



Smoke Outlook

Western Idaho Limepoint

8/02 - 8/03

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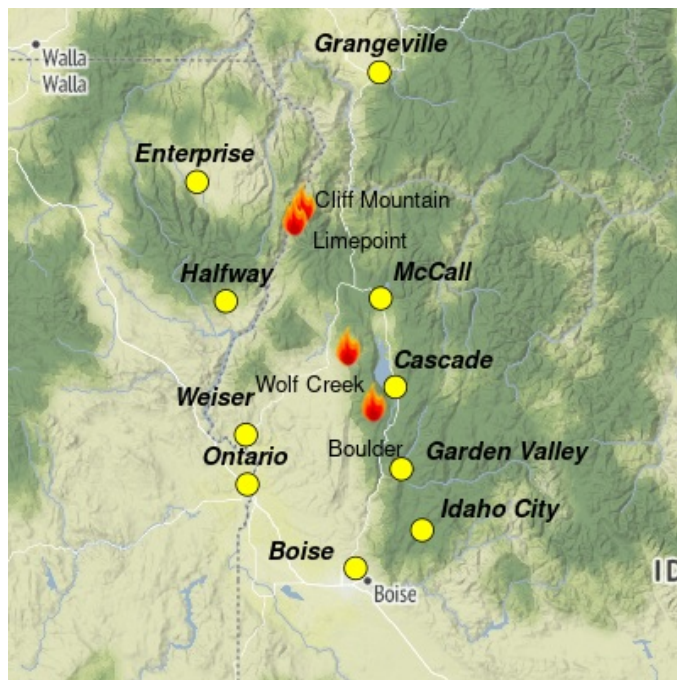
NWS Heat Advisory: Heat advisory remains in effect from noon Friday to 9 PM MDT Saturday

Fire

There are multiple fires affecting the forecast area, including smoke transport from SW Oregon and N California. For more information on Limepoint-Cliff Mountain wildfire incidents, please visit Inciweb (<https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/idpaf-limepoint-fire>)

Smoke

The high pressure system that has settled over the northwest will remain in place until midweek next. As a result, temperatures will remain high with increased drying leading to greater chances of increased fire activity, hence smoke increases. Offsetting this possible increased smoke production is an unstable atmosphere allowing for latent smoke near the ground to lift into the upper atmosphere, moving smoke out of this region via upper level transport winds. All communities in this Smoke Outlook should experience MODERATE conditions throughout the day with possible USG. Garden Valley and Idaho City may see a spike in smoke activity around noon, while McCall and Grangeville could experience higher smoke production in the late afternoon and early evening due to smoke from local fires.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Friday

Station	Yesterday			Thu 8/01	Comment for Today -- Fri, Aug 02	Forecast*	
	hourly					Fri 8/02	Sat 8/03
Ontario	6a	noon	6p	●	GOOD in the AM shifting to MODERATE	●	●
Cascade	No hourly data			●	Expect MODERATE to USG conditions throughout the day	●	●
McCall	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	Expect MODERATE throughout the day with hazy conditions	●	●
Boise	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	Expect decent air quality today with haze and light smoke in the early AM	●	●
Enterprise	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	MODERATE today - smoke from Crazy Creek, Sand, and Telephone fires may impact	●	●
Weiser PM25	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	GOOD conditions early then shifting to MODERATE	●	●
Garden Valley	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	MODERATE today with possible USG in afternoon	●	●
Halfway	No hourly data			●	Fires SW of community may influence AQI throughout the day	●	●
Grangeville	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	MODERATE conditions expected today	●	●
Idaho City	[Hourly AQI bars]			●	Mostly MODERATE with possible USG mid-afternoon	●	●

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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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