



Smoke Outlook

Western Idaho Limepoint

8/13 - 8/14

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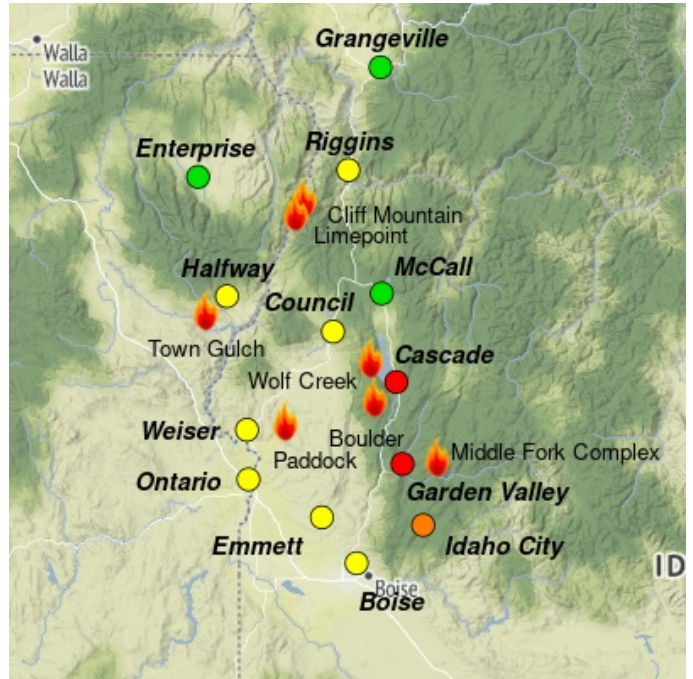
*** Red Flag Warning *** INCLUDES CENTRAL AND SOUTHEAST IDAHO IS IN EFFECT TO 9 PM MDT /8 PM PDT/ TUESDAY FOR LIGHTNING More details are available [here](#)

Fire

Expect active fire behavior over the next few days due to increased winds from the predicted storms. The Limepoint Fire grew by about 1,400 acres yesterday, bringing the total to 31,256 acres burned, with containment remaining unchanged. For more information on the Limepoint Fire, the West Mountain Complex (Boulder, Wolf Creek, Bull Trout, Wapiti), the Snag Fire, and the Middle Complex wildfire incidents, please visit [Inciweb](#) and [the NASA FIRMs site](#)

Smoke

Northern winds this morning, followed by West-Southwest winds later in the day, will push smoke mostly to the east. The Limepoint Fire, Boulder Fire, Middle Fork Fire Complex, and Snag Fire are the primary sources of smoke today, leading to MODERATE to UNHEALTHY air quality in this Outlook. Areas west of Interstate 84 and the Highway 55 corridor should see improved air quality.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Tuesday

Station	Yesterday	Mon 8/12	Comment for Today – Tue, Aug 13	Forecast*	
	hourly 6a noon 6p			Tue 8/13	Wed 8/14
Garden Valley			Numerous fires in the area will continue to degrade air quality today.		
Idaho City			MODERATE air quality most of the day, with UNHEALTHY in the afternoon.		
Ontario			Mostly MODERATE air quality with GOOD		
Enterprise			GOOD conditions continue today		
Weiser PM25			MODERATE with haze today		
McCall			GOOD air quality should be present today		
Boise			Limited smoke in the Boise Area		
Cascade	No hourly data		Possibly UNHEALTHY in the afternoon, but clearing some in the evening		
Halfway	No hourly data		Smoke from Oregon fires still present		
Grangeville			Overall GOOD air quality today		
Council	No hourly data		Improved conditions continue, expect MODERATE		
Riggins	No hourly data		Haze and light smoke expected today		
Emmett			Paddock Fire smoke decreases improving AQI		

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Air Quality Index (AQI)	Actions to Protect Yourself
Good	None
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should avoid all physical outdoor activity.
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.

*Disclaimer: This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.



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