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Incident Update

Thursday, August 14, 2014 7:00 A.M.

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Fire Information Line: (626) 622-7927

Location: Wilderness Lodge/Eel River Canyon **County:** Mendocino
Acres: 11,900 **% Containment:** 55%
Start Date & Time: Wednesday, July 30, 2014 @ 6:27 am

Cause: Lightning

Estimated Cost: \$27 million

Injuries: 12

Structures Threatened: 16

RESOURCES ASSIGNED

Fire Engines: 171 **Fire Crews:** 55 **Bulldozers:** 21

Helicopters: 13

Water Tenders: 29

Total Personnel: 1936

Current Situation: Cooler weather and an increase in the relative humidity assisted firefighters in completing their line in the area of the Eel River. Heavy smoke will continue to be present throughout the Ukiah Valley. Interior portions of the fire will continue to burn and may be visible from Highway 101. The American Red Cross has officially closed the Evacuation Shelter at Leggett School. Red Cross representatives have advised that it can be re-opened, should a need exist.

The **Evacuation Order** in the following areas has been downgraded to an **Evacuation Warning** – **Camp Seabow, Bowman Ranch, Hunt Ranch, Tan Oak Park, Elk Creek and Mad Creek.**

The **Evacuation Order** is still in effect for the areas south of Highway 101, west of Cummings Road to Leggett. These areas include: **The Hermitage, Big Bend and Camp St. Michael.** We will continue to evaluate the need for the evacuation order as the incident progresses.

Please visit www.wildlandfirersg.org for information on how to prepare for an evacuation.

Cooperating Agencies: Bureau of Land Management, Mendocino County Sheriff's Office, Laytonville Volunteer Fire Department, USFS, Leggett Valley Fire Department, Cahto Tribal Council, Laytonville County Water District, Department of Fish and Wildlife, California Highway Patrol, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, California National Guard, California Conservation Corps, CAL OES, and the American Red Cross.

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