



Great Basin  
Coordination Center

**Large Fire Priority:**

**Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's Date: 08/02/2016 21:39**

ID	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-2IA or 2	T-1		
<b>New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin</b>																	
1	NV	CCD	Virginia Mountain Complex	Full Suppression	40 miles north of Reno, NV	53,925	+6049	41%	8/6/2016	Type 2 Roide	4	16	3	2	2		30 Residences, 50 structures, evacuations in place
2	ID	BOF	Pioneer	Full Suppression	8 miles north of Idaho City, ID	42,051	+3979	36%	9/15/2016	Type 1 Lund	7	37	4	3	3	3 IHC	1 residence, 10 outbuildings, critical watershed, fire lookout
3	WY	BTF	Cliff Creek	40 Confine 60 Full Suppression	15 miles east of Hoback, WY	29,429	+411	84%	9/30/2016	Type 2 Bird	8	9	5	1	4	Maintain current resources including IHC's	30 residences, 20 structures, Hwy 191 threatened, powerlines,
4	UT	UWF	Sheep Creek	30 Monitor 70 Full Suppression	30 miles east of Spanish Fork, UT	1000	+593	5%	8/8/2016	Type 3 Armantrout	1	4	1	2	1	1 IHC Maintain resources	KV Powerlines
5	NV	WID	Poodle	Full Suppression	20 miles NW of Gerlach, NV	6,557	+1357	80%	8/5/2016	Type 3 Uhlig	1	14	1	2	1		Smoke impact to HWY 447
6	UT	UWF	Box Canyon	70 Confine 30 Full Suppression	12 miles east of Oakley, UT	1,550	+62	15%	10/31/2016	Type 3 Knudson	0	1	1	0	1		3 closed recreation sites
7	UT	SLD	Tribal	Full Suppression	35 WSW of Tooele, UT	650		35%	8/3/2016	Type 4 Walton	0	0	0	0	1	1 Helicopter, 8 Engines, 2 Water Tenders	Ranches 1 mile south and Residences north
8	ID	SCF	Comet	Full Suppression	13 miles North of Salmon, ID	358	NC	90%	8/5/2016	Type 3 Pontes	0	0	0	0	0		
9	ID	SCF	Hospital Bar	50 Confine 50 Full Suppression	31 miles west of Challis, ID	102	NC	50%	9/15/2016	Type 4 Rasmussen	0	0	0	0	0		Cultural resources, campground

\*\*\*Notes of Significance\*\*\*



# Evening Brief

Date/Time Stamp: **Tuesday, August 02, 2016 - 10:43 PM**

## Weather Summary

**\*\*\* Dry and Breezy Northern NV / ID / WY Tue--Wed \*\*\***

**\*\*\* HIGH RISK Tuesday for Lightning SE ID/Nrn NV/Wrn WY/NW UT/ \*\*\***

Winds behind the front tonight will remain gusty across parts of Idaho into northeast Nevada and northern UT along with poor RH recoveries 20-35%. Temperatures will drop a few degrees behind the front.

Thunderstorms will become wetter and more widespread across southern areas over the next several days as **deeper monsoonal moisture** slowly pushes northward. However, the northern edge of this thunderstorm shield could produce a mix of dry and wet strikes further north, up into central and northern Nevada on Thursday...moving into southwest Idaho on Friday. But even up in Idaho they should turn wetter in the mountains over the weekend.

## Preparedness Levels

### Current:

Great Basin	4
National	3

**Great Basin Fire Activity: Moderate Initial Attack**  
**New Fires and Acres: 23 fires for 742 acres 12,451 large fire growth**

## Resources:

- 118 Crews assigned to incidents within the Great Basin
  - 19 IHCs
- 216 Engines assigned to incidents within the Great Basin
  - 30 on preposition (today's mobilizations may not be represented yet)
  - 9 on severity
- Aircraft
  - Lead Planes/ASMs continue to be Critical Resource need. Proper management of their flight time is essential.
  - MAFFS 3 (Wyoming National Guard) and MAFFS 5 (Colorado National Guard) will be in place and avail by Thursday 8/4
  - 26 Type 1 & Type 2 Helicopters
- Overhead resources in general are heavily committed
- As Great Basin Buying Teams become available they will be supporting the Great Basin and not traveling outside the GACC.
- Flaming Gorge Wildland Fire Module T2 is available
- National and initial attack resources within the Great Basin are heavily committed. Competition for resources is substantial.



## Current Incident Details

### Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
KIRKHAM	2016-IDBOF-000703	0.1	Not Contained	44.07205	115.5387	No
I-15 360	2016-UTBRS-000573	0.8	Out 08/02/16	41.45264	112.0561	No
Tribal	2016-UTSLD-000572	650	Not Contained	40.36625	112.7459	No
Reed	2016-NVELD-040116	0.1	Not Contained	38.11556	114.08306	USFWS-PAC
West Coyote	2016-UTMOD-006259	0.1	Out 08/02/16	38.31263	109.3463	No
Maple Canyon	2016-IDCTF-003115	10	Not Contained	42.43018	111.2668	No
Canyon Cove	2016-UTNWS-000571	1	Out 08/02/16	40.637	111.7958	No
HIDDEN	2016-IDSWWS-000702	0.1	Out 08/02/16	43.68483	115.9848	No
Post	2016-UTNWS-000569	4	Not Contained	41.04837	111.6725	USFWS-OCC
Salt	2016-UTCCD-000537	0.1	Controlled 08/02/16	38.23549	113.9821	USFWS-PAC
Kastle	2016-NVELD-040115	0.1	Not Contained	37.90528	114.48611	GHMA
Enoch Assist 3	2016-UTSWS-000536	0.1	Controlled 08/02/16	37.76225	113.0552	No
Tiny	2016-UTCCD-000535	0.1	Controlled 08/02/16	38.18561	113.9631	USFWS-PAC
Toppings	2016-WYBTF-001615	0.1	Out 08/02/16	43.7715	110.5296	GHMA
King Creek	2016-IDIFN-003114	0.1	Not Contained	42.39747	111.8138	No
Stillwater	2016-NVCCD-030432	50	Not Contained	39.76058	118.1761	USFWS-OCC
Powerhouse	2016-NVHTF-010149	0.1	Controlled 08/02/16	40.69072	115.47631	GHMA
Leavitt	2016-NVHTF-030430	0.1	Not Contained	39.27513	119.6116	No
Holstrom	2016-NVWID-020135	0.1	Not Contained	40.23424	118.4533	No
Lava field	2016-UTSWS-000533	0.1	Contained 08/02/16	37.39244	113.037	No
Hess	2016-IDION-003113	25	Contained 08/02/16	42.2295	112.6338	IHMA
Bells Canyon	2016-UTUWF-000564	0.1	Controlled 08/02/16	40.54542	111.7538	No
River Park	2016-UTNWS-000563	0.2	Not Contained	40.00711	111.499	No

## Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

### \*\*\* Fuels at Record Dry Levels in Many Areas \*\*\*

ERCs have decreased significantly over eastern and southern Utah into southern NV where higher RH/wetting rains with thunderstorms developed over the past week. However, ERCs elsewhere are very high, with **many areas in the 90th to 97th percentile**. ERCs will remain high across the western and northern portions of the Great Basin where dry and breezy weather will continue early this week. Some areas of Western and Northern NV have not had measurable rain for nearly 2 months.

Live fuel moisture across much of Western UT and most of NV are near record dry levels as well.

These extremely dry fuel conditions across Nevada/Idaho/Western and Northern Utah/Wyoming will play a critical role in fire potential as lightning continues in some areas and dry/breezy weather returns to the north and west.

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

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