

# INTERIOR/WILDLAND FIRE

# Annual Report Abbreviated

FISCAL YEAR 2022

Prescribed fire in the Kulm Wetland Management District in North Dakota, 2022.

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# Wildfire Statistics

## TABLE 1: Fires and Acres Burned on Department of the Interior Lands, CY 2013-2022<sup>1</sup>

Year	BIA	BLM	NPS	USFWS	Totals	
10-year average	3,984 fires	2,425 fires	373 fires	258 fires	7,040 fires	
	427,779 acres	1,935,433 acres	121,980 acres	77,956 acres	2,563,148 acres	
2022	3,182	1,934	332	196	5,644	
	255,552	1,752,793	28,615	20,659	2,057,619	
2021	4,646	2,362	361	307	7,676	
	396,433	412,155	131,182	51,264	991,034	
2020	4,740	2,362	304	238	7,644	
	923,298	1,131,540	145,447	52,739	2,253,024	
2019	2,659	2,515	282	147	5,603	
	139,195	2,019,771	18,104	94,637	2,271,707	
2018	3,472	2,872	389	162	6,895	
	216,118	1,905,343	121,092	71,137	2,313,690	
2017	3,843	2,927	314	252	7,336	
	306,542	2,711,267	110,349	206,393	3,334,551	
2016	4,056	2,105	463	174	6,798	
	325,162	1,183,821	177,901	15,374	1,702,258	
2015	3,886	2,093	398	194	6,571	
	591,644	4,770,133	74,780	33,897	5,470,454	
2014	3,377	1,944	389	348	6,058	
	327,352	871,642	24,949	17,404	1,241,347	
2013	3,239	2,628	455	332	6,654	
	173,491	1,012,600	265,755	138,284	1,590,130	

### TABLE 2: Fires and Acres Burned on Public and Privately-managed Lands in the United States, CY 2013–2022<sup>1</sup>

Year	DOI	USDA	Other*	Totals
10-year average	7,040 fires	6,425 fires	47,820 fires	61,285 fires
	2,563,148 acres	2,281,228 acres	2,513,872 acres	7,358,246 acres
2022	5,644	5,852	57,492	68,988
	2,057,619	1,865,791	3.653,773	7,577,183
2021	7,676	6,244	45,186	58,985
	991,034	4,126,564	2,008,045	7,125,643
2020	7,644	5,629	45,559	58,083
	2,253,024	2,307,439	4,146,363	8,767,492
2019	5,603	5,060	35,616	46,279
	2,271,707	713,976	2,176,054	5,161,737
2018	6,895	5,629	45,559	58,083
	2,313,690	2,307,439	4,146,363	8,767,492
2017	7,336	6,617	57,546	71,499
	3,334,551	2,866,031	3,825,504	10,026,086
2016	6,798	5,676	55,269	67,743
	1,702,258	1,247,906	2,559,831	5,509,995
2015	6,571	7,056	54,524	68,151
	5,470,454	1,916,302	2,738,393	10,125,149
2014	6,058	6,755	50,799	63,612
	1,241,347	871,876	1,482,390	3,595,613
2013	6,654	7,105	33,820	47,579
	1,590,130	1,365,644	1,363,772	4,319,546

\* Includes federal, Tribal, state, and private lands not managed by the Interior or Agriculture departments.

<sup>15</sup> National Interagency Coordination Center Wildland Fire Summary and Statistics Annual Report, 2021



# **Financial Statistics**

### Table 3: Wildland Fire Management Appropriations, FY 2013-2022

Fiscal Year	Preparedness	Suppression <sup>1,2</sup>	Suppression Supplemental	Suppression Reserve Fund <sup>3</sup>	Fuels Management	BAR	BAR Supplemental	JFSP <sup>1</sup>	Facilities	<b>FLAME</b> <sup>4</sup>	Total
10-year average	\$322,759,600	\$345,392,600	\$8,710,000	\$9,600,000	\$181,067,300	\$19,020,100	\$5,190,000	\$4,563,600	\$12,504,800	\$46,304,800	\$1,001,372,800
2022	\$370,543,000	\$383,657,000	\$0	\$0	\$227,000,000	\$22,470,000	\$45,000,000	\$4,000,000	\$18,427,000	\$0	\$1,533,697,000
2021	\$347,105,000	\$383,657,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$219,964,000	\$20,470,000	\$0	\$3,000,000	\$18,427,000	\$0	\$992,623,000
2020	\$332,784,000	\$383,657,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$194,000,000	\$20,470,000	\$0	\$3,000,000	\$18,427,000	\$0	\$952,338,000
2019	\$322,179,000	\$388,135,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$189,000,000	\$20,470,000	\$0	\$3,000,000	\$18,427,000	\$0	\$941,211,000
2018	\$332,784,000	\$389,406,000	\$50,000,000	\$8,710,000	\$184,000,000	\$20,470,000	\$0	\$3,000,000	\$18,427,000	\$0	\$998,087,000
2017	\$332,784,000	\$395,000,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$180,000,000	\$20,470,000	\$0	\$5,990,000	\$8,427,000	\$15,000,0005	\$957,671,000
2016	\$323,685,000	\$291,673,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$170,000,000	\$18,970,000	\$0	\$5,990,000	\$6,427,000	\$177,000,000	\$993,745,000
2015	\$318,970,000	\$291,657,000	\$0	\$8,710,000	\$164,000,000	\$18,035,000	\$0	\$5,990,000	\$6,127,000	\$92,000,000	\$896,779,000
2014	\$281,929,000	\$285,878,000	\$21,600,000	\$8,710,000	\$145,024,000	\$16,035,000	\$6,900,000	\$5,990,000	\$6,127,000	\$92,000,000	\$861,483,000
2013 <sup>4</sup>	\$264,833,000	\$261,206,000	\$15,500,000	\$8,710,000	\$137,685,000	\$12,341,000	\$0	\$5,676,000	\$5,805,000	\$87,048,000	\$790,094,000

<sup>1</sup> Does not include funding transferred from USDA Forest Service in support of suppression operations.

<sup>4</sup> Does not reflect enacted funding, which was reduced by an across-the-board reduction of 2 percent and 5 percent sequestration.
<sup>5</sup> Enacted funding was \$65 million; however, \$50 million was transferred to the USDA Forest Service in support of suppression operations.

<sup>2</sup> Does not include funding available under Section 102 transfer authority.
<sup>3</sup> Includes enacted funding transferred; does not reflect carryover funding transferred to the Wildland Fire Management account for suppression operations.

### Table 4: Wildland fire management obligations, FY 2013-2022

Fiscal Year	Preparedness	Suppression	Suppression Supplemental	Suppression Reserve Fund	Fuels Management	Fuels Management Supplemental	BAR <sup>3</sup>	BAR Supplemental	JFSP <sup>1,2</sup>	Facilities	RFA	FLAME	Total	% Change from enacted
10-year average	\$331,215,700	\$369,261,500	\$8,710,000	\$55,806,900	\$188,202,500	\$4,591,200	\$19,775,800	\$3,847,300	\$6,308,000	\$9,993,900	\$2,300	\$46,304,800	\$1,044,019,900	4.3%
2022	\$420,605,000	\$396,444,000	\$0	\$253,298,000	\$256,574,000	\$45,912,000	\$21,008,000	\$31,573,000	\$4,715,000	\$22,532,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,452,661,000	-5.3%
2021	\$347,834,000	\$648,316,000	\$0	\$237,771,000	\$227,811,000	\$0	\$22,492,000	\$0	\$3,072,000	\$17,203,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,266,728,000	27.6%
2020	\$338,463,000	\$510,947,000	\$0	\$67,000,000	\$197,984,000	\$0	\$21,556,000	\$0	\$4,138,000	\$8,068,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,081,156,000	13.5%
2019	\$331,514,000	\$440,708,000	\$0	\$0	\$196,676,000	\$0	\$21,463,000	\$0	\$2,869,000	\$11,883,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,005,113,000	6.8%
2018	\$340,871,000	\$412,351,000	\$50,000,000	\$0	\$191,053,000	\$0	\$23,523,000	\$0	\$3,255,000	\$11,161,000	\$0	\$66,000,000	\$1,098,214,000	10.0%
2017	\$341,712,000	\$453,103,000	\$0	\$0	\$184,540,000	\$0	\$29,702,000	\$0	\$6,529,000	\$8,513,000	\$0	\$55,000,000	\$1,079,099,000	12.7%
2016	\$330,361,000	\$271,729,000	\$0	\$0	\$176,633,000	\$0	\$17,534,000	\$0	\$10,228,000	\$2,821,000	\$0	\$100,000,000	\$909,306,000	8.5%
2015	\$316,651,000	\$312,543,000	\$0	\$0	\$162,821,000	\$0	\$14,814,000	\$0	\$7,026,000	\$5,234,000	\$23,000	\$105,000,000	\$924,112,000	3.0%
2014	\$280,104,000	\$254,594,000	\$21,600,000	\$0	\$150,228,000	\$0	\$13,664,000	\$6,900,000	\$9,719,000	\$6,981,000	\$0	\$50,000,000	\$793,790,000	7.9%
2013	\$264,042,000	\$296,651,000	\$15,500,000	\$0	\$137,705,000	\$0	\$12,002,000	\$0	\$11,529,000	\$5,543,000	\$0	\$87,048,000	\$830,020,000	5.0%

<sup>1</sup> Obligations include funding transferred from USDA Forest Service in support of activity. <sup>2</sup>Obligations include funding enacted under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law.

<sup>3</sup> Obligations include funding available under Section 102 transfer authority.



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Wildland firefighters protect a giant sequoia in Yosemite National Park during the Washburn Fire, 2022. PHOTO BY SARAH PLATT, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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