



EILER FIRE

Transition Update

Saturday, August 16, 2014 7:00 a.m.
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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 4:04 pm

Cause: Under Investigation

Acres: 32,416

Containment: 97%

Expected Containment: 8/20/2014

Fire Engines: 60

Fire Crews: 32

Bulldozers: 5

Helicopters: 2

Air tankers: 0

Total Personnel: 1052

Injuries: 11

Residences Damaged: 0

Residences Destroyed: 7

Residences Threatened: 0

Commercial Destroyed: 2

Outbuildings Destroyed: 12

Current Situation

Crews are re-enforcing hand line and continuing to mop up utilizing Minimal Impact Suppression Tactics (MIST) in the Thousand Lakes Wilderness where control lines have proven challenging. Fire engines and crews continue to mop up and patrol the fire perimeter. Watch for slow moving firefighting equipment on the roadway in and around the fire area. Fire Suppression Repair Teams are actively engaged working around the fire perimeter and affected areas. Demobilization of resources continues, allowing them to be available for other incidents. The incident will be transferring from CAL FIRE Incident Management Team 5 to the CAL FIRE Shasta Trinity Unit and the Lassen National Forest. "Wildfire is coming, are you ready?" Take action immediately when wildfire strikes, visit www.readyforwildfire.org and GO, when asked to evacuate.

Fire Restrictions in effect:

- Campgrounds Closed - Honn
- Pacific Crest Trail Closed at Highway 299 to Highway 44
- 1000 Lakes Wilderness
- Forest road 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, California National Guard, Caltrans, PG&E, California Conservation Corps, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Georgia Forestry Commission, Louisiana Office of Forestry, Farmington New Mexico Fire Department, Eastern Area Coordination Center, Alaska Division of Forestry