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Valley Fire Incident Update

Date: 09/19/2015 Time: 7:00 AM
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STATUS				
Incident Start Date: 09/12/2015		Incident Start Time: 1:24 PM		
Incident Type: Vegetation Fire		Cause: Under Investigation		
Incident Location: Southern Lake County				
Acreage: 74500		Containment: 48%		
Expected Containment: NA		Injuries: 4		
Structures Threatened: 7,253	Structures Destroyed: 585 (See Below)		Structures Damaged: Unknown	
RESOURCES				
Engines: 442	Water Tenders: 73	Helicopters: 23	Air Tankers: 2	Hand Crews: 94
Dozers: 62	Other:	Total Personnel: 4234		
Cooperating Agencies: Lake County, Sonoma County, Napa County, California Office of Emergency Services, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, CAL TRANS, California State Parks, Bureau of Land Management, CAL FIRE, CHP, Red Cross and PG&E				
SITUATION				
Current Situation:	<p>Firefighters were able to construct additional control lines along the fires perimeter last night. Temperatures will continue to rise, causing lower humidity and increased fire activity. Last night the communities of Twin Lakes and Rancho Sendero were able to return to their homes. Today at 12:00pm, the Mandatory Evacuation Order for Middletown will be lifted. The cancellation of additional evacuation orders are being evaluated based on a variety of factors including potential fire behavior and re-establishment of critical infrastructure.</p> <p>Damage Inspection Teams continued today gathering damage data in the affected areas. As additional information becomes available, the numbers of damaged or destroyed structures may change.</p>			
Evacuations:	<p>Lake County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Butts Canyon Rd. to Napa County line -Cobb -Seigler Canyon -Loch Lomond -Middletown -Hidden Valley Lake -All residences on Bottle Rock Rd. from Harrington Flat Rd. -All residences on SR-175, Cobb -All residences on SR-29 between Murphy Springs Road and Tubbs Rd. (until noon) <p>Nap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Butts Canyon Rd. west of Snell Valley Rd. -Aetna Springs Rd. West of Butts Canyon Rd. 			



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	<p>-James Creek Rd. west of Butts Canyon Rd. -Evacuations (cont.) Evacuation warnings -Pope Valley North of Ink Grade Rd.</p>
<p>Evacuation Centers:</p>	<p>Red Cross Shelters Grace Church 6716 Live Oak Drive in Kelseyville Napa County Fair Grounds 1435 N Oak St in Calistoga</p> <p>Lake County Shelters Highland Senior Center, 3245 Bowers Center in Clearlake Big Valley Rancheria Gymnasium, 1002 Osprey Court in Kelseyville</p>
<p>Road Closures:</p>	<p>Lake County -SR-175 at Red Hills Rd. -SR-29 at Red Hills Rd. -SR-281 (Red Hills Rd) at SR-29 -SR-29 at SR-53 (current residents only) -SR-29 at Diener Dr. -SR-29 at Seigler Canyon -SR-29 at Murphy Springs Rd -Bottle Rock Rd. at Harrington Flat Rd. -SR-175 at Dry Creek -Spruce Grove Rd. South at SR-29 -Big Canyon Rd. and Knowles Ln. -Butts Canyon Rd. at SR-29 -Spruce Grove Rd. South at SR-29 -Hartmann Rd. at SR-29 -Grange Rd. at SR-29</p> <p>Napa County -Aetna Springs Rd. at Pope Springs Rd. -James Creek Rd., west of Butts Canyon Rd. -Butts Canyon Rd. at Snell Valley Rd.</p> <p>Sonoma County (open to residents only) -Ida Clayton Rd. at SR-128 -Pine Flat Rd. ascending addresses from the 11000 block</p>