



Lowell Fire

Incident Update Sheet



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Date: Monday, July 27, 2015 Time: 7:30 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: Steep Hollow Creek in the You Bet area, west of Alta	
Acres/Size: 1,700 Acres	Containment: 25%
Expected Containment: August 1, 2015	Injuries: 4

Structures Threatened: 1,800 in Placer & Nevada Counties Structures Destroyed: 0 Structures Damaged: 0

RESOURCES

Engines: 187	Water Tenders: 15	Helicopters: 18	Air Tankers: 7	Hand Crews: 52
Dozers: 46	Other:	Total Personnel: 2,048		
Cooperating Agencies: Cal OES, California National Guard, CHP, Nevada County Sheriff, Placer County Sheriff, USFS, BLM, California Conservation Corps, SPI, and PG&E.				

Current Situation: Temperatures are expected to be high and humidities low. The fire has the potential to continue to progress due to current and predicted weather conditions. 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 are in effect for Red Dog Rd East of Greenhorn Creek, You Bet Road East of Greenhorn Creek, Chalk Bluff and Lowell Hill Roads.

An evacuation advisory is in place for the Cascade Shores Community.

The evacuation center has been moved to: First Baptist Church, 1866 Ridge Road, Grass Valley, CA.

Road Closures: Nevada County: Red Dog Road at Chalk Bluff Road, Red Dog Road at Buckeye Ridge, Banner Quaker at Lower Green Horn Road, Banner Quaker at Chalk Bluff, & Lowell Hill Road at Mule Spring Road.

Placer County: Secret Town at Chicago Park Power House Road & Diggin Road at Main Street in Dutch Flat.

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