



# EILER FIRE

## Incident Update

Friday, August 8, 2014 9:00 a.m.  
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**Fire Information Line: (530) 225-2510**  
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**Incident Name:** Eiler

**Location:** Community of Hat Creek

**Incident Command:** CAL FIRE IMT #5 / USFS – Lassen National Forest

**Start Date & Report Time:** Thursday, July 31, 2014 6:04 pm

**Cause:** Under Investigation

**Acres:** 31,722

**Containment:** 45%

**Expected Containment:** 8/20/2014

**Fire Engines:** 137

**Fire Crews:** 33

**Bulldozers:** 20

**Helicopters:** 6

**Air tankers:** 4

**Total Personnel:** 1872

**Injuries:** 5

**Residences Damaged:** 0

**Residences Destroyed:** 8

**Residences Threatened:** 0

**Commercial Destroyed:** 1

**Outbuildings Destroyed:** 20

### Current Situation

Firefighters continue to construct fire control lines and extinguish spot fires outside the perimeter. Crews are aggressively constructing direct hand line utilizing Minimal Impact Suppression Tactics (MIST) in the Thousand Lakes Wilderness. Due to higher temperatures and lower humidity, there is a potential for increased fire activity. Smoke may be more prevalent over the next few days. The Fire Suppression Repair process continues. Resources have begun to demobilize, allowing crews to be available for new incidents. With the exception of Lassen National Forest, all highway closures and evacuations have been lifted. We are asking everyone to use extreme caution, “one less spark- one less wildfire”. For more information on how to prepare for wildfires, go to [www.readyforwildfire.org](http://www.readyforwildfire.org)

### Area closures in effect:

- Pacific Crest Trail Closed at Highway 299 to Highway 44
- 1000 Lakes Wilderness
- Forest closures on fire affected areas
- For all other Forest closures refer to <http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/lassen/notices/?cid=STELPRD3811897>

**Cooperating Agencies:** Shasta County Fire, Office of Emergency Services, Burney Fire District, Bureau of Land Management, Shasta County Sheriff, California Highway Patrol, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Caltrans, PG&E, Red Cross, California Conservation Corps, Bureau of Indian Affairs