

Deep Fire Big Cypress National Preserve Incident Action Plan

FL-BCP-009021

**Day Shift 0700-1900
Thursday April, 30th 2009**



<p style="text-align: center;">Incident Objectives</p>	<p>1. Incident Name</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DEEP FIRE</p>	<p>2. Date Prepared</p> <p style="text-align: center;">04/29/09</p>	<p>3. Time Prepared</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1030</p>															
<p>4. Operational Period</p> <p style="text-align: center;">04/30/09 Thursday Day Shift 0700 - 1900</p>																		
<p>5. General Control Objectives for the incident (include alternatives)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide for public and firefighter safety 2. Keep public and cooperators informed of fire activity 3. Protect park resources and private property within fire area. 4. Hold fire south of Bear Island Grade 5. Hold fire North of Deep Land Strand 6. Hold fire west of Turner River Road and Perrocchi Grade 7. Hold fire east of Highway 29 																		
<p>6. Weather Forecast for Period</p> <p style="text-align: center;">See Tailgate Briefing Form</p>																		
<p>7. General Safety Message</p> <p style="text-align: center;">See Tailgate Briefing Form</p>																		
<p>8. Attachments (mark if attached)</p>																		
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<p>9. Prepared by (Planning Section Chief)</p> <p>/s/ Tom Lowry</p>		<p>10. Approved by (Incident Commander)</p> <p>/s/ Mark Morales (t)</p>																

ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST		9. Operations Section	
1. Incident Name DEEP FIRE		Day	LEA WOFFORD; BARRY GARTEN
2. Date Prepared 04/29/09		3. Time Prepared 1030	Planning DANNY BRYANT
4. Operational Period 04/30/09 Thursday Day Shift 0700 - 1900		a. Branch I - Division/Groups	
Position		Name	
5. Incident Commander and Staff		Branch Director	
Incident Commander	Mike Qusinberry / Mark Morales (T)	Division A	JON WALLACE
Deputy		Division B/C	GLEN STRATTON
Safety Officer	LANEY CUTSHAW	Division C	CHUCK HUTSELL
Information Officer	MICHELLE FINCH	Division D	TODD ABLE
Liaison Officer	MIKE WILKINS	Division E	DWIGHT SNOW
6. Agency Representative		IA Group	GEORGE SHEPPARD
Agency	Name	b. Branch II - Division/Groups	
NPS - BCP	Pedro Ramos	Branch Director	
NPS READ	Ron Clark	Deputy	
Fakahatchee SP	Renee Rau	Division/Group	
Fl Highway Patrol	John Tower	Division/Group	
Collier County Sheriff		Division/Group	
7. Planning Section		c. Branch III - Division/Groups	
Chief	TOM LOWRY	Branch Director	
Deputy		Deputy	
Resources Unit	JANAN SHARP/PETE FISCHER	Division/Group	
Situation Unit	JOHN ANDRE	Division/Group	
Documentation Unit		Division/Group	
Demobilization Unit		Division/Group	
Fire Behavior Analyst	JON WALLACE	Division/Group	
Human Resource Specialist		d. Air Operations Branch	
Training Specialist		Air Operations Branch Director	TOMMY ANDERSON
GIS Specialist	SCOTT HAMLET/JILL WAISLEY (T)	Helibase Manager	MARC TITUS/MIKE O'LEARY(T)
Computer Specialist	LINDA MALLET	Air Attack Supervisor	CLINT CROSS
		Air Support Supervisor	DANNY WYATT
		Helicopter Coordinator	DON MITCHELL
		Air Tanker Coordinator	
8. Logistics Section		10. Finance Section	
Chief	JOE WALKER	Chief	
Deputy		Deputy	
Supply Unit	CINDY SCHIFFER	Time Unit	RUTHI BLACKMAN
Facilities Unit	DAVE COLLINS/PETER DYBING(T)	Procurement Unit	JOCELYN LITTLECHIEF
Ground Support Unit	BO NEWMAN/GARY WALLER	Compensation/Claims Unit	TERRI OTT
Communications Unit	CLAUDE GILLELAND	Cost Unit	
Medical Unit	SALLY KUHLBERG	Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader)	
Security Unit	TEDDY MULLINS	P.Fischer	
Food Unit	DAVE COLLINS		

Division Assignment List		1. Branch Panther NWR		2. Division/Group A			
3. Incident Name DEEP FIRE		4. Operational Period 04/30/09 Thursday Day Shift 0700 - 1900					
5. Operations Personnel							
Operations Chief	BRYANT; GARTEN; WOFFORD		Division/Group Supervisor	WALLACE, JON; O'CONNOR, JOSH (T)			
Operations Chief			Air Attack Supervisor	CROSS, CLINT			
Branch Director			Safety Officer				
6. Resources Assigned this Period							
Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator	Leader	Num of Pers.	Trans. Y/N	Drop Off PT./Time	Pick Up PT./Time		
TFLD O-74;5/5	MICKEY, JAY (T)	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
ENG6;DING ENGINE;5/5	RYAN, PAUL	2	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
ENG6;ENGINE 32;5/6	SHARBAUGH, JOSEPH	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
ENG6;ENGINE 27;5/6	GIFFORD, GRANT	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
ENG7;PANTHER BUGGY;5/5	BAGOZZI, BRIAN	3	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
ENG6;BCP ENGINE 20;5/12	LOGIUDICE, KEVIN	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
DOZ2; PANTHER DOZER;	PRIVETT, FED	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
EMTP;O-60;5/11	CASEY, MIKE	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
SOF2;O-64;5/11	KEY, DAN	1	N	ROTH WC	ROTH WC		
7. Control Operations Secure fire in current location N of I-75 and W of Hwy 29. Mop-up where accessible. Utilize air resources when necessary.							
8. Special Instructions Report sightings (and if possible GPS coordinates) of indigo snakes, Florida panthers, black bears, and non native invasive Burmese pythons to Resource Advisor (wildlife biologist) Deb Jansen 239-340-0210.							
9. Division/Group Communications Summary							
Function	Frequency - RX	Frequency - TX	Tone	System	Channel	System	Channel
Command	164.625	163.150	118.8	NIFC	6		
Tactical Div/Group	163.7125	163.7125		NIFC	15		
Logistics							
Air to Ground	168.050	168.050		NIFC	12		
Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader) JANAN SHARP		Approved by (Planning Section Chief) TOM LOWRY		Date Prepared 04/29/09		Time Prepared 1030	

Division Assignment List		1. Branch		2. Division/Group B			
3. Incident Name DEEP FIRE		4. Operational Period 04/30/09 Thursday Day Shift 0700 - 1900					
5. Operations Personnel							
Operations Chief	BRYANT; GARTEN; WOFFORD		Division/Group Supervisor	STRATTON GLEN			
Operations Chief			Air Attack Supervisor	CROSS, CLINT			
Branch Director			Safety Officer				
6. Resources Assigned this Period							
Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator	Leader	Num of Pers.	Trans. Y/N	Drop Off PT./Time	Pick Up PT./Time		
TFLD;O-73;5/9	VERNACHIO, ROBERT	1	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
3 OCHOPPE ENGINES		3	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
WT OCHOPPE 60		1	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
HC1:ROGUE RIVER IHC; C-2;5/11	LEHMAN, RANDALL	20	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
HC1;WINEMA ICH; C-1;5/10	AUSTIN, NEIL	20	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
*ENG5;FL DEP STRIKE TEAM;	NOLAND, ANDY	9	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
SOF2;O-63;5/10	CUPP, IVAN	1	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
EMTB;O-59;5/11	SPANGLER, STEVE	1	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
WAT2;FIREWATER 76;E-8;5/12	BENNETT, JIMMY	1	N	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade	Hwy 29/Bear Island Grade		
7. Control Operations Burnout along Bear Island grade E to fire edge. Secure facilities. Mop-up after burn. Utilize resources from Division A Utilize air resources where necessary.							
8. Special Instructions Report sightings (and if possible GPS coordinates) of indigo snakes, Florida panthers, black bears, and non native invasive Burmese pythons to Resource Advisor (wildlife biologist) Deb Jansen 239-340-0210. * Resources on loan from State of FL. Power supply to remain off to powerline during burnout.							
9. Division/Group Communications Summary							
Function	Frequency - RX	Frequency - TX	Tone	System	Channel	System	Channel
Command	164.625	163.150	118.8	NIFC	6		
Tactical Div/Group	168.200	168.200		NIFC	9		
Logistics							
Air to Ground	168.050	168.050		NIFC	12		
Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader) JANAN SHARP		Approved by (Planning Section Chief) TOM LOWRY		Date Prepared 04/29/09		Time Prepared 1030	

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5. Operations Personnel							
Operations Chief	BRYANT;GARTEN;WOFFORD			Division/Group Supervisor	ABLE,TODD		
Operations Chief				Air Attack Supervisor	CROSS, CLINT		
Branch Director				Safety Officer			
6. Resources Assigned this Period							
Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator	Leader	Num of Pers.	Trans. Y/N	Drop Off PT./Time	Pick Up PT./Time		
SOF2;O-65;5/8	KLOCK, LARRY	1	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
TFLD (T);O-67;5/5	SNYDER, WILLIAM	1	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
ENG6;ENGINE 31;5/12	TURNBO, JUSTIN	1	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
ENG7;BUGGY 2;5/5	SHOOK, SHAWN	2	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
UTV;BCP;		1	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
EMTB;O-59;5/11	SPANGLER, STEVE	1	N	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd	Fire Praire Trl/Turner R Rd		
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7. Control Operations Patrol roads with engines. Patrol trails with buggies. Mop-up where accessible. Utilize air resources where necessary.							
8. Special Instructions Report sightings (and if possible GPS coordinates) of indigo snakes, Florida panthers, black bears, and non native invasive Burmese pythons to Resource Advisor (wildlife biologist) Deb Jansen 239-340-0210.							
9. Division/Group Communications Summary							
Function	Frequency - RX	Frequency - TX	Tone	System	Channel	System	Channel
Command	172.425	171.100	103.5	NIFC	3		
Tactical Div/Group	154.265	154.265		NIFC	7		
Logistics							
Air to Ground	167.950	167.950		NIFC	4		
Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader) JANAN SHARP		Approved by (Planning Section Chief) TOM LOWRY			Date Prepared 04/29/09	Time Prepared 1030	

INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN			1. Incident Name Deep		2. Date/Time Prepared 4/28/09		3. Operational Period Date/Time 4/30/09 Day 0700- 1900	
4. BASIC RADIO CHANNEL UTILIZATION								
Radio Type/Cache	Channel	Function	Frequency/Tone	Wide/ Narrow	Assignment	Remarks		
King NIFC	Ch 1	BICY Local	Rx/TX172.425	N				
King NIFC	CH 2	Command Rpt	Rx 172.425 Tx 171. 625 Tone 103.5	N	Far Eastside of BCP	Oasis Rpt Initial Attack		
King NIFC	CH 3	Command Rpt	Rx 172.425 Tx 170.100 Tone 103.5	N	South I-75	Carnestown Rpt Initial Attack		
King NIFC	CH 4	Air to Ground South	167.950	N	South of I 75			
King NIFC	CH 5	Tactical	Rx/TX168.6125	N	Tactical Div E			
King NIFC	CH 6	Command Rpt	Rx 164.625 Tx 163.150 Tone 118.8	N	North of I-75	Panter Rpt		
King NIFC	CH 7	Red	Rx/Tx 154.265	N	Tactical DiV D			
King NIFC	CH 8	White	Rx/Tx 154.280	N				
King NIFC	CH 9	Tac 3	Rx/Tx 168.200	N	Tactical DiV B & C			
King NIFC	CH 10	DOF Disp	Rx/Tx 159.450					
King NIFC	CH 11	DOF Mobile	Rx/Tx 159.315					
King NIFC	Ch 12	North Air to Ground	Rx/Tx 168.050	N	A-G North			
King NIFC	Ch 13	TAC10	Rx/Tx 151.295	N				
King NIFC	Ch 14	BIA RPT	Rx/Tx 167.125	N				
King NIFC	Ch 15	Tac 2	Rx/Tx 163.7125	N	Division A			
King NIFC	Ch 16	Airguard	Rx/Tx 168.625	N	Air Emergency			
5. Prepared By (Communications Unit) Claude Gilleland COML								

MEDICAL PLAN	1. Incident Name	2. Date Prepared	3. Time Prepared	4. Operational Period				
	DEEP	4/28/09	1730	Day Shift Until Amended				
5. Incident Medical Aid Station								
Medical Aid Stations	Location						Paramedics	
							Yes	No
BICY ICP	Big Cypress National Preserve Headquarters							X
Ochopee Vol Rescue	Everglades City 239-695-2020						X	
Poison Control	1-800-222-1222							X
6. Transportation								
A. Ambulance Services								
Name	Address				Phone		Paramedics	
							Yes	No
Ochopee Rescue (No Transport)	Everglades City				239-695-2020		X	
Broward Co Sheriff	Broward Co				911		X	
Collier Co EMS (AIR)	Med Flight Request				239-793-9300		X	
Air Rescue	Broward Co				954-767-8700		X	
7. Hospitals								
Name	Address	Travel Time Minutes		Phone	Helipad		Burn Center	
		Air	Grnd		Yes	No	Yes	No
Physicians Regional Level II Trauma	8300 Collier Blvd. Naples FL 34114 26 06.39 81 41.12	20 Min	60 Min	239-354-6190	X			X
Miami Jackson Memorial BurnCenter	Miami 25 47.30 80 12.18 Level I Trauma	30 Min	120 Min	305-585-1148	X		X	
8. Medical Emergency Procedures								
<p>Report all injuries/illnesses to DIVS who will notify BICY ICP Med Unit and make transportation decision. Injured firefighter names are not to be revealed over the radio.</p>								
9. Prepared by (EMS-FR) Sally Kuhlberg					10. Reviewed by (Safety Officer) Laney Cutshaw			

ICS 206

Name	Position	Phone	Name	Position	Phone
COMMAND			OPERATIONS		
Quesinberry, Michael	ICT1	540-230-1262	Bryant, Danny	OSC1	404-909-0239
Morales, Mark	ICT2(T)	479-264-7991	Wofford, Lea	OSC1	404-909-0240
Wilkins, Mike	DPIC	828-421-5026	Garten, Barry	OSC1(T)	540-521-4189
Finch, Michelle	PIO2	580-286-1424	Luckett, Larry M.	DIVS	770-718-7064
Beebe, Bill	PIO2	907-841-9261	Stratton, Glen	DIVS	321-403-7638
Cutshaw, Laney	SOF2	423-829-0535	Wallace, Jon	DIVS/FBAN(T)	561-329-2685
Cupp, Ivan	SOF2	423-829-0535	Vernachio, Robert	TFLD	321-302-9500
Klock, Larry	SOF2	719-289-4848	Snow, Dwight	DIVS	
			Hutsell, Chuck	DIVS	
			Abel, Todd	DIVS	928-925-3719
PLANNING			AIR OPERATIONS		
Lowry, Tom	PSC1	918-429-4258	Anderson, Tommy	AOBD	770-533-0570
Fischer, Peter	RESL	304-642-1801	Wyatt, Danny	ASGS	828-467-0541
Sharp, Janan	RESL	423-261-4177	O'Leary, Mike	HEB1(T)	239-450-2481
Mallet, Linda	CTSP	228-223-8423	Titus, Marc	HEB1	928-451-6337
Andre, John	SITL	479-747-3612			
Rothfuss, Joel	IMET	240-778-5019			
FINANCE			LOGISTICS		
			Walker, Joe	LSC2	239-695-1146 601-201-1776
			Schiffer, Cynthia		239-695-1146
Cable, Donnie	FSC1(T)	423-596-0829	Rhodes, Sandra	ORDM	239-695-1146
Ott, Theresa	COMP	803-240-5025	Newman, Bo	GSUL	662-633-0556
Blackman, Ruthi	TIME	540-520-4571	Collins, Dave	FACL	540-641-2494
Big Cypress National Preserve			Dybing, Peter	BCMG	501-282-0958
Big Cypress Dispatch		239-695-9280	Gilleland, Claude	COML	678-316-4615
John Nobles	BCP FMO	239-777-9656	Mullins, Teddy	SECM	540-239-2175
Deb Jansen	BCP Biologist	239-340-0210	Kuhlberg, Sally	MEDL	208-941-4009
Jim Burch	BCP Botanist	239-340-0220	Casey, Mike	EMT	970-519-0006
Renee Rau	Fakahatchee SP	239-253-6371	Spangler, Steve	EMT	540-320-4838
Big Cypress Administra Fax		239-695-3901			
George Sheppard	BCP AFMO	239-398-9772			

Date

Branch/Division

Print Name/Title

WEATHER FORECAST (Issued 4/29/2009 1700)
 Deep Fire Big Cypress National Preserve

Forecast #04 4/30/2009 DAY
Joel Rothfuss Incident Meteorologist

WEATHER DISCUSSION:

High pressure will remain off of the southeast U.S. coast but will continue to slowly weaken. The pressure gradient across south Florida will also continue to gradually weaken.

- The main concerns are:
1. Gusty East winds.
 2. RH values less than 40%

WEATHER FORECAST:

Partly cloudy. Some cloud buildups west of the fire with isolated showers possible along a west coast sea breeze well west of the fire.

TEMPERATURES: 88 to 90.

HUMIDITY: 33 to 37 percent over the north of Interstate 75 and 40 to 45 percent south of Interstate 75.

20 FT/EYE-LEVEL WINDS: East southeast 7 to 10 mph with gusts to 16 mph except winds becoming east to northeast in the afternoon north of Interstate 75.

HAINES INDEX: 4 (low)

STABILITY/INVERSION: inversion breaking by 1000 hours

OUTLOOK FOR NEXT SHIFT: Thursday evening April 30 2009

Becoming mostly clear. Minimum temperatures 60 To 63. Northeast to east wind 2 to 5 mph. Patchy late night fog possible.

EXTENDED FORECAST: Friday through Sunday

	Fri 5/1	Sat 5/2	Sun 5/3
Max temperature	90	90	90
Min temperature	62	63	63
Min relative humidity	42	42	40
Chance of rain	20%	20%	0

EXTRA INFORMATION: sunrise/sunset (Naples)

Friday May 1 2009 650 AM EDT / 759 PM EDT
 Saturday May 2 2009 649 AM EDT / 800 PM EDT

FIRE BEHAVIOR (Issued 4/29/2009 1900)
 Deep Fire Big Cypress National Preserve

Jon Wallace - FBAN
Forecast #05 4/30/2009

General: Fire Behavior will be a copy of yesterday, expect active fire behavior to begin around 1300-1400.

Expect large fuels, stump holes, and duff in burned areas to continue burning because of low 1000 hour fuel moisture values. This will increase the time required for mop-up.

Specific:

Division A: Spotting will be possible into this Division from fire activity from Division B to the east. Expect spots to grow rapidly especially in grass fuels.

Division B & C: Winds from east will move spots into the interior of this division or into division A. Expect fire to move rapidly off eastern the line with the forecasted winds.

Division D: Minimal Fire Activity.

Division E: Minimal Fire Activity

Spread Rates/Spotting/Flame lengths: Grasses: Rates of spread: Heads (60-80 ch/hr) Flanks (4-8 ch/hr) and Backing (2-3 ch/hr). Flame lengths: Heads (8-12') Flanks (3-5') and Backing (<3'). **Brush:** Areas with dense brush, cabbage palm, and palmetto Rates of spread: Heads (30-40 ch/hr) Flanks (2-4 ch/hr) and Backing (1-2 ch/hr). Flame lengths: Heads (4-9') Flanks (2-4') and Backing (<2'). **Hammocks:** Heads (10-15 ch/hr) Flanks (2-4 ch/hr) and Backing (0-1 ch/hr). Flame lengths: Heads (8-12') Flanks (3-5') and Backing (<3'). POI: 45% AM, 60% PM

Air operations: Inversion will be in place until around 0930-1000 hours.

Safety:

Initial attack fires or spot fires will exhibit flame lengths and rates of spread which will make direct attack improbable. Firefighters should constantly be on the lookout for potential safety zones and the escape routes to those safety zones. An area that could be considered an adequate safety zone at 1000 hours may not be large enough to protect firefighters from high flame lengths at the peak of the burning period.

Smoke from burnout in Division B will at times limit visibility on Highway 29 south of Bear Island Grade.

Pocket Card Thresholds: Temperature: >85 degrees, RH < 40%, 20' winds >12 mph, KBDI > 600, Dispersion Index > 70

 SAFETY MESSAGE

Laney Cutshaw - Safety Officers

Deep Fire Big Cypress National Preserve

04/30/2008 DAY**SAFETY MESSAGE**

SAFETY starts with **YOU:**

Continues with **YOU:**

ENDS with **YOU** !!!!!!!!!!!!!

Fire Order – Be alert, Keep Calm. Think clearly. Act decisively.

Watch Out Situation – Taking a nap near the fireline.

Major Hazards and Risks:

- Driving** – Drive defensively, and watch for wildlife crossing roads at night. Obey all traffic regulations and speed limits on both open and closed roadways. Maintain safe distance between vehicles and anticipate oncoming traffic. Use spotters when backing up. Use extra caution when entering Highway 41 @ ICP.
- Complacency**- Pay attention to the small details concerning hazard around you. Small injuries may lead to major problems. Remember **all** your coworkers are counting on you to maintain your Situational Awareness; your actions affect everyone on the fire!
- Fatigue/personal welfare** – Take care of yourself by getting adequate rest and eating properly. The sun and heat will continue this week. **WATCH OUT** for dehydration—drink at least 1 pt of fluids/hour. Remember to account for long term, cumulative fatigue when planning operations.
- Communications:** Ensure that radio frequencies are confirmed. Establish backup procedures and check-in times. Provide updates on any situation change. Sound alarm early, not late.

THINK & ACT DECISIVELY: Remember if its Predictable, its Preventable.

