

BMIDC INCIDENT MANAGEMENT MORNING BRIEFING**Wednesday, August 21th, 2024****Office Hours: 0700-1800**

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REGIONAL ACTIVITY

Activity Level:	Light	PL:	5	New Fires	12
Uncontained Large Fires	31	New Large Fires:	3	Teams Committed:	14

INITIAL ATTACK FIRES AND ACREAGE (NEW)

8/20	NFJD	PRD	WWRD	BPFZ	GRFZ	WVFZ	Vale/ PRD BLM	LGD ODF	BKE ODF	WAL ODF	PDT ODF	WA DNR	UMA BIA	Total
Fires	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acres	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

WEATHER HIGHLIGHT

High temperatures east of the Cascades were in the 70s and 80s with isolated 90s in southeast Oregon. West of the Cascades high temperatures were in the 60s in Washington and 70s to 80s in Oregon. Minimum relative humidities east of the Cascades were in the 20 except for southeast Oregon where they were in the single digits to low teens. Humidities were above 30 for the rest of the Geographic Area. Breezy conditions occurred east of the Cascades with higher gusts through the Cascade gaps and southeast Oregon. Scattered lightning occurred in eastern Washington, northeast Oregon was accompanied by scattered light to moderate precipitation. Heavy rainfall was recorded along the west slopes of the Olympic Peninsula, moderate to light precipitation occurred everywhere in western Washington. Initial attack was light. Active fire behavior occurred on new ignitions in eastern Washington. The Stayman fire grew to over 3,000 acres in grass and brush and the Upper Ruby Fire grew to 220 acres in timber. Existing large fires exhibited moderate fire behavior.

FIRE INDICES[Fuels and Fire Danger](#)[Pacific Northwest 7 day Significant Fire Potential](#)**SHARED RESOURCES****Available Resources:**

H-90HX

HB-9AB

R-65N

AA-OAR

T-852

T-883

T-133

H-3NP

INCIDENT ACTIVITY SUMMARY

BMIDC Fire Incidents

No New Fire Incidents 8/20