

Honey Prairie Complex

GA-OKR-000001

INCIDENT ACTION PLAN

Operational Period

Tuesday

September 20, 2011

0800-2000

Incident Commander

Rick Dolan

Bryce Thomas (T)

Accounting Codes

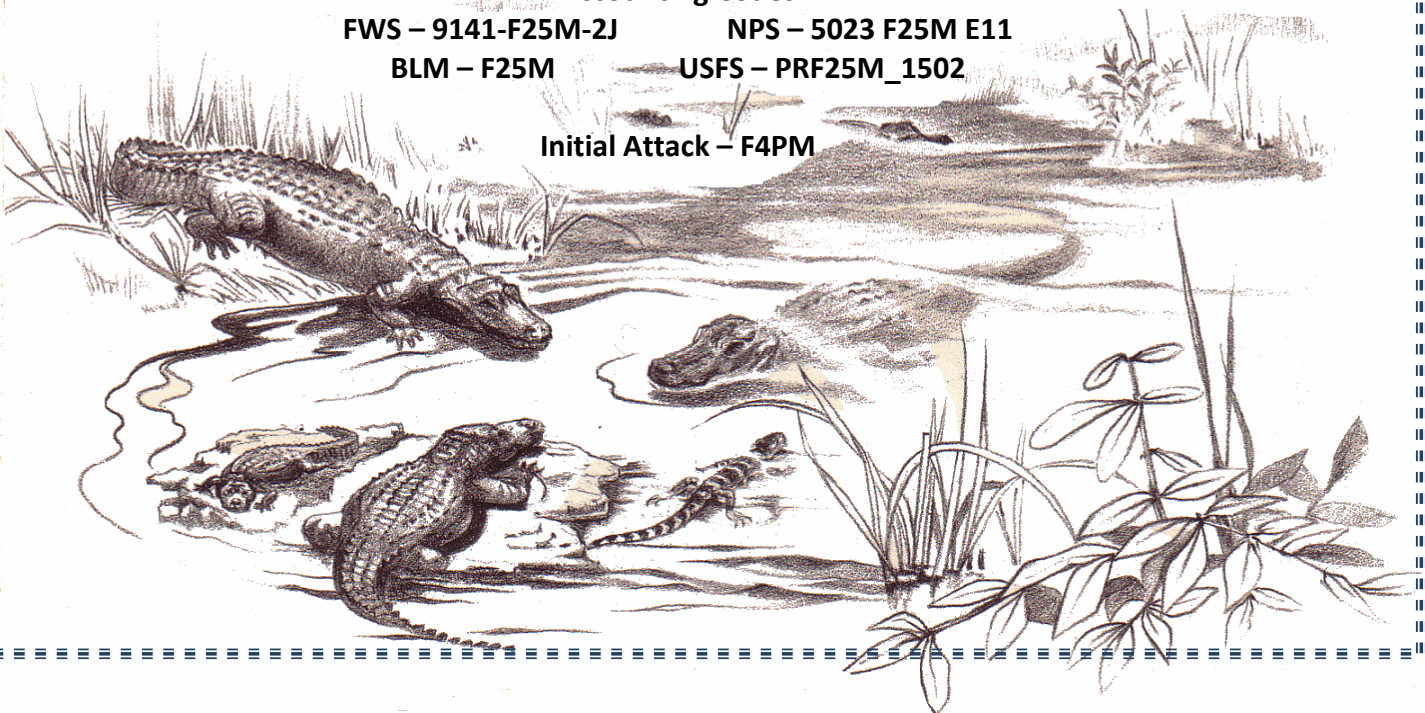
FWS – 9141-F25M-2J

NPS – 5023 F25M E11

BLM – F25M

USFS – PRF25M_1502

Initial Attack – F4PM





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Letter from Incident Commander:

To: All Honey Prairie Incident Personnel

As a Type 3 Incident Commander, I am committed to a policy of “zero tolerance” of inappropriate behavior during incident operations. Any form of harassment, discriminatory practices, or disrespectful behavior will not be tolerated.

Guidelines on in-appropriate behavior both “on Duty” and “off Duty” while assigned are addressed within each agencies policies. Our Team expects all incident personnel to follow established government policies for behavior along with all Illegal drug and alcohol directives.

Our Incident Management Team endorses and supports an attitude of mutual respect for all personnel and the public we serve.

We expect a strong work ethic and an attitude of Safety at all times!

Sincerely,

/s Rick Dolan

Incident Commander
Type 3 Incident Management Team

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| INCIDENT OBJECTIVES | 1. INCIDENT NAME Honey Prairie Complex | 2. DATE PREPARED 9/19/11 | 3. TIME PREPARED 1700 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. OPERATIONAL PERIOD (DATE/TIME) Tuesday, September 20, 2011 0800 – 2000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. GENERAL CONTROL OBJECTIVES FOR THE INCIDENT (INCLUDE ALTERNATIVES) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide for safety of incident personnel and public in all incident operations. 2. Maintain a positive working relationship with all adjacent landowners, cooperators, State and Federal partners. Inform, involve and communicate incident planning and operations with all partners. 3. Contain all fires that are within the Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge, inside the Refuge and/or inside the swamp edge break if possible. 4. In cooperation with local land owners and communities, use full suppression strategies and tactics to minimize damage to private timberlands and structural improvements and to prevent fires outside the Refuge from entering the Refuge. 5. Assist in management and suppression of additional fires (new starts or breakouts) in the vicinity as approved by Agency Administrators and Incident Commander. 6. Protect all cultural and archeological sites and structures within the refuge. 7. Manage the fires cost-effectively consistent with the values at risk. 8. Coordinate suppression actions with assigned Refuge Resource Advisors | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. WEATHER FORECAST FOR OPERATIONAL PERIOD See attached forecast for area specific weather information. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. GENERAL SAFETY MESSAGE Drive defensively and use spotter when backing. Ensure LCES is in place and known by all personnel. Drink plenty of water and take frequent rest breaks. Ensure proper use of PPE during all operations. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. Attachments (☑ if attached) <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization List (ICS 203)</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Incident Map</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Message</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment List (ICS 204)</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Plan</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Demobilization Procedures</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Communications Plan (ICS 205)</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unit Log</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Plan (ICS 206)</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phone List</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> | | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization List (ICS 203) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Incident Map | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety Message | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment List (ICS 204) | <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Demobilization Procedures | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Communications Plan (ICS 205) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unit Log | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Plan (ICS 206) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phone List | |
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| 9. PREPARED BY (PLANNING SECTION CHIEF) Joe Bishop | | 10. APPROVED BY (INCIDENT COMMANDER) Richard Dolan | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST | | 9. Operations Section | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Incident Name Honey Prairie Complex GA-OKR-000001 | | Chief | Bryce Thomas (T) 10/1 |
| 2. Date 9/19/2011 3. Time 1500 hrs | | a. Divisions/Groups | |
| 4. Operational Period 9/20/2011 0800 - 2000 | | | |
| 5. Incident Commander and Staff | | | |
| Incident Commander | Rick Dolan 9/21 Bryce Thomas (T) 10/1 | Group | East Group Bruce Miller 9/27 TFLD |
| Safety Officer | Ronald Taylor 9/25 / Hank McKinley 9/23 Ray Durham 9/28 | Group | West Group Mike Work 9/23 Mark Sparrow 9/27 |
| Information Officer | Art Webster | | |
| 6a. Agency Administrators | | | |
| FWS | Curt McCasland | | |
| FWS | Mindy Gautreaux | | |
| 6b. Agency Representatives | | b. Divisions/Groups | |
| GFC | Frank Sorrells | | |
| FLFFS | James Karels | | |
| FWS AREP | Mike Housh | | |
| FWS-Refuge PAO | Art Webster | | |
| GEMA AREP | Alan Robinson / Diane Adams | | |
| USFS AREP | Ivan Greene | | |
| 7. Planning Section | | c. AIR OPERATIONS BRANCH - Honey Prairie | |
| Chief | Joe Bishop (T) 9/27 | Waycross Helibase Mgr | Melvin Tate 10/14 |
| Resource Advisors | Ron Phernetton, Reggie Forcine Rocky Chesser | | |
| Resources Unit | Greg Strenkowski 9/30 | | |
| IMET | Heath Hockenberry 9/20/Jon Jelsema 10/3 | | |
| Situation Unit | Joe Bishop 9/27 | | |
| FBAN | | d. AIR OPERATIONS BRANCH - Pogo | |
| Demob Unit | Greg Strenkowski 9/30 | | |
| Documentation | | | |
| GIS | | | |
| CTSP | | | |
| SCKN | | | |
| 8. Logistics Section | | 10. Finance Section | |
| Chief | Shane Locke 10/2 | Chief | Lila Johnson 10/2 |
| Supply Unit | Linda Blondeau 9/24 | Time Unit | Vickie Hulsizer 10/3 |
| EQPM | Tim Jones 9/24 | Cost | |
| ORDM | | PTRC | Teresa Kregl-Barber 10/2 |
| COML | | EQTR | |
| Medical Unit | Andrew Gill 9/25 | IBA | |
| RCDM | Jayson Brockmeyer 10/2 | | |
| Facilities | Shane Locke 10/2 | | |
| BCMG | Daniel Crouch 9/30 | Purchasing Agent | Fredrick Cheeks 10/6 |
| SECM | Lindel Gregory 9/30 Chris Schrupp 9/30 Scott DeVore 9/23 | | |
| COMT | Marcus Brinkerhoff 9/22 | | |
| RADO | | | |
| Mechanic | Harold Smith 9/28 | | |
| | | Prepared by: Joe Bishop | PSC (T) |

| DIVISION ASSIGNMENT LIST | | | | 1. Branch West | | 2. Division Y (East-Fire) | |
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| 3. Incident Name Honey Prairie Complex | | | | 4. Operational Period Date: 9/20/2011 Time: 0800-2000 | | | |
| 5. Operations Personnel | | | | | | | |
| Operations | | Bryce Thomas (T)10/1 | | Division Supervisor | | Mike Work 9/23 | |
| Safety Officer | | Hank McKinley 9/22 | | Ronald Taylor 9/24 | | Division Supervisor Mark Sparrow (T) 9/27 | |
| 6. Resources Assigned this Period | | | | | | | |
| Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator | | Leader / Name / Designator | | Last Shift Date | Num. Per. | Drop Off PT./Time | Crew Names |
| TFLD (O-1267) FL | | John DeWolfe 9/27 | | Cell # 404-844-7042 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 L-51 (E-1336) | | John Hayes (O-1282) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 L-55 (E-1337) | | Abe Phillipson (O-1283) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 L-67 (E-1384) | | Danny Caraway (O-1284) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 OPS-37 (E-1340) | | Larry Davie (O-1280) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 G-33 (E-1403) | | Charles DeHoff (O-1281) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| FL DO22 G-87 (E-1339) | | Pat Hathcox (O-1279) | | 9/27 | 1 | | |
| PVT Cat D8K (E-1355) | | Richie Nevitt | | Tim Prep Inc | 1 | | Mngr's Cell # 904-759-0561 |
| PVT Cat D8K (E-1360) | | Wayne Turner | | Rowland Land Clearing | 1 | | Mngr's Cell # 912-278-4318 |
| EMT | | Andrew Gill | | 9/25 | 1 | | |
| 7. Control Operations | | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Respond to Initial Attack as requested Secure fire's edge, and mop up 200-feet in, (upland areas only). Initial attack IC will communicate sizeup information to the Honey Prairie communication. Improve swamp break boundaries for fire breaks, work with resource advisor. | | | | | | | |
| 8. Special Instructions | | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure LCES are in place before operations begin. Stay hydrated. Drive defensively and with lights on at all times. Boggy terrain: Be careful and aware when working around this type of area. | | | | | | | |
| 9. Division/Group Communication Summary | | | | | | | |
| Function | Frequency | System | Channel | Function | Frequency | System | Channel |
| Command N Okee Repeater | RX 164.5750/206.5 TX 163.150/206.5 | KING NIFC | 5 | Logistics | | KING NIFC | |
| Tactical Div/Group | RX 168.775 TX 168.775 | KING NIFC | 9 | Air to Ground | RX 166.9375 TX 166.9375 | KING NIFC | 6 |
| Prepared by (Resource Unit Ldr.) Greg Strenkowski | | Approved by (Planning Sect. Ch.) Joe Bishop (T) | | | Date September 19, 2011 | | Time 1800 |

| DIVISION ASSIGNMENT LIST | | | | 1. Branch West | | 2. Division Y (175-Fire) | |
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| Operations | | Bryce Thomas (T)10/1 | | Division Supervisor | | Mike Work 9/23 | |
| Safety Officer | | Hank McKinley 9/22 Ronald Taylor 9/24 | | Division Supervisor | | Mark Sparrow (T) 9/27 | |
| 6. Resources Assigned this Period | | | | | | | |
| Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator | | Leader / Name / Designator | | Last Shift Date | Num. Per. | Drop Off PT./Time | Crew Names |
| TFLD (O-1266) FL | | Kenneth Harvey 9/27 | | Cell # 404-276-1998 | 1 | | |
| TFLD (T) GA | | Tim Redick | | 9/21 | 1 | | |
| FL ENG6 L-116 (E-1334) | | Victor Memmoli (1275) | | 9/27 | 2 | | Jarad Dorrier (O-1274) |
| FL ENG6 O-104 (E-1335) | | Rodney Durbin (O-1276) | | 9/27 | 2 | | Jonathan Wilson (O-1273) |
| FL ENG6 G-115 (E-1333) | | Mike Josey (O-1277) | | 9/27 | 2 | | Jim Dunnigan (O-1272) |
| FL ENG6 P-114 (E-1325) | | Berry Tye (O-1278) | | 9/27 | 2 | | John Kerney (O-1271) |
| FL ENG6 E-27 (E-1405) | | Gordan Black (O-1313) | | 9/30 | 2 | | Elizabeth Lesley (O-1314) |
| NC ENG6 PLE1 (E-1364) | | Kenny Powell (E-1364.1) | | 9/29 | 2 | | Lisa Borel (E-1364.2) |
| FWS GAPDR 51 (E-1391) | | John Mason (E-1391.1) | | 10/2 | 2 | | Matthew Smith (E-1391.2) |
| TFLD (O-1302) FL | | David Carter | | 9/29 | 1 | | |
| FL ENG6 B-114 (E-1396) | | Jason Longfellow | | 9/29 | 2 | | Mark Reddich |
| FL ENG6 G-106 (E-1395) | | Charles Shewey | | 9/29 | 2 | | Johnathan Lambert |
| GA ENG6 Habersham 86 (E-1394) | | Leland Bass (E-1394.1) | | 9/30 | 2 | | Payton Turner(E-1394.2) |
| GA ENG6 Union 86 (E-1369) | | Brad Gregory (E-1369.2) | | 9/29 | 2 | | Blake Melton (E-1369.1) |
| SC ENG6 (E-1366) SC-SAR | | Robert Heiseg (E-1366.1) | | 9/28 | 2 | | Robert Wyatt (E-1366.2) |
| GA ENG6 Monroe 86 (E-1392) | | Greg Waters (E-1392.1) | | 10/1 | 2 | | Robert Hargrove (E-1392.2) |
| GA ENG6 Polk 86 (E-1393) | | Anthony Keene (E-1393.1) | | 10/2 | 2 | | Timothy Sosebee (E-1393.2) |
| 7. Control Operations | | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Respond to Initial Attack as requested Mop up and monitor fire's edge, and mop up 200-feet in,(upland areas only) Initial attack IC will communicate sizeup information to the Honey Prairie communication. Improve swamp break boundaries for fire breaks, work with resource advisor. | | | | | | | |
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| DIVISION ASSIGNMENT LIST | | | | 1. Branch West | | 2. Division Z (10A) | |
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| Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator | | Leader / Name / Designator | | Last Shift Date | Num. Per. | Drop PT | Crew Names |
| TFLD (O-1246) | | Zack Rethlake 9/20 | | 612-220-8059 | 1 | | |
| MN Eng 6232 (E-838) MNMFC FWS | | Mark Fondriest (E-838.16) | | 9/22 | 2 | | Trever Elg (E-838.17) |
| FS ENG6 (E-1313) WICNF | | Bob Raade (E-1313.1) 9/25 | | 10/19 | 2 | | Jim Miller (E-1319.3) 9/25 |
| BIA ENG6 (E-1318) WIMEA R/R 9/19-20 | | Adam Waukau (E-1318.1) R/R 9/19-20 | | 10/4 | 0 | | Curtis Wayka (E-1318.3)/ Jamie Guzman (E-1318.2) R/R 9/19-20 |
| NPS ENG6 (E-1319) WIAIP | | Damon Panek (E-1319,1) (EMT) | | 9/21 | 2 | | Tom Richardson(E-1319.2) |
| Meritt Isl #31 ENG6 (E-1302) FL-MIR | | Brian Bagozzi (O-1262) | | 9/25 | 2 | | Jessica Vincent (O-1263) |
| GA ENG6 (E-2) GAOKR # 41 | | Brian Pippen (O-1259) | | 9/25 | 2 | | Tommy Crews (O-8) 9/30 |
| GA ENG6 (E-3) GAOKR # 42 | | James Farmer (O-1311) | | 10/2 | 2 | | Robert Alonzo (O-7) |
| TPL GA OKR 55 (E-23) | | Dave Pafford (O-1196) | | | | | |
| FL DOZ2 (E-1400) | | Robert Dorminey (O-1312) | | 10/1 | 1 | | |
| TFLD (O-5) GAOKR | | Rocky Chesser | | 912-276-3232 | 1 | | |
| TPL GAOKR 56 (E-22) | | Fed Privett (O-15) | | | 1 | | |
| TPL GA OKR 54 (E-21) | | Cory Bryant (O-9) | | | 1 | | |
| PVT Timberline Skidder (E-1305) | | | | | 1 | | |
| FWS Motorgrader (E-1356) | | Harry Bentley (O-1286) | | 9/28 | 1 | | |
| PVT Motorgrader (E-1390) | | Junior Thomas | | Tim Prep Inc. | 1 | | Mngr's Cell# 904-759-0561 |
| PVT Motorgrader (E-1359) | | Buddy Pittman | | Hughes Tree Planting | 1 | | Mngr's Cell# 912-218-0360 |
| PVT Dump Truck 30-Ton (E-1362) | | Josh Smith | | | 1 | | |
| PVT Dump Truck 30-Ton (E-1358) | | Craig Smith | | | 1 | | |
| PVT Excavator (E-1357) | | Johnny Smith | | | 1 | | |
| 7. Control Operations | | | | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish control check lines. Secure fire's edge, and mop up 50-feet in, in the upland areas. Respond to Initial Attack as requested. Initial attack IC will communicate sizeup information to the Honey Prairie communication. Improve swamp break boundaries for fire breaks, work with resource advisor. | | | | | | | |
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Fire Weather Forecast



FORECAST NO: 136
PREDICTION FOR: Day Shift
SHIFT DATE: TUESDAY 9/20/11

NAME OF FIRE: Honey Prairie Complex
UNIT: Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge

FORECAST ISSUED: 9/19/11 at 1600

SIGNED: *Heath Hockenberry*, IMET

WEATHER DISCUSSION: An area of moisture off the Florida/Georgia coast will lift slowly northwestward today. The moisture along with an approaching cold front will provide the focus for shower and thunderstorm activity through Thursday. Winds are expected to turn more easterly.

TODAY: Mostly cloudy with scattered, mainly afternoon showers and thunderstorms.

MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES: 88°
MINIMUM HUMIDITY: 52 to 57%
20 FT WINDS: Northeast to East 5 to 10 mph.
STABILITY/INVERSION: 4200 feet
TRANSPORT WINDS: East; 8 to 13 mph.
DISPERSION INDEX: 30, Fair
CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION: 50%
LIGHTNING ACTIVITY LEVEL: 3

TONIGHT: Mostly Cloudy with scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms. East wind to 3 to 6 mph. Low temperature 67°.

WEDNESDAY: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms.

MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES: 89°
MINIMUM HUMIDITY: 50 to 55%
20 FT WINDS: East 5 to 10 mph.
STABILITY/INVERSION: 4500 feet
TRANSPORT WINDS: Southeast 10 to 12 mph.
DISPERSION INDEX: 30, Fair
CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION: 50%
LIGHTNING ACTIVITY LEVEL: 3

EXTENDED FORECAST A cold front approaches Thursday into Friday, with increasing moisture. Drier starting Saturday.

| | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| SKY/WEATHER | Mostly cloudy. Showers and thunderstorms. | Mostly cloudy. A chance of showers and thunderstorms | Decreasing clouds with scattered morning showers. |
| THUNDER/PRECIP | 50 % | 40 % | 20% |
| 20 FT. WINDS | East 5 to 11 mph. | Wind shifting west 6 to 10 mph | Northwest wind 8 to 12 mph. |
| MIN/MAX | 68/88 | 67/88 | 65/88 |

FIRE BEHAVIOR FORECAST

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|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Fire: Honey Prairie Complex | Unit: GA-OKR-000001 | Prediction for Day Shift |
| Forecast #136 Issued: 09/19/2011 1600 hrs | Signed: Joe Bishop | Shift Date: Tuesday 09/20/2011 |

GENERAL FIRE BEHAVIOR

Fuels around the Okefenokee Wildlife Refuge are predominately Fuel Model 7 (Southern Rough). Large to moderate acreage tracts of commercial timberland are mixed in throughout the entire perimeter surrounding the refuge. Fast moving wildfires with extremely high flame lengths and rapid rates of spread occur within and around the swamp.

Indicators/Threshold for Increased Fire Activity

- Relative humidity below 45%
- Winds above 10 mph
- **Heavy fuel loadings**
- Fine dead fuel moisture 8% or less
- Dispersion above 70

* Items in BOLD ITALICS are predicted to occur today*

SPECIFIC FIRE BEHAVIOR

- Interior smoldering and some flare ups are possible, especially if winds increase.
- Expect fire to continue spreading through the shrub fuels with low rates of spread and minimal flame lengths.

LIGHTNING ACTIVITY LEVEL 2

| Fuel Type | Rates of Spread | Flame Length | Spotting Distance | Firebrand Ignition |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Winds at 4-14 mph | Possible NORTH WINDS could lead to control problems | | | |
| Shrub Fuels (sh8) | 4-18 ch/hr | 5-6 ft | UP to 2/10 MILE | 40% |
| Southern Rough (7) | 5-12 ch/hr | 3-4 ft | UP to 2/10 MILE | 40% |
| Reburn (9) | 2-4 ch/hr | 1 - 2 ft | UP to 2/10 MILE | 40% |
| Small PL Pines (4) | 4-8 ch/hr | 9-13 ft | UP to 2/10 MILE | 40% |

One hour fine dead fuel moisture is at 9% for Tuesday: Areas remain dry and burning continues. 1,000 hour fuels are drier than normal for this time of year. There is re-burn potential; mainly on the west side of the fire due to the amount of needle cast, fallen trees and scorched shrubs. Should wind become stronger than predicted, expect fire behavior to increase above predicted levels. **In areas where fuels have been herbicided, expect quick ignitions, extreme heat, quicker rates-of-spread, and possible group tree torching potentially producing spotting problems.**

NOTE- OTHER THAN THE RE-BURN, FIRE BEHAVIOR CALCULATIONS ARE FOR FIRES IN UNBURNED FUELS INCLUDING NEW IA STARTS.

All Divisions:

The fire continues a slow spread through the thick bays and muck soils. Roots and fallen trees are protecting heat sources allowing the fire to burn organic soils from the bottom up. Keep a heads-up for falling trees.

Air Operations: Expect possible areas of smoke.

SAFETY:

WINDS – Stay abreast of changing wx conditions throughout the entire shift.

THUNDERSTORMS - these severe winds can create extreme fire behavior, with winds gusting over 30 mph
Live Trees/SNAGS – are falling in all Divisions and will be influenced by Thunderstorm outflow winds.

FUELS: Watch for pockets of cured shrubs or blankets of red needles beginning to cover the forest floor, re-burn is continuing in some areas. 1,000 and 10,000 hour fuels as well as deep duff pockets are providing the heat source. 100 and 1000 hour fuels are still below average in moisture content. Stay focused, and put LCES in place before starting operations.

Energy Release Component (ERC) is running *WELL ABOVE AVERAGE* for this time of year.

SAFETY MESSAGE



"ALWAYS" UTILIZE GROUND GUIDE
LOOK UP-LOOK DOWN-LOOK AROUND

| INCIDENT ACTION PLAN SAFETY ANALYSIS | | | | | | | | | | 1. Incident Name Honey Prairie Fire | | 2. Date 9/20/2011 | | 3. Time Day Shift | |
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| LCES* Analysis of Tactical Applications Lookouts Communications Escape routes Safety zones | | | | | | | | | | Other Risk Analysis | | | | | |
| Divisions | Indirect Fireline | Power lines / Snags | Road Conditions | Frontal Assault | Extreme Conditions | Railroad | Wildlife, Insects | LCES Mitigations | Smoke | Traffic/Driving | Communications | Fatigue/Hydration | School Buses / Children | Other Risk Mitigations | |
| All Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 | | | | | | | | 1. Establish & maintain LCES. Report LCES checks twice daily to DIVS on line & staging. | 24 | 12 17 19 20 22, 26, 27 | 1, 3, 10 14 19 24 25 | 16 18 21 | 26 | 16. Take adequate rest breaks and encourage to drink water NOW through briefings. | |
| | | | | | | | | 2. Look UP,DOWN and AROUND | | | | | | 17. Defensive driving will be addressed in all briefings. | |
| | | | | | | | | 3. Post experienced Lookouts. Make sure LCES is in place and make known. | | | | | | 18. All personnel must meet the 2:1 work/rest ratio. Line supervisors and Safety will monitor closely. | |
| | | | | | | | | 4. Use Aerial Resources as Lookout if available. | | | | | | 19. Notify Operation and Safety of Railroad track issues to ensure safety of firefighters. | |
| | | | | | | | | 5. Flag escape routes on right side of escape route facing outward. Create new escape routes as you progress and identify Safety Zones on the ground and maps. | | | | | | 20. Ensure Traffic Planning is safe and enforced. Heed Defensive Driving techniques noted in Safety Messages. | |
| | | | | | | | | 6. Identify, mark & mitigate. | | | | | | 21. Relocate staging area when driving conditions warrant. | |
| | | | | | | | | 7. FBAN/Meteorologist to monitor weather updates and advisories. | | | | | | 22. Use spotter when backing vehicle(s). | |
| | | | | | | | | 8. Ensure Fireline is Anchored to black or manmade/natural barrier. | | | | | | 23. For insects, use protective spray with deet on skin (Not on Nomex), permethrin can be used on nomex clothing | |
| | | | | | | | | 10. Keep Firefighters informed of any changes in predicted weather, consider at least a two day weather pattern when planning Strategic Firing operations. | | | | | | 24. Establish smoke/fog signs on roadways. Coordinate with Department of Transportation. | |
| | | | | | | | | 11. Refer to IRPG, pg. 12 on Power Line Hazards. | | | | | | 25. Follow establish communication plan, flight follow through dispatch | |
| | | | | | | | | 12. Observe all traffic signals and speed limits. Drive with lights on. | | | | | | 26. Watch-out for school buses and for children along the edge of roadway and crossing the road. | |
| | | | | | | | | 14. Ensure GOOD tailgate briefings with resources unable to attend Operational Briefing (Include Ops, Logs, Fin & Plans info.). | | | | | | 27. Treat all intersections as 4-way stops | |
| | | | | | | | | 15. Scout ahead of tractor operations to avoid making contact with power poles and guide wires when tying into roads. Power companies are working in some DIVS, avoid all down lines as they may become charged. | | | | | | 28. Bears, Gators, and some snakes are dangerous. Do not approach or feed wildlife at any time. | |

AIR OPERATIONS SUMMARY

Prepared By: Melvin Tate, HEBM

Prepared Date: 9.19.2011

Prepared Time: 1800

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| 1. INCIDENT NAME: Honey Prairie | 2. OPS PERIOD DATE: September 20, 2011 | START TIME: 0830 | END TIME: 1900 | SUNRISE: 0717 | SUNSET: 1932 |
| 3. REMARKS (Safety Notes, Hazards, Air Operations Special Equipment, etc ALL FLIGHT REQUESTS GO DIRECTLY TO HELIBASE Afternoon thunderstorms <i>NOTE: Latitude/Longitude format is "Degrees-Minutes-Decimal Minutes" (example: N30 41.42 W082 33.97) helibase convert if necessary</i> | | | | | 5. TFR #: Canceled 7/27/11 SEE and AVOID!!! |

| PERSONNEL | NAME | PHONE # | FREQUENCIES | AM | FM | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| HEB2 Waycross HB | Melvin Tate Desk Cell | 912-287-4479 850-849-0405 | AIR/ AIR FW | None assigned | | AIRTANKERS / LEAD PLANES - None Available OTHER: Waycross Airport Helibase: 912-287-4479 Waycross Airport Helibase Fax: 912-287-4458 ICP Helispot is Waycross Airport Helibase Okefenokee Dispatch: 912-496-7366 X230 Waycross Airport: N 31 16.16 10 W82 33.38 BERGANZA HELISPOT N 31 07.22 W082 15.22 * don't use unless cleared with AOB. POGO HELISPOT: N30 44.03 W082 07.41 |
| ABRO | Darold Williams Desk Cell | 912-287-4479 386-383-6288 | AIR/ AIR RW-FF | 122.375 | | |
| | | | Georgia AIR/GRND (Smokey - Dozers) | | 159.285 W | |
| | | | AIR/GROUND PRIMARY | | 166.9375 | |
| | | | AIR/GROUND ALTERNATE | | 166.9000 | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | AIR GUARD | | 168.625 T110.9 | |

9. HELICOPTERS (Use Additional Sheets as Necessary)

| FAA N# | TY | MAKE/ MODEL | BASE | AVAIL | MANAGER | FAA N# | T Y | MAKE/ MODEL | BASE | AVAIL | MANAGER |
|--------|----|-------------|----------|-------|----------------------------|--------|-----|-------------|------|-------|---------|
| 1CH | 3 | AS320-B3 | Waycross | 0830 | Kevin Merrill 503-504-4613 | | | | | | |
| 9RH | 1 | K-max | Waycross | 0830 | Tracy Dott (805) 722-0170 | | | | | | |

10. TASK/ MISSION/ ASSIGNMENT (Type/ function includes: Air Tactical, Retardant, Recon, Personnel Transport, Bucket Operations, SAR, etc.)

| TYPE/FUNCTION | NAME OF PERSONNEL OR CARGO (If applicable) or instructions for tactical aircraft | MISSION START | FLY FROM | FLY TO |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|--------|
| Bucket Ops/ | 9RH | As Requested | Waycross | |
| Recon | All FLIGHT REQUESTS GO THROUGH HELIBASE, 1CH | As Requested/scheduled | Waycross/Pogo | |
| Medevac | 1CH | As Requested | Waycross | |

| INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN ICS-205 | | | Incident Name Honey Prairie | | | GROUP 22 | | Date/Time Prepared 09/02/2011-18:00 | | Operational Period Date/Time 9/20/2011 0800-2000 | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|----|-----------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ch # | Function | Channel Name | Assignment | RX Freq | NW | RX Tone/NAC | TX Freq | N W | TX Tone/NAC | Mode A,D or M | Remarks |
| 1 | Command | West Okee Repeater | Sec West Branch CMD | 167.1250 | N | 156.7 | 163.1500 | N | 156.7 | A | Stephen Foster State Park |
| 2 | Command | South Okee Repeater | Sec East/West Branch CMD | 164.7750 | N | 123.0 | 163.1500 | N | 123.0 | A | Eddy Florida |
| 3 | Command | East Okee Repeater | PRIMARY East Branch CMD | 164.6250 | N | 103.5 | 163.1500 | N | 103.5 | A | Refuge Headquarters |
| 5 | Command | North Okee Repeater | PRIMARY North Branch CMD | 164.5750 | N | 206.5 | 163.1500 | N | 206.5 | A | Waycross |
| 6 | Air-Ground | Air to Ground | PRIMARY | 166.9375 | N | CSQ | 166.9375 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 7 | Tactical | MOB-MOB | GFC Contingency | 159.3900 | W | CSQ | 159.3900 | W | 156.7 | A | |
| 8 | Tactical | V-Fire 21W WHITE | West group Secondary | 154.2800 | W | CSQ | 154.2800 | W | 156.7 | A | |
| 9 | Tactical | USFS 9 | East/West Groups | 168.7750 | N | CSQ | 168.7750 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 10 | Tactical | S.E. Compact | | 159.2850 | W | CSQ | 159.2850 | W | CSQ | A | |
| 11 | Tactical | USFS 11 | East Group Secondary | 168.2000 | N | CSQ | 168.2000 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 12 | Tactical | Refuge Tac 1 | East Group | 168.3500 | N | CSQ | 168.3500 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 13 | Tactical | FL 190 | | 151.2725 | N | CSQ | 151.2725 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 15 | Air-Ground | Air to Ground | SECONDARY | 166.9000 | N | CSQ | 166.9000 | N | CSQ | A | |
| 16 | EMERGENCY | AIR Guard | Air OPS. | 168.6250 | N | CSQ | 168.6250 | N | 110.9 | A | |
| Prepared by (Communications Unit) Marcus Brinkerhoff COML Incident Dispatcher: 404-772-5384 | | | | | | Cloning at ICP communications and briefings, | | | | | |

The convention calls for frequency lists to show four digits after the decimal place, followed by either an "N" or a "W", depending on whether the frequency is narrow or wide band. **Mode** refers to either "A" or "D" indicating analog or digital (e.g. Project 25) or "M" indicating mixed mode. All channels are shown as if programmed in a control station, base stations, mobile or portable radio.

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| MEDICAL PLAN | Incident Name Honey Prairie Complex | Date Prepared 09/02/2011 | Time Prepared 1000 | Operational Period 09/20/2011 |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|

5. Incident Medical Aid Station

| <u>Medical Aid Stations</u> | <u>Location</u> | Paramedics Yes No |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| MEDICAL UNIT (ICP EMT) | Honey Prairie Complex ICP- No MEDL | |
| WEST SIDE (Line EMT) | ****Andrew Gill 404-772-5402 (BLS Kit)**** | X |
| EAST SIDE (Line EMT) | ****Andrew Gill 404-772-5402 (BLS Kit)**** | |

Ambulance Services

| Name | Address | Phone | Paramedic | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|----|
| | | | Yes | No |
| Clinch County EMS (West) | Homerville, GA (911 to activate) | 912-487-5315 | Yes | |
| Ware County EMS (North) | Waycross, Georgia (911 to activate) | 912-287-4335 | Yes | |
| Charlton County EMS (East) | Folkston, GA (911 to activate) | 912-496-2281 | Yes | |

Air Ambulance Service

| | | | | |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----|--|
| Trauma 1 | Lake City, FL | 1-800-223-4878 | Yes | |
| Trauma 1 | Jacksonville, FL | 1-800-223-4878 | Yes | |
| AirMed | Augusta, GA | 1-888-792-9245 | Yes | |
| Lifeflight | Jacksonville, FL | 1-877-870-7779 | Yes | |
| Air Evac | Waycross, GA | 1-800-247-3822 | Yes | |
| US Coast Guard (Heli-Rescue) | Savannah GA | 1-912-652-4646 | Yes | |

7. Hospitals

| Name | Address | LAT-LON | Phone | Helipad | | Burn Center | |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|----|-------------|----|
| | | | | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| Satilla Regional | 410 Darling AVE. Waycross, GA | N 31' 13.509 W 82' 20.853 | (912) -283-3030 | Yes | | | No |
| Clinch Memorial Hospital (WEST SIDE) | 1050 Valdosta HWY Homerville, GA | N 31' 01.977 W 82 45.851 | (912) -487-5211 ext 4502 | Yes | | | No |
| Charlton Memorial Hospital (EAST SIDE) | 1203 3 rd Street Folkston, GA | N 30' 50.713 W 82' 00.302 | (912) -496-2531 | Yes | | | No |
| Savannah Memorial Hospital | 4700 Waters AVE Savannah, GA | N 32' 01.538 W 81' 05.298 | (912) -350-8999 | Yes | | | No |
| Shands Hospital (Level I) | 655 West 8 th Street Jacksonville, FL | N 30' 20.97 W 81' 39.92 | (800) -223-4878 | Yes | | Yes | |
| Shands Burn Center | 1600 Southwest Archer Road Gainesville, FL | N 29' 38.33 W 82' 20.55 | (352) -265-0300 | Yes | | Yes | |

8. Medical Emergency Procedures

Identify any EMTs and Paramedics in your crews. All medical emergencies will be reported to the Division Supervisor who will assume command and notify Line Medics.

On scene personnel will:

1. Provide medical care & stabilize patient.
2. Call 911 if possible or call phone #'s above for EMS and provide the information requested.
3. Notify Communications via radio over Command Channel
4. Communications will clear radio traffic for medical emergency.
5. Communications will confirm 911 has been notified coordinate with IC, SOF.
6. DIVS will notify the Field Ops Section Chief.

MAJOR EMERGENCIES – Secure the area and identify witness for later investigation. Keep an accurate log of events. NOTE: Do not give Patients Name over the radio!

INJURY REPORTING PROCESS:

Nature of Injury: _____

Location of Patient: _____

Transportation Requested by: Air ___ Ground ___

Pick Up Point: _____

Lat: _____ Long: _____

Patient Unit ID: _____

Is an EMT w/Patient: Yes ___ No ___

Age: ___ Sex: Male ___ Female ___

Weight (If Air Evac. is needed): _____

HELISPOTS

| NAME | LAT-LON | LOCATION |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pocket Helispot | N 30' 47.500 W 82' 22.659 | (West side), mile marker 4, HWY 177 Steven C. Foster State Park |
| Fargo Helispot | N 30' 40.945 W 82' 33.640 | (West side), HWY 441- Steven C. Foster Visitor Center |
| POGO Helibase | N 30' 44.219 W 82' 07.689 | (East side) Adjacent to Okee Refuge Shop |
| <u>Evac Yankee</u> | | |
| Helispot 6 | N 30' 53.280 W 82' 33.880 | Road 32 and 32A |
| Helispot 7 | N 30' 50.280 W 82' 33.857 | Tatum Road Pond |

***Alternate site can be established following guidelines for safety found with IRPG and local EMS resources.**

Prepared by: Harry Kepler, SOF

10. Reviewed by: Harry Kepler, SOF

| HONEY PRAIRIE PHONE LIST | | | 09/20/11 | | |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Incident | | Communication | | (Hours: 0800-2000) 912-286-1660 | |
| AGENCY OFFICIALS | | | OPERATIONS | | |
| Curt McCasland | 602-359-0013 | USFWS AA | | | |
| Mindy Gautreaux | 912-282-7500 | USFWS Deputy AA | | Bryce Thomas (T) | 850-625-6634 |
| Frank Sorrells | 912-381-7503 | GFC AA | | DIVISIONS | |
| James Karels | 850-228-7763 | FL DOF AA | | Mike Work | 904-705-3926 West Group |
| Diane Adams | 912-266-5421 | GEMA | | Mark Sparrow | 706-968-1895 West Group |
| Mike Housh | 404-772-5380 | USFWS AREP | | Bruce Miller TFLD | 770-280-7684 East Group |
| COMMAND - IC | | | AIR OPERATIONS | | |
| Richard Dolan | 352-353-5101 | Incident Commander | | Melvin Tate | 850-849-0405 HEB 1 |
| Bryce Thomas (T) | 850-625-6634 | | | | 912-287-4479 WAYCROSS AIRPORT |
| RESOURCE ADVISORS | | | LANDOWNERS | | |
| Ron Phernetton | 912-276-2349 | Resource Advisor | | Jim Barrett | 229-356-1993 Langdale/GOAL Chairman |
| Rocky Chesser | 912-276-3232 | Resource Advisor | | Wesley Langdale | 229-220-2602 Langdale |
| Reggie Forcine | 912-614-4041 | Resource Advisor | | Hal Rowe | 229-412-3133 Langdale |
| INFORMATION 912-496-2566 | | | | | |
| Art Webster | | Fire Information | | Langdale Office | 229-242-7450 Langdale Office |
| SAFETY OFFICERS | | | | | |
| Hank McKinley | West Branch | 404-558-4476 | | Mike Conlon | 386-365-3882 Rayonier Unit Supervisor |
| Ronald Taylor | West Branch | 850-768-2241 | | Ray Carter | 386-288-6626 Rayonier |
| Ray Durham | Rehab Group | 404-772-5553 | | Ed Carter | 386-288-6626 Rayonier |
| DISPATCH | | | | | |
| Okefenokee Dsp | 912-496-7366 | Okefenokee | | Doug Nuss | 912-390-1037 Rayonier |
| Suwannee Dispatch | 386-758-5700 | Fla wildfires, other | | Randall McCrady | 912-283-4077 Rayonier |
| Honey Prairie Dspth | 404-772-5384 | Honey Prairie ICP | | Colin Myerson | 229-506-1565 Superior Pine Products Co |
| Waycross Dispatch | 912-287-4915 | Ga wildfires, other | | Robbie Lee | 229-356-0526 Superior Pine Products Co |
| GA DNR | 1-800-241-4113 | Hunting Issues | | Superior Pine Office | 912-637-5261 Superior Pine Products Co |
| LOGISTICS 256-497-8490 fax 912-287-6542 | | | | | |
| Shane Locke | 404-772-5400 | LSC/FACL | | Al Alexander | 850-843-0104 The Forestry Co |
| Linda Blondeau | 770-658-4789 | Ordering Manager | | Savell Schmidt | 850-843-1181 The Forestry Co |
| Lindel Gregory | 404-772-5401 | Security | | John Bogue | 850-843-1192 The Forestry Co |
| Daniel Crouch | 258-497-8490 | BCMG | | Joe Hopkins | 912-276-0911 Toledo Timber |
| Marcus Brinkerhoff | 404-772-5384 | COML | | Chris Gowan | 912-276-0965 Toledo Timber |
| James Chappell | 404-772-5318 | EQPM | | Martin Bell | 912-283-0583 Swamp Park |
| Tim Jones | 404-772-5399 | GSUL | | Crystal Peebles | 352-316-0632 FIA |
| Jayson Brockmeyer | 907-347-5511 | RCDM | | Steve Davis | 912-614-1828 Davis Community |
| Harold Smith | 404-772-5405 | Mechanic | | Trevor Fortner | 912-599-9271 Little Suwannee |
| Andrew Gill | 404-772-5402 | EMTB | | Tim Jarrell | 912-223-7120 Hancock Forest Mgmt. |
| PLANNING 912-287-6565 FAX 912-287-6541 | | | | | |
| Joseph Bishop | 404-772-5317 | PSC2 (T) | | RAILROADS | |
| Joseph Bishop | 404-772-5317 | SITL | | Norfolk Southern | 800-453-2530 |
| Jon Jelsema | 240-499-6637 | IMET | | Sid Moody | 904-318-7983 Norfolk Southern Railroad |
| Greg Strenkowski | 912-287-6565 | RESL/DMOB | | Chad Edwards | 404-582-4909 Norfolk Southern Railroad |
| FINANCE 912-287-6544 FAX 912-287-6564 | | | | | |
| Lila Johnson | 770-658-6641 | Finance Section Chief | | Eric Sams | 904-576-9907 |
| Fredrick Cheeks | 256-497-8334 | Purchasing Agent | | Emergency Dispatch | 404-529-1597 Norfolk Southern Railroad |
| | 912-287-6557 | Buying Team Fax | | CSX Randy Dixon | 912-270-0699 |
| All Contractors | 912-287-6568 | All Contractors | | CSX Dispatch | 800-232-0144 |
| FEDERAL Federal | | | COUNTY | | |
| Okefenokee Fire Shop | 912-496-4181 | | | | 912-496-7229 Charlton County EMA |
| Okefenokee NWR HQ | 912-496-7366 | | | John F. Meyer - | 912-496-2549 Charlton County Commissioners |
| Okefenokee NWR | 912-637-5322 | | | Dobie Conner | 912-496-7321 Charlton County Sheriff |
| Okefenokee Visitor | 912-496-7836 | | | Jesse Booth | 912-520-0061 Clinch County EMA |
| STATE State | | | | | |
| GFC Fargo Office | 912-637-5270 | | | Jonathan Daniel | 912-281-5158 Ware County EMA |
| GFC Satilla District | 912-287-4915 | | | Jessie Jordan | 912-816-6063 Ware County Fire Dept |
| Jason Gillis | 912-314-9233 | GFC Satilla Mgr. | | Joe Morris | 912-281-6020 Ware County Sheriff |
| | | | | Robbie Sutton | 912-599-9027 Tri County 911 |
| | | | | Georgia State Patrol | 912-287-6500 |
| | | | | Travis Griffin | 912-281-5790 Laura Walker State Park |

Fire Information IAP messages

1. Public and firefighter safety remains the top priority for this incident.
2. Fire managers for the refuge have coordinated suppression efforts with the Georgia Forestry Commission and the Greater Okefenokee Association of Landowners (GOAL) representing federal and state agencies, industry and private landowners. Through this Unified Command, the partners support the chosen strategy as the appropriate management response to protect adjacent valuable commercial timber, isolated homes scattered on private land, and critical wildlife habitat for threatened and endangered species.
3. Fire is a natural component of the Okefenokee ecosystem; since the refuges creation in 1937, there have been hundreds of wildfires that have burned thousands of acres here. The plants and animals on the refuge are well adapted to survive periodic wildfires.
4. Past experience has shown that conventional fire suppression tactics do not work well inside the swamp. Humans have never been successful in controlling fires within the swamp; only “mother nature” has done this. Attempting suppression within the swamp is ineffective, costly, wastes firefighting resources and needlessly endangers firefighter safety.
5. Fire on the refuge is usually fought by reinforcing firelines along the Swamps Edge Break, including areas of private land, to keep the fire contained within the swamp.
6. Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge typically employs a contain and control strategy to manage fire; containing it within the swamp and actively suppressing it outside of the swamp in the upland forest.

Commonly asked question:

1. Why won't this fire go out? What will it take? Surface burning of available fuels is only part of the current problem. Peat beds (partially decayed vegetation normally floating in a vertical column of water) is what supports these surface fuels. Unfortunately, the current dry conditions have allowed a portion of the peat beds to dry out and the surface burn has transferred into the peat beds and is now burning subsurface. There are now two sources of heat and available fuel that must be extinguished. The current spotty, localized rain storms can have some effect on the surface burns but do not do much to control subsurface burns. It will take a big rain storm blanketing the entire swamp (remember the swamp is huge –over 650 square miles in size) dropping a minimum of 6-8 inches of rain. As the water levels in the swamp slowly rise, as a result of the rain, the peat beds will become water saturated again eliminating one source of the fire. As the surface of the swamp becomes covered by water, burning surface fuels will be extinguished as well. Burning fuels that extend above these water levels (dead and drying trees/shrubs) may continue to burn until they fall over or burn up. Fire that exists in upland habitat on islands within the swamp may also continue to burn but it will be confined to that immediate area by the swamp waters surrounding the island. This is not something that will likely occur overnight. It may take days, weeks, or even months. The refuge has experienced fire events that were not declared officially out for well over a year after the main firefighting effort had ceased.

Hunter Encounters and Confrontations

Archery season is open. Crews are likely to encounter hunters either hunting or scouting in the area of the Swamp Edge Break.

Expect many questions about the fire operations and how long the fire will continue to burn. It's a good idea to review the Fire Information section of the plan for a good explanation of what to expect in the coming months. The majority of the hunters will be friendly but should you have a confrontation with someone:

1. Politely excuse yourself and leave the area immediately;
2. Notify your supervisor;
3. Notify the Security Manager by radio or phone:

SECM – Lindel Gregroy 404-772-5401

4. If necessary, call the Georgia DNR at 1-800-241-4113 with a description of the person, vehicle, and the nature of the confrontation. Georgia DNR will send an officer to handle the situation.

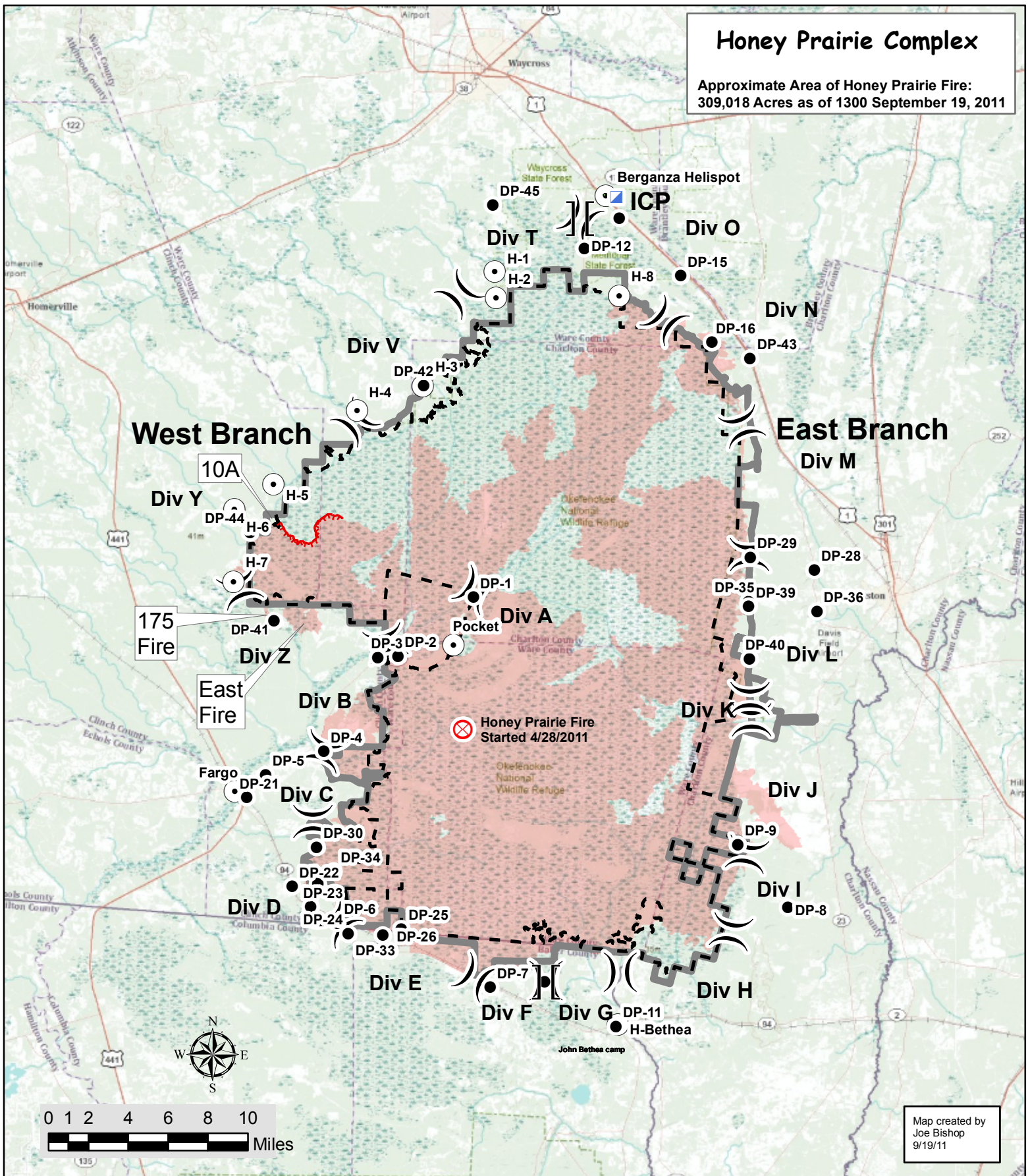
DMOB Report Sept

| RequestNun | ResourceName | KindCode | UnitID | TravelMethod | Jetport | DemobDate |
|------------|-------------------------|----------|--------|--------------|---------|------------|
| E-1383.2 | LANIER 61 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1375.1 | REGISTER, ANDREW | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1385 | WARE 71 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1307 | REID PICKUP | PU | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1372 | COFFEE 73 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1382 | ECHOLS 72 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1388.2 | BERRIEN 63 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1378 | COFFEE 70 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1383 | LANIER 71 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1382.1 | SIKES, JAMES | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1383.1 | LIVINGSTON, JONATHAN | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1388 | BERRIEN 73 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| O-1233 | LAMBERT, THOMAS | FACL | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1385.2 | WARE 61 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1388.1 | CHAKMACK, WILLIAM | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1378.1 | HARPER, DEREK | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1375.2 | CLINCH 62 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1375 | CLINCH 72 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1378.2 | COFFE 60 | DOZ2 | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1372 | SPIVEY, TREY | DZOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1304 | LAMBERT PU | PU | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1372.2 | COFFEE 61 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| O-1236 | REID, GRACE | FSC2 | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/20/2011 |
| E-1382.2 | ECHOLS 61 | TRTL | GAGAS | | | 09/20/2011 |
| A-83.8 | VINCENT, RYAN | HMGB | COSJF | AIR | DRO | 09/21/2011 |
| A-83.7 | BRYSON, MICHAEL | HMGB | COSJD | AIR | DRO | 09/21/2011 |
| O-1246 | RETHLAKE, ZACK | TFLD | MNMNS | A/R | MSP | 09/21/2011 |
| E-1324 | DOLAN PICKUP | PU | FLFLS | | | 09/22/2011 |
| O-1292 | DOTT, TRACY | HMGB | CALPF | A/R | LAX | 09/22/2011 |
| O-1259 | PIPPEN, ANTHONY (BRIAN) | ENGB | FLSMR | AOV | | 09/22/2011 |
| O-1257 | DOLAN, RICHARD W | ICT3 | FLFLS | AOV | | 09/22/2011 |
| E-1319.2 | RICHARDSON, THOMAS | FFT2 | WIAIP | AIR | DLH | 09/22/2011 |
| E-1319.1 | PANEK, DAMON | ENGB | WIAIP | AIR | DLH | 09/22/2011 |
| O-1251 | SCHRUPP, CHRISTOPHER | SEC1 | WISCP | AOV | | 09/23/2011 |
| O-1245 | CHEEKS, FREDERICK | BUYL | ALALF | AOV | | 09/23/2011 |
| O-1242 | REDICK, TIMOTHY | TPOP | GAGAS | AOV | | 09/23/2011 |
| E-838.17 | ELG, TREVER | FFT2 | MNWWR | AIR | MSP | 09/23/2011 |
| A-83 | AS 350 B3 #351CH | HEL3 | NMCIF | AIR | ABQ | 09/23/2011 |
| O-1248 | MCKINLEY, HENRY | SOFR | ALALS | POV | | 09/23/2011 |
| O-1249 | BRINKERHOFF, MARCUS | COMT | UTCDC | AIR | CDC | 09/23/2011 |
| O-1255 | HOCKENBERRY, HEATH | IMET | IDWXW | A/R | BOI | 09/23/2011 |
| E-838.16 | FONDRIEST, MARK | ENGB | MNDLR | AIR | FAR | 09/23/2011 |
| E-1328 | WORK PU | PU | FLFLS | | | 09/24/2011 |
| O-1250 | DEVORE, SCOTT | SEC1 | FLEVP | AOV | | 09/24/2011 |
| O-1258 | WORK, MIKE | DIVS | FLFLS | AOV | | 09/24/2011 |
| O-1253 | CROUCH, DANIEL | BCMG | FLFLS | AOV | | 09/24/2011 |
| O-1177 | BLANDEAU, LINDA | SPUL | MTLCF | AIR | BZN | 09/25/2011 |

Record Count: 47











Honey Prairie Complex

Approximate Area of Honey Prairie Fire:
309,018 Acres as of 1300 September 19, 2011



Honey Prairie Fire Started 4/28/2011

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-  Fire Origin
-  Honey Prairie Fire Area
-  Uncontrolled Fire Edge
-  Incident Command Post
-  Helispot
-  Drop Point
-  Branch Break
-  Division Break
-  Refuge Boundary
-  Wilderness Boundary



