



Evening Summary

Date/Time Stamp: **Wednesday, September 09, 2015 - 8:12 PM**

Weather Summary

...Above normal temperatures across the area this week with record heat across portions of Nevada...

High pressure will build across the region through the end of this week ushering in a significant warming and drying trend. Conditions will continuously warm and dry through the end of the week, with temperatures 10 to 15 degrees above normal by Thursday, with the warming continuing through Saturday. The warming trend will be most pronounced across western and central Nevada where record high temperatures are forecast Thursday though Saturday. Afternoon RH will drop into the single digits across NV and 10-15% into ID/UT/WY, with overnight RH recovery increasingly poor as drier air moves into the region.

Confidence in the weather pattern early next week is low, but models suggest that mid level moisture may make its way into western/northwest Nevada and the Sierra and possibly into southern Idaho beginning Sunday, bringing the potential for isolated thunderstorm activity. Deeper moisture will likely move into southern NV on Sunday and spread into eastern NV and the southern half of UT by Monday. Beyond that, high pressure will begin to break down allowing the possibility of a stronger area of low pressure to drop south into the Great Basin. If this comes to fruition, we could see a period of gusty winds ahead of a strong weather system early next week, along with more wet weather for ID/WY/northern UT Monday/Tuesday.

Preparedness Levels

Current:

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| Great Basin | 3 |
| National | 4 |

Great Basin Fire Activity: 6 fires for 299 acres (#s from FAMWEB SIT Report)

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

| Incident Name | Unique Fire Identifier | Size | Status | Latitude | Longitude | Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat |
|---------------|------------------------|------|---------------------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| Aspen | 2015-UTBRS-000708 | 75 | Not Contained | 41.605 | 111.9378 | No |
| BORDER | 2015-IDBOF-001211 | 0.1 | Not Contained | 43.7 | 115.1517 | No |
| 12000 South | 2015-UTNWS-000706 | 0.4 | Controlled 09/09/15 | 40.0115 | 111.7629 | No |
| MINI MAUD | 2015-UTNES-000228 | 0.5 | Not Contained | 39.8402 | 110.6621 | No |
| HAY-U | 2015-UTNES-000225 | 0.1 | Out 09/09/15 | 40.4742 | 110.0227 | Yes - PPH |
| Jacks Peak | 2015-UTCCD-000644 | 0.1 | Controlled 09/08/15 | 38.1901 | 112.859 | No |

fires occurred overnight



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Large/Emerging Fire Summary:

| Great Basin Priority Summary Based on the Most Recent 209's | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Date 9/9/2015 19:38 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| State | Unit | Incident | Suppression Strategy | Descriptive Location | Size | 24 hr Change | % | Expected Contain | Complexity / IC | Crews Assigned | | | Helicopters Assigned | | | Critical Needs | | | Threats |
| | | | | | | | Contained | Date | | T-1 | T-2 or 2I/A | T-1 | T-2 | T-3 | T-1 | T-2 or 2I/A | T-1 | T-2 | |
| UT | NES | Wheeler | Full Suppression | 12 Miles NE of Provo, UT | 740 | -10 | 25% | 9/13 | Type 3 Turner | 4 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 35 Residences, Critical Watershed |
| ID | PAF | Tepee Springs | 5% Monitor 35% Confine 10% Point 50% Full | 3 miles east of Riggins, ID | 94,757 | +54 | 75% | 10/15 | Type 1 Ourada | 9 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 4 | | | | | 200 Residences, 300 Other Minor Structures, Evacuations, Trail/Area/Road closures |
| ID | SCF | Elevenmile | 45% Confine 55% Full | 15 miles W of Challis, ID | 10,397 | +10 | 55% | 10/15 | Type 2 Martin | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | 19 Residences, 21 other structures, Trail/Road/Area closure, campgrounds |
| UT | DIF | Oak Grove | Full Suppression | 15 miles east of St. George, UT | 350 | +50 | 0% | NR | Type 3 Eastep | 2 | 3 | | 1 | 1 | | | | | Watershed concerns, Oak Grove Camp Ground |
| UT | NWS | Phrag | Full Suppression | 9 miles SW of Ogden, UT | 334 | +254 | 90% | 9/10 | Type 4 Sanders | | | | | | | | | | |
| ID | SIS | Rapid | 50% Confine 50% Full | 12 miles SW of McCall, ID | 9,619 | +2 | 100% | 9/30 | Type 3 Stephens | | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | 39 Residences, Grazing allotments, Trail/Area/Road closures |

Notes of Significance

Resources:

- Moderate resource commitment within the geographic area.

Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Fire danger has decreased significantly across the northern part of the Great Basin where widespread rain along with areas of snow have fallen recently. However, further south and west, precipitation has not been as widespread and fuels are much drier.

With a significant warming and drying trend expected through Saturday, fuels will steadily dry out, with areas that stayed precipitation free over the past week being the first to approach critical levels.

For more detail, see [Great Basin 7-Day Fire Potential Outlook](#)

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)