Sandbar 2 Fire

Incident Action Plan for

Thursday - Saturday August 28-30, 2025 Day Shift 0700 - 2100

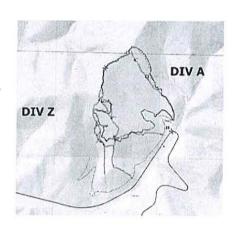
Fire Number: MT-HLF-000558

Finance Codes: USFS: P1S85H25 (0115)

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Send all CTRs, Shift Tickets, Agreements & Casual Hire Forms electronically to:

2025.SANDBAR2.FINANCE@FIRENET.GOV





Link to Maps and IAP



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INCIDENT OBJECTIVES (ICS 202)

1. Incident Name:	2. Operational Perio	d:		
SANDBAR 2	Date/Time Fron	n:	Date/Time To:	
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3. Objective(s):				
Provide for the safety of firefighters and processes. Ensure incident within and inc				nt
·Develop strategic plans to prioritize and infrastructure, residences and communities		at risk (surrounding	natural resources, recreat	ion assets,
·Minimize fire impacts on residences and burned acres.	critical community infrast	tructure through sa	fe effective operation throu	igh minimizing the
·Engage in transparent communication w through clear, concise, and timely commu		and local cooperat	tors to ensure critical inform	mation is shared
·Enhance relationships throughout the arcommunity leaders, cooperators and land		n and active involve	ement with stakeholders, r	esidents, public,
·Maintain fiscal accountability of the incid	ent while supporting the r	needs of the host a	gency and the community.	
·Assist in initial attack and support as req	uested by the host agend	y through frequent	communication and coord	ination.
4. Operational Period Command Emphasis: Stick to the fundamentals, communicate t	up and down the chain.			
General Situational Awareness:				
Fire is located in an area with dead and of your area, and watch for distracted public Horse Mine with caution, following supervisions	traffic on the main Flesh	er Pass road. Appr		
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Approved Site Safety Plan(s) Located at:		W1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -		
6. Incident Action Plan X ICS 202	X X X	er Attachments: FIRE BEHAVIOR FOR HUMAN RESOURCE	DRECAST	
7. Prepared by:	Position/Title:		Signature:	
8. Approved by Incident Commander:	Name: DILLON KRIER		Signature: 17000	
ICS 202	IAP Page		Date/Time: 08/27/2025 1900	

ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 203)

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INCIDENT Weather Forecast



FORECAST NO: 6

PREDICTION FOR: Thursday through Saturday

SHIFT DATE: 08/28/25 - 08/30/25

FORECAST ISSUED: 08/27/25 at 1900 MDT

NAME OF FIRE: Sandbar 2

UNIT: MT-HLF

SIGNED: Shawn Palmquist - Incident Meteorologist

WEATHER DISCUSSION: Cooler and wetter conditions will persist over the area through Friday as monsoonal moisture continues to advect north, and weak disturbances move through the region. Periods of showers and thunderstorms can be expected through Friday, before ridging building back over the region begins to bring a drying trend for the weekend. Variable winds this morning will give way to westerlies this afternoon. The probability of exceeding 0.25 inches of rainfall today through Friday is around 50%.

Today:

WEATHER: Mostly cloudy. Periods of showers in the morning, with scattered showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon. Thunderstorms are possible after 1500 MDT.

TEMPERATURES: Highs 60-66 degrees

MIN RH: 50-60%

STABILITY: Moderate

CHANCE OF THUNDER: 25%

CHANCE OF WETTING RAIN (>.10): 40%

20 FT WINDS:

RIDGETOP - Variable or E 4-8 mph, becoming WSW 5-10 mph with gusts to 14 mph in the afternoon.

SLOPE/VALLEY - Variable or downslope 2-5 mph through 0900 MDT, becoming upslope 3-8 mph in the afternoon. Winds could compete with the WSW winds at times.

MIXING HEIGHT: Increasing to 3,500 ft AGL by 1400 MDT. TRANSPORT WIND: E -> SW 5-10 mph

OUTLOOK FOR TONIGHT:

Mostly cloudy. Scattered showers and thunderstorms in the evening, with periods of showers overnight. Low temperatures 47-52 degrees. RH recoveries 75-85%. CWR: 30%. CH LTG: 20%. Winds becoming downslope 2-5 mph. W 4-8 mph ridges.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:

	FRIDAY	SATURDAY				
SKY/WEATHER	Partly to mostly cloudy. Chance of showers through the day. Chance of thunderstorms in the afternoon/evening.	Partly cloudy. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon/evening.				
MAXIMUM TEMP	62-69 degrees	68-74 degrees				
MINIMUM RH	40-45%	28-34%				
20-FOOT WINDS	WNW 5-10 mph; Gusts 16 mph ridges	W 6-12 mph; Gusts 16 mph ridges				
MINIMUM TEMP	Friday night - 45-50 degrees	Saturday night - 47-52 degrees				
NIGHT MAX RH	Friday night - 65-75%	Saturday night - 50-60%				

FIRE BEHAVIOR FORECAST

FORECAST NUMBER: 7	TYPE OF FIRE: Wildfire
FIRE NAME: Sandbar 2	OPERATIONAL PERIOD: 0700-2100, August 28-30, 2025
DATE ISSUED: August 27, 2025	TIME ISSUED: 18:00 Hours
UNIT: MT-HLF	SIGNED: Sarah Bush – FBAN

INPUTS

WEATHER SUMMARY: See Fire Weather Forecast for Details- Cooler and wetter through Friday then it starts to warm up over the weekend.

FUELS:

The primary carrier of fire in the two timber litter fuel models (TL3 and TL4) is moderate load conifer litter, light load of coarse fuels, and includes small diameter downed logs. Beetle killed Lodgepole Pine is the main component of the downed wood and has been on the ground for upwards of 15 years and contributes to fire spread and when it burns, Fuel Model 11. Overstory includes Lodgepole Pine and Douglas Fir. Lewis and Clark County is currently in severe to extreme drought and adjacent counties are in moderate to extreme drought.

Fuel Model	Maximum ROS	Maximum Flame length
TL3 Moderate Load Conifer Litter	1-2 Ch/hr	Up to 2 feet
TL4 Small Downed Logs	1-2 Ch/hr	Up to 2 feet
FM 11 Light Logging Slash	5-8 Ch/hr	Up to 5 feet

FDRA 2 Forested: -ERC 90th percentile High (decreasing through forecast period then increasing)

ERC, Energy Release Component serves as an indicator of fire intensity and behavior. Higher ERC values suggest that fires will burn hotter and spread more rapidly due to increased fuel availability.

OUTPUTS

FIRE BEHAVIOR GENERAL:

Suppression actions across both divisions on Sandbar 2 and current weather conditions have greatly reduced fire activity and all forward fire spread within the containment lines.

Under these conditions, you'll likely be able to smell any remaining heat before you see it. Over the next few days there's an opportunity to break open any existing heat up and allow the higher RH to assist with mop up. Stump holes and large wood within the unburned islands can hold heat if mop up hasn't occurred. Expect any remaining heat to remain undetected until the warming and drying trend begins into the weekend. Torching in the green islands is very unlikely under current conditions but is more likely to occur when heavy dead and down is burning and is concentrated underneath the low canopy of fir trees and slash preheats the canopy.

Probability of Ignition increases Thursday-Saturday from 25-40-% (shaded) to 40-65% (unshaded).

Lo	cal Watchout Thresholds
Any combination of the	se thresholds can greatly increase fire behavior
20ft winds	> 10 mph
Min Rh	< 20%
Max Temp	> 75°

AIR OPERATIONS: "All of us know what right looks like and we know where the line is between safe and unsafe. We must hold ourselves accountable to the standards and accomplish our mission with safety constantly in mind." Lt. Gen Brad Heithold, Commander of Air Force Special Operations Command

SAFETY:

Watch Out Situation # 13 is emphasized today. "On a hillside where rolling material can ignite fuel below". Pay attention for fire weakened trees and snags across the fire.

Division/Group Assignment List (ICS 204 WF)

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E-92 VUTV RIDGELINE SPORT	SLLC							
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6. Control Operations/Work Ass	ianments:							
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Division/Group Assignment List (ICS 204 WF) Controlled Unclassified Information//Basic

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6. POSITION	NAME	PHONE #	7. FREQUENCIES	AM	Æ	8. FIXED-WING
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			HLN Tanker Base RAMP	123.975		
ATB Manager ATB	Jess Taylor Main Line	(808) 754-6559 (406) 495-3836	AIR GUARD		168.6250 110.9 TX/RX	Airtankers T-912
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Helena Dispatch	Main Line Aircraft	(406) 449-5475 (406) 495-3814	Helena A/G #52 A/G #13		168.3875	<u>SEATs</u>
Helicopter Program Mgr	Mitch Dana	(406) 239-4661	HDC A/A Primary A/A Secondary	123.725 124.975		Ar-303
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NOTES: PLANNED MISSIONS: IA Support Sandbar Support						Helicopter Parking @ HLN (Old Guard Ramp, Access-Exec Air) 46 36.236N x 111 59.333W

REMARKS	CANADA	Lead Plane	VLAT	LAT	LAT	LAT	Air Attack	Air Attack					
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INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN (ICS 205) Controlled Unclassified Information//Basic

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Sandbar 2 Fire

Life First: Stop, Think, Talk, and Then Act



SAFETY MESSAGE SAFETY IS OUR FIRST PRIORITY

Fire fighter safety comes first on every fire, every time

Transition

Risks to fireline personnel increase significantly during transfer/transition periods regardless of the size or complexity of the incident. Many fatalities, serious injuries or incidents with potential have occurred during transition periods. Be proactive in mitigating the risks by properly implementing **LCES**.

Factors for increased risks to fireline personnel during transition periods include:

- No, or poor briefing of incoming personnel.
- · Lack of fire behavior and weather information, both forecasted and observed.
- Communications: face-to-face briefings may not be possible and radio frequencies may be overextended and/or changing due to the increased demands on the system.
- Location of safety zones and escape routes may not be known and communicated to all resources.

Mitigation actions to take:

- Lookouts: Post and maintain your own lookouts.
- Communications: Maintain existing communications with your own and adjacent resources, as well as your supervisor.
- Escape routes and safety zones: Identify escape routes and ensure incoming resources are aware of their locations; be aware that your original escape routes and safety zones may no longer be accessible due to changing fire behavior or your increased distance from them.

Hazards and Risks to Consider

Driving: Use extreme caution traveling on paved and dirt roads. Drive patiently, defensively and **SLOWLY** on winding roads with blind corners. Watch out for public traffic who may not be aware of additional fire traffic along the roads. Make sure your egress is identified and keep in mind your turnaround locations.

Hazard Trees, Rolling Materials: are a common issue on the fireline where we work hard to keep up our situational awareness and mitigate those hazards. *Situational Awareness* doesn't stop at the edge of the fire! In the Team's past experiences here, near misses with snags occurred, a couple not on the actual fire.

Situational Awareness: In addition to keeping tabs on your assignment, working environment, coworkers and adjoining forces, remember another situation to be aware of is your crew's level of complacency. Complacency leads to "Normalization of Deviance" which can lead to accidents.

Public Interaction: Be alert of Non-Fire personnel entering the suppression area you're working in. Post lookouts in areas with heavy public to avoid any conflicts to your mission. If you believe a contact could be a threat to you or others disengage, go to a safe location and call Law Enforcement.

Finance Message

Sandbar2 MT-HLF-000558 221-ICS / P1S85H (0115)

Finance Email: 2025.sandbar2.finance@firenet.gov

SUBJECT line should include: TIME and RO# FIRE Name for OVERHEAD, CREWS and

COOPERATORS

SUBJECT line should include: EQUIPMENT and RO# FIRE Name (for Contract Equipment and

Crews)

All documents must be sent in PDF format.

DOCUMENTS NEEDED FOR FINANCE:

Overhead, Crews & Cooperator Resources	Contract Resources		
 Check-In: Crew Manifest, Cooperative Agreement (if applies), AD Hire Letter, Resource Order Daily: Crew Time Report (CTR), Shift Tickets 	 Check-In: Resource Order, Finance Pages of Contract/Agreement, Certifications (if required), Pre-Inspection Daily: Shift Tickets, receipts (fuel issues, claims, hotels, etc.) 		

REMINDERS

- ★ PLEASE SHOW YOUR LUNCH BREAK (IF no lunch break was taken a justification must be written on the CTR or SHIFT ticket in the REMARKS Section)
- **★** PLEASE USE MILITARY TIME (0001-2400)
- ★ WHEN CLAIMING HAZARD PAY YOU MUST INCLUDE THE SUPPRESSION ACTION BEING PERFORMED. THIS INCLUDES OPERATIONS WHICH DIRECTLY SUPPORT CONTROL OF FIRE (E.G., ACTIVITIES TO EXTINGUISH THE FIRE, FIREFIGHTING, GROUND SCOUTING, SPOT FIRE PATROLLING, SEARCH AND RESCUE OPERATIONS, AND BACKFIRING).



Human Resource Message



Firefighter Fatigue & Recovery and Mindfulness

Fatigue without sufficient recovery leads to decreased work capacity and performance, such as a reduced ability to perform tasks or jobs. It can also cause weight loss (muscle loss), injuries (muscle, tendon, ligament, etc.), impaired physical coordination, and a higher risk of acute illnesses like cold or flu.

Fatigue & Stress | NWCG | Please scan the QR code



Mindfulness meditation, practiced regularly, safeguards attention amid Volatility, Uncertainty, Complexity, and Ambiguity (VUCA) conditions. Since mindfulness involves focusing our attention on the present moment without judgment, elaboration, or reactivity, it acts as a kind of "mental armor" against some of the most harmful mental habits: mind wandering, rumination, and catastrophizing, which tend to increase significantly under VUCA conditions.

11 Minute – guided break (Training our Brain Mindfulness of Breathing) 10 Minute – guided break (Awareness of Breath) | Please scan the QR code



UNIT LOG 4. Unit Name/Designators		1. Incident Name Sandbar 2 Fire	2. Date Prepared	3. Time Prepared
		5. Unit Leader (Name and Position	on)	6. Operational Period
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MEDICAL PLAN (ICS 206 WF)

Inc	ident/P	roject Name		Operational Period				
SAN	DBAR 2	2 FIRE		Date: 8/28/25 0600 - 8/31/25 0600				
			Ambula	nce Service	es			
Name		Complete Addre	ess		Phone& EMS Frequency			I Life Support ALS) No
Lincoln Volunteer Fire Dep	t	Local			911			Х
			Air Ambu	lance Servi	ces		HET A	
Name		Phone			Type of Air	craft & Capab	ility	
Mercy		800 972-4	000		Al	_S Rotor		
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2 Bear		406 758-5610 (Dispatch)		Hois	st Capable		
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Name Complete Address	DD	GPS Datum – WGS 84 DD* MM.MMM' N – Lat DD* MM.MMM' W – Long		me from ICP Ground	Phone	Helipad Yes No	of	evel Care
St Peter's Hospital 2525 W Broadway Helena, MT		46° 34.939' N 11° 59.773' W	20 min	70 min	406 442-2480	MT35 Yes	× ×	vel 3
St Patrick's Hospital 500 W Broadway Missoula, MT		46° 52.527' N 13° 59.987' W	40 min	90 min	406 543-7271	MT23 Yes	Le	vel 2
University Medical 50 Medical Dr Salt Lake City, UT		10° 46.317' N 11° 50.296' W	4 hours	7 hours	801 581-2291	UT21 Yes	Level 1 –	Burn Center

AZ	Equipment Available on scene	REMS 1 – Wilderness Medics		
	Medical Emergency Channel	Command 7 or 8		
	Approximate Response Times from ICP to Division	Division A: DP1 – ICP 30min Division Z: 45-60		
	Approved Heli Spot	H-3 47° 00.302' N 112° 21.828' W H-11 46° 59.960' N 112° 22.242' W H-13 46° 59.811' N 112° 22.088' W		

Prepared by (Medical Unit Leader)	Date/Time	Approved by (Safety Officer)	Date/Time
Dana Pirolo /	8/27/2025	Jerry VanDyne Anna Wa	8/27/2025

MEDICAL PLAN (ICS 206 WF)

Controlled Unclassified Information//Basic

Medical Incident Report

FOR A NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENT, WORK THROUGH CHAIN OF COMMAND TO REPORT AND TRANSPORT INJURED PERSONNEL AS NECESSARY.

	SENCY: IDENTIFY ON-SCE . EMERGENCY" TO INITIA			IE AND POSITION AND ANNOUNCE IICATIONS/DISPATCH.
Use the follo	wing items to comm	nunicate sit	uation to comm	unications/dispatch.
1. CONTACT COMMUNICATIONS Ex: "Communications, Div. Alpha. S 2. INCIDENT STATUS: Provide incidents	Stand-by for Emergency Traffic."		PT0202000000000	
Ex: "Communications, I have a Red Meadow Medical, IC is TFLD Jones. EM	priority patient, unconscious, struck	by a falling tree. Req	uesting air ambulance to Fore	est Road 1 at (Lat./Long.) This will be the Trout
Severity of Emergency / Transport Priority	□ RED / PRIORITY 1 Life or Ex: Unconscious, difficulty bre □ YELLOW / PRIORITY 2 Se Ex: Significant trauma, unable □ GREEN / PRIORITY 3 Mind Ex: Sprains, strains, minor hea	athing, bleeding seve rious Injury or illn to walk, 2° – 3° burns or Injury or illness	rely, 2° – 3° burns more than less. Evacuation may b not more than 1-3 palm sizes	4 palm sizes, heat stroke, disoriented. e DELAYED if necessary. s.
Nature of Injury or Illness				
& Mechanism of Injury				Brief Summary of Injury or Illness (Ex: Unconscious, Struck by Falling Tree)
Evacuation Request				Air Ambulance / Short Haul/Hoist Ground Ambulance / Other
Patient Location			D	escriptive Location & Lat. / Long. (WGS84)
Incident Name			a	Geographic Name + Medical (Ex: Trout Meadow Medical)
On-Scene Incident Commander			/	Name of on-scene IC of Incident within an Incident (Ex: TFLD Jones)
Patient Care			e	Name of Care Provider (Ex: EMT Smith)
3. INITIAL PATIENT ASSESSMENT	F: Complete this section for each patien	nt as applicable (start w	ith the most severe patient)	
Patient Assessment: See IRPG PA	GE 108			
Treatment:			6	
1. EVACUATION PLAN:			10 - 75 - 20 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10	
Evacuation Location (if different): (D	escriptive Location (drop point, i	intersection, etc.) o	r Lat. / Long.) Patient's E	TA to Evacuation Location:
Helispot / Extraction Site Size and H	azards:			
5. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES / EQU Example: Paramedic/EMT, crews, immot		ma had IV/fluid(s) so	lints rone rescue wheeled li	tter HAZMAT extrication
sample. Farantedo Entr, etens, ininoc	mization devices, ALD, oxygen, tradi	ma bag, rvmulo(s), sp	ants, rope rescue, wheeled in	itel, Inzimit, extitudatori
6. COMMUNICATIONS: Identify St	ate Air/Ground EMS Frequenc	ies and Hospital C	Contacts as applicable	
Function Channel Name/Num	nber Receive (RX)	Tone/NAC *	Transmit (TX)	Tone/NAC *
COMMAND				
TACTICAL				
TACTICAL				
7. CONTINGENCY: Considerations:	lf primary options fail, what action	ns can be implement	ed in conjunction with prim	ary evacuation method? Be thinking ahead
. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: $U ho$	dates/Changes, etc.			
REMEMBER: Confirm ETAs of re	sources ordered. Act accord	ing to your level o	f training. Be Alert. Kee	p Calm. Think Clearly. Act Decisively.