



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
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VALE MORNING SITUATION REPORT FOR: 6-13-04

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	1	BAKER FIRE DANGER (352420-C)	M
REGIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	1	MALHEUR FIRE DANGER (353616)	M
VALE PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	1	JORDAN FIRE DANGER (353612-A)	M

BAKER RA:

No new fires.
Forecasted BI: Unavailable

MALHEUR RA:

No new fires.
Forecasted BI : Unavailable

JORDAN RA:

No new fires.
Forecasted BI : Unavailable

COMMENTS:

14 SRV Crews available
1 IHC Crew available
ENGB and ENGB(T) assigned to Gila N.F. engine detail in New Mexico.
ICT3(T) assigned to Santa Fe Severity in New Mexico.
Type 3 Helicopter (60P) and Helitack back in Vale, ready for IA.

WEATHER:

Vale Weather:

Partly cloudy. Temp's 71-83. RH's 18-28%. Light winds less than 8 mph becoming Northwest 8-14 mph in the afternoon. LAL 1. Haines Index 2 (very low).

Baker Weather:

Mostly cloudy with the chance of rain showers until 1200 then a slight chance of rain showers. Temp's 70-78. RH's 27-34% NW winds 3-8 mph. LAL 1. Haines index 2 (very low).

DEFINITIONS:

LAL (Lightning Activity Level) : A numerical rating from the lowest of 1 to the highest of 6, keyed to the start of thunderstorms and the frequency and character of cloud-to-ground lightning forecasted or observed on a rating area during a rating period.

Haines Index: A national fire-weather index based on the stability and moisture content of the lower atmosphere and their direct relationship to the growth of large fires. The index is from 2-6 with 2 being the lowest potential for large fire growth while 6 is the highest large fire growth potential.