrees through this week in the valleys across the Great Basin. Afternoon humidity over the next few days will be falling into the single digits across much of NV and UT, and 10-17% most other areas further north into ID/WY. In addition, increasingly poor RH recoveries are expected at night, across thermal belts in mid-upper slopes.

Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms today across the eastern half of Utah, in areas where fuels have recently moistened, with decreased lightning in the same area on Tuesday. Isolated lightning may even occur today and Tuesday over the central Idaho Mountains.

GBCC Update:

- Planning Level 4
- Beth Lund's T1IMT mobilization to the Pioneer fire on the ID-BOF. In-briefing today at 1200.
- 29 new fires for 2850 acres.
- Below drawdown for crews:
 - 71 crews committed in GB
 - 22 IHCs and 35 T2IA
- Resources being reassigned as they become available for IA, staging and large fire support.
- Critical shortage of T1 and T2 Helicopters
- VLAT T-911 out of service mechanical
- 2 CL-415 scoopers, 5 Air Tankers

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<p>1 Fire: Pioneer IC: Mark Rosenthal</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22 SEATs / 2 on days off <p>4602 / 32% / 853 /4.5M</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire continues to march Eastward and is now about 1 ½ miles from Hwy 21. • Phase 3 evacuation for East of highway 21 for primarily campers and recreation visitors. Sheriff’s office and law enforcements are working on this. This should be completed by COB today. • New delegation of authority for the splitting of the fire with Lund’s team. • East: This is the head of the fire, upper reached of Rock Creek Drainage. Fire is moving and continues to march eastward. • West Flank: From the heel to the North side of the fire: Hand line had been constructed and holding. • N/NE: This side of the fire is unstaffed. The fire about 1 miles south of the Hole in the wall drainage. Fire is holding, with forecasted winds this could challenge the line. • E-SE: There are some natural barriers on this side that the crews are taking advantage of line completion today. • Critical resource: 5 T1 IHCs • Closures for the USFS and Highway 21 continue. HWY 21 will be closed from Loman to Rabbit creek. • 3 injuries yesterday. 2 heat related, personnel taken to the hospital for observation. Accident with the Caterer, spilled hot boiling water on feet possible 2nd degree burns, also taken to the hospital. • Meetings: 10:00 AM meeting with County commissioners in Idaho City and public meeting in Loman to brief the fire. • No resources available for release.
<p>2 Fire: Cliff Creek IC: Tony DeMasters IC2-T Evans Kuo</p> <p>Long Beach Team: IC: Jeff Berkencamp</p>	<p>16,863 / 10% / 633 / 5.2</p> <p>Brief Synopsis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • West: Aerial ignition on northwest side of the fire initiated yesterday. Plan is to continue firing operations as long as conditions are favorable. If successful, firing operation will tie off westside of fire from natural barriers in Gros Ventre Wilderness to north to Hwy 191 on south side. . • South: Patrol by air. • North: Natural barriers in Gros Ventre and Schoal Wilderness Study Area. No issues. • East: Have an indirect line from natural barriers on ridge top in wilderness down the ridge line using meadow complexes and handline to tie into natural features. Fire is 2 – 3 miles out and looking for opportunity to burn out. Line is in, waiting for suitable conditions to initiate firing operations. Also looking at secondary options further east, including some contingency options if fire gets established gets into alignment with a very heavy timbered drainage to the east of the indirect handline. If fire does get established in

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	<p>that drainage it has potential to make a significant run to the east. Political issues: None. Unified Command continues and great relations with county partners (Unified Command). Cost share agreement are in place. Cooperators meeting planned for 1500 hrs Monday in Hoback Junction. Outfitters, ranchers, county emergency personnel. Public meetings planned for tonight at 1900 in Bondurant.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closures: Forest closures still in effect, and evacuation order still in place for small community in Granite Creek on west side of the fire. Smoke monitoring by WY state officials in Bondurant and outlying communities for health hazards. Inversion pretty thick some mornings. • Injury/Accident: 1 rolled ankle. • Critical Resource Needs: None at this time. • Resources to reassign: None
<p>3 Fire: Lower Ebbs IC: Jarad Teeples report out by Gina Dingman</p>	<p>5068 / 25% / 320 / \$600,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire is burning on the Scipio Mt along the Highway 50. • Main concern is the threat to the High tension powerlines to the North and the communication facility on the North side of the fire. • ICP in Scipio City Park • No critical needs. • No injures /accidents
<p>MAC / GBCC Coordinator</p>	<p>Gina Dingman</p>
<p>Date/Time of Next Call:</p>	<p>7/26 @ 0730</p>