

New FIRMS Feature / Location Tool

FIRMS recently added a location tool to enable users to easily find and save places of interest.

Open the Location Tool by clicking on the "Location" icon from the bottom menu of [FIRMS Fire Map](#) or the [FIRMS US/Canada Fire Map](#).

- Enter the location or coordinates to search in the "Find Location" tab, checking the box to "allow multiple location selection".
- Click on the "Current Location" to find out what location you are viewing.
- Any locations you store for future visits will be saved under the "Saved Locations" tab.

The screenshot displays the FIRMS Fire Map interface. At the top, the header includes the NASA logo, the text "FIRMS Fire Information for Resource Management System", and links for "Announcements", "Feedback", and a home icon. Below the header, a "LOCATION TOOL" panel is open on the left, featuring tabs for "Current Location", "Find Location", and "Saved Locations". The "Find Location" tab is active, showing a search bar with "Goddard" entered and a list of suggestions: "Goddard, MD, USA", "Goddard, KS, USA", "Goddard, AB, CAN", "Goddard, Bear Creek, AL, USA", and "Goddard, IA, USA". A checkbox for "Allow multiple location selection" is visible. The main map area shows a satellite view of a forested region with a red location pin. A tooltip for "Goddard, Maryland" is displayed, showing coordinates "Lat: 38.9896, Lon: -76.8547" and a "+ SAVE LOCATION" button. On the right, a sidebar contains a "CURRENT" tab, a "HISTORICAL" tab, and a "Fires / Hotspots" section with "Simple" and "Time Based" filters. Below this, there are sections for "Overlays" (including "Dynamic Imagery" with options for "VIIRS NOAA-20 Corrected Reflectance (true color)", "VIIRS S-NPP Corrected Reflectance (true color)", and "MODIS/Terra Corrected Reflectance (true color)") and "Static Backgrounds" (including "Blue Marble"). The bottom navigation bar includes icons for "PAN", "MEASURE", "LOCATION", "LAYERS", "TIMELINE", "SHARE", "SCREENSHOT", and "HELP". The footer contains the text "NASA Official: Robert E. Wolfe" and links to "Web Privacy Policy", "Data & Information Policy", "Communications Policy", "Freedom of Information Act", and "USA.gov".