



WILDFIRES UPDATE

Update #6: May 26, 2023

NO IMMEDIATE DANGER

Fort Nelson First Nation's Emergency Management Team is closely monitoring wildfire events in the region. Our Emergency Program Coordinator is involved in daily calls with the Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Center (PREOC).

RECENT WILDFIRE ACTIVITY

There was no significant fire growth as of yesterday evening; three wildfires of note have not grown.

The Donnie Creek Complex (G80280) remains estimated at 136,289 hectares in size and is classified as Out of Control. Scanning continues, and crews are extinguishing spot fires outside and within control lines.

The Klua Lake wildfire (G90273) remains estimated at 26,871 hectares in size and classified as Out of Control. The Muskwa River wildfire (G90292) remains estimated at 8,856 hectares in size and classified as Out of Control. There is continued use of aerial resources and high-level scans to monitor these fires. Development of longer-term action plans and actions is underway. These wildfires are currently burning to the east and west of the community of Prophet River First Nation (PRFN).

Recent rainfall has resulted in low fire activity, however, fire activity is expected increase as temperatures rise and humidity decreases today and through the weekend.

Wildfire Resources:

FNFN Website: <http://www.fortnelsonfirstnation.org/wildfire-update>

BC Wildfires Map: <https://wildfiresituation.nrs.gov.bc.ca/map>

FireSmoke Canada firesmoke.ca/

Wildfire Smoke 101 rb.gy/irn1p

Register for Voyent Alerts: <https://voyent-alert.com/>

Download BC Wildfires App: <https://apps.apple.com/ca/app/bc-wildfire-service/id1477675008>

