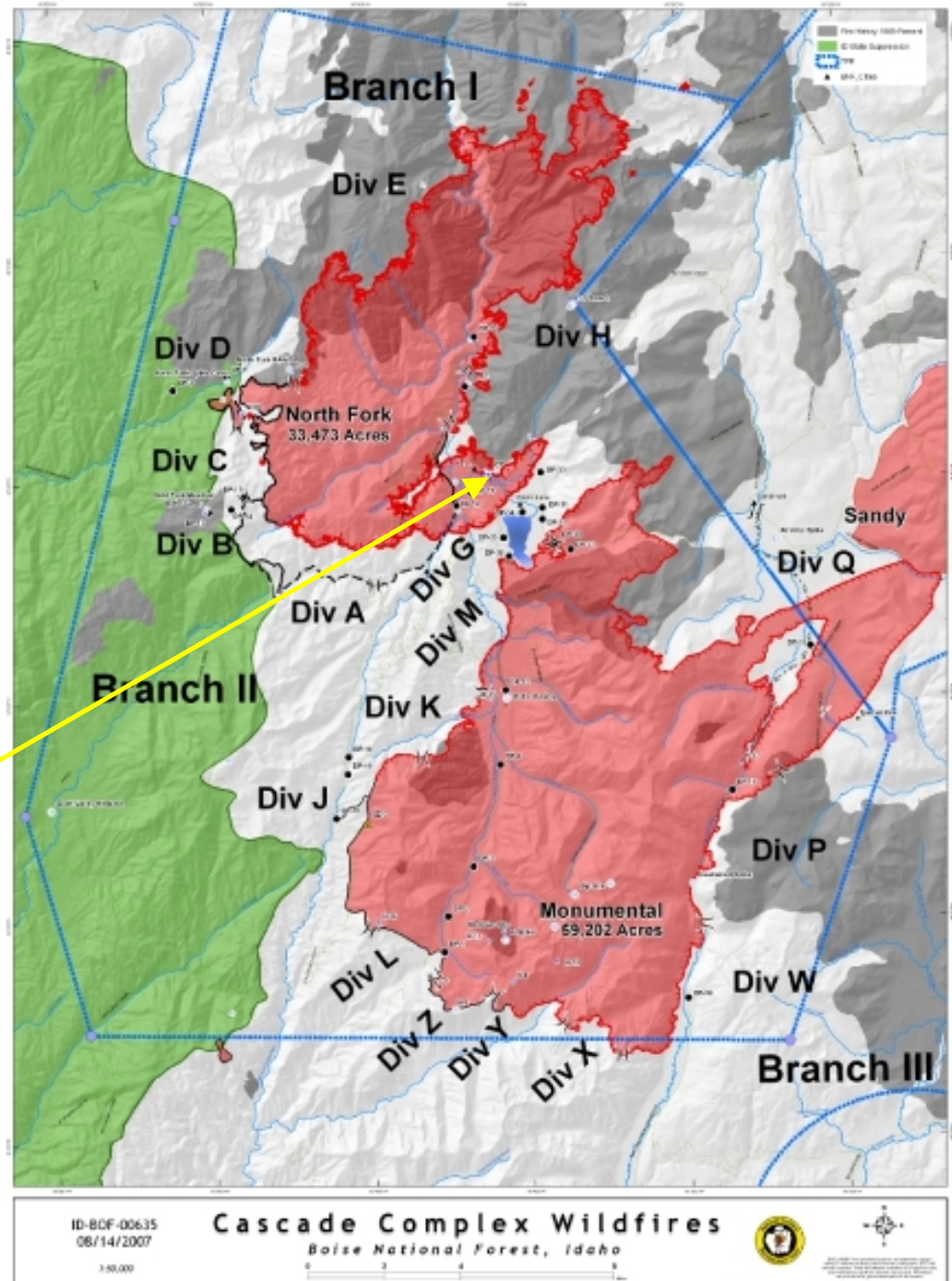


**ICP Burn-By**  
Cascade Complex,  
near Cascade, Idaho  
August 14, 2007  
3:00 – 8:00 pm

Location of ICP – map  
day after burn-by



# ICP Safety Plan

- ICP was strategically located to maximize the Team's ability to manage the incident
- Given the ICP's proximity to the fires within the complex, a safety plan was devised to allow the team to stay-in-place if fire approached the camp



When a morning-long inversion lifted, fire approached the camp perimeter from three directions, requiring the Team to implement the Camp Safety Plan







The IC Gathered Camp Personnel for Safety Instructions



# The first close approach of fire



# Air support responded



Multiple  
resources were  
deployed to  
defend the ICP



The wind shifted and fire approached from another direction



# Air support responded again



Embers started over a hundred spot fires in camp, including under office trailers



Non-line qualified personnel waiting it out





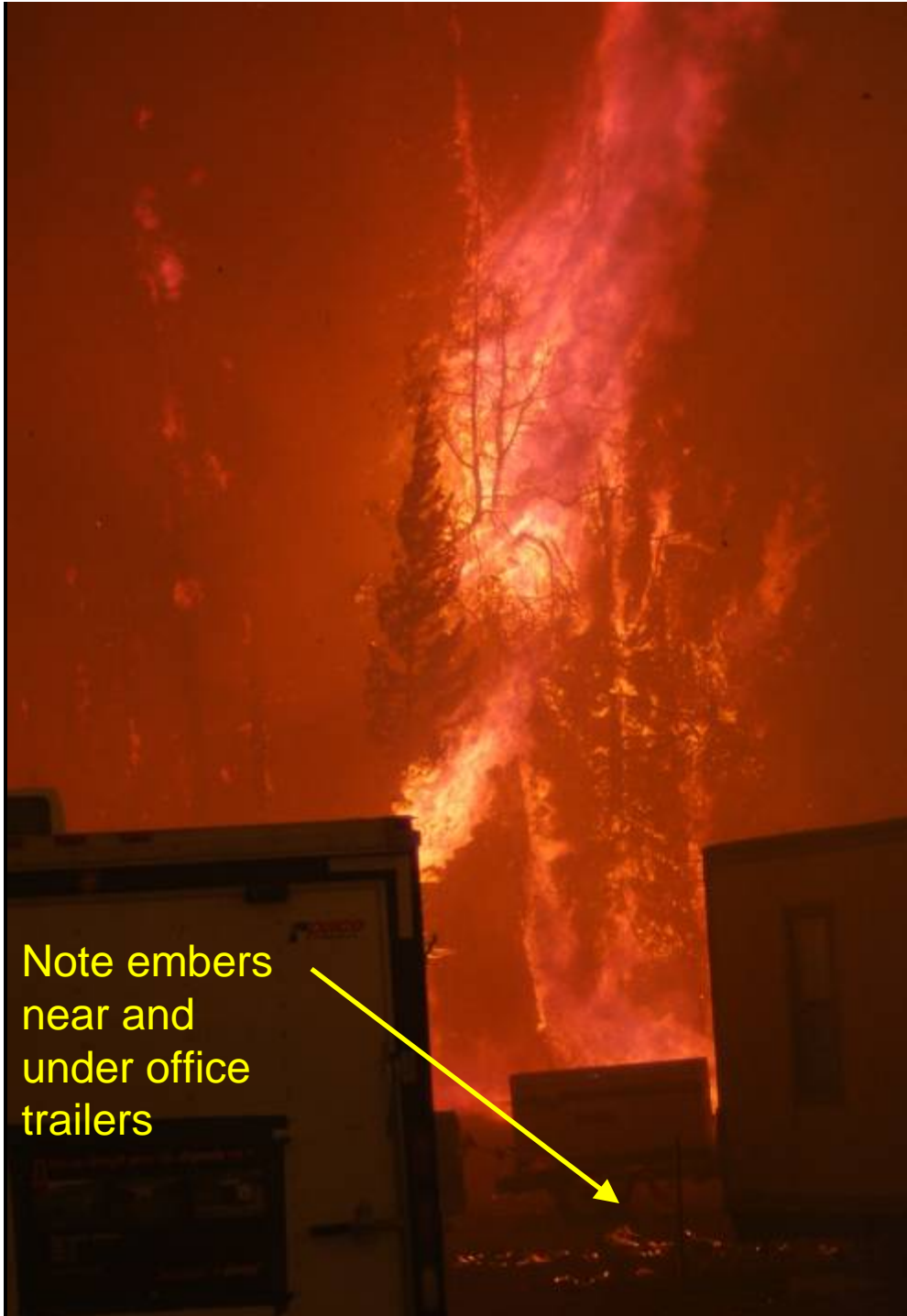
Another fire run...this time at the tents

At its peak, visibility was measured by the number of people in front of you









So much for our recycle bin...flying embers started it on fire



Note embers near and under office trailers

The air conditioner in this office probably wasn't keeping up...



**Sadly, the historic cabin was lost**







By 7:30 pm, most of the action was over, but the smoke remained



The next morning – the  
road leading to camp



The next morning in camp...a 1000  
foot layer of smoke





Resources lost included five personal tents, one office yurt, a number of melted porta-potties, and other miscellaneous items

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## In the end, the safety plan worked

- The team stayed-in-place, with no major injuries, mostly smoke inhalation and eye irritation
- Everyone remained calm – and pitched in
- The kitchen crew fed us dinner that night
- Team and section meetings got the camp up and running again
- Line operations continued uninterrupted

Thanks to the firefighters, team members, and assigned personnel who provided leadership throughout this event, and to those who provided these photographs

