



# Lowell Fire

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## Incident Update Sheet



Date: Saturday, July 25, 2015 Time: 10:00 P.M.

Fire Information Line: 530-823-4083

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### STATUS

Incident Start Date: 07/25/2015	Incident Start Time: 2:37 P.M.
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation
Incident Location: In the Steep Hollow drainage west of Alta	
Acres/Size: 4,000 Acres	Containment:
Expected Containment: N/A	Injuries: 0

Structures Threatened: N/A

Structures Destroyed: N/A

Structures Damaged: N/A

### RESOURCES

Engines: 55	Water Tenders:	Helicopters: 9	Air Tankers: 9	Hand Crews: 13
Dozers: 6	Other:	Total Personnel: 600		
Assisting Agencies: N/A				

**Current Situation:** The fire is burning rapidly in a northly direction in the Steep Hollow Creek Drainage. The fire is spotting ahead of itself 1/2 mile. Access to fire is very challenging, but hundreds of firefighters are actively battling the fire in the air and on the ground.

**Evacuations:** Mandatory evacuations in the You Bet, Red Dog, and Chaulk Bluff area.

An evacuation advisory is in place for the northeastern portion of Cascade Shores is also under evacuation order.

An evacuation center has been opened at the Nevada Union High School, located at 11671 Ridge Road in Grass Valley.

**Road Closures:** Red Dog Rd is closed between Greenhorn Creek & You Bet Rd.

**Additional Information:** Investigators are asking the public's help in looking for a vehicle of interest that was in the area when the fire started. The vehicle is a lifted 4x4 white jeep wrangler without a top, a black roll bar and no front doors that was in the Gold Run/Dutch Flat area around 2:30pm. Anyone with information should contact the Placer or Nevada County Sheriff's Department.

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