Incident Name: IR Interpreter(s): Local Dispatch Phone: **Interpreted Size:** AMERICAN FORK Cheron Ferland 5.726 Acres Great Falls MT-HLF-005087 (406 - 753 - 5300)Growth last period: 3 Acres but cloud cover hampered IR National Coordinator: Flight Time: Interpreter(s) location: GACC IR Liaison: 2130 MDT Duluth, MN Tim Stauffer Jan Johnson Flight Date: **Interpreter(s) Phone:** GACC IR Liaison Phone: National Coord. Phone: July 22, 2021 541-654-1122 406-529-6366 801-824-5440 **Ordered By:** A Number: Aircraft/Scanner System: **Pilots/Techs:** IR Tech: Pierce Chris Evans 25 Tenax N350FV/TK9 **IRIN Comments on imagery:** Weather at time of flight: Flight Objective: Good Imagery; 1 Run but about 30% of the fire was covered by Cloudy Map Heat Perimeter, Intense Heat, Scattered Heat, and clouds Isolated Heat Date and Time Imagery Received by Interpreter: Type of media for final product: PDF Maps, Geodatabase/Shapefiles, KMZ, IRIN Log **Digital files:** Date and Time Products Delivered to Incident: Posted to: ftp.wildfire.gov/incident specific data/ NIFS Emailed to: Noone per STIL instructions

INFRARED INTERPRETER'S DAILY LOG

Comments / notes on tonight's mission and this interpretation:

I began mapping from last night's heat perimeter. The heat perimeter grew by 3 acres but there was a good portion of the fire obscured by clouds.

Unfortunately about 30% of the fire was covered in clouds tonight. The area under cloud cover completely inhibited IR interpretation. However there was only one small pocket of intense heat within the visible portion of the scan so it is likely there was not dramatic heat expansion obscured by clouds.