



Soberanes Fire



Incident Update

Date: 07/25/2016 Time: 7:00 AM

Fire Information Lines: 211 or 831-204-0446

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STATUS

Incident Start Date: 7-22-2016		Incident Start Time: 8:48am	
Incident Type: Wildland		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: Soberanes Creek, Garrapata State Park, Palo Colorado, north of Big Sur			
Acreage: 14,897		Containment: 5%	
Expected Containment: 7/31/2016		Injuries: 0	
Structures Threatened: 1650	Structures Destroyed: 20 Homes 2 outbuilding	Structures Damaged: 0	

RESOURCES

Engines: 165	Water Tenders: 14	Helicopters: 7	Air Tankers: 6	Hand Crews: 35
Dozers: 17	Other: 3	Total Personnel: 1400		

Cooperating Agencies: California State Parks and Recreation, California Highway Patrol, Monterey County Sheriff, Monterey Peninsula Regional Parks district, Red Cross and CAL-OES

SITUATION

Current Situation:	CAL FIRE and US Forest Service are now in unified command. The fire remains active and dynamic with access being challenging. High temperatures and low humidity are also an element that is affecting fire activity. Firefighters continue to fight the fire aggressively with air and ground resources. For more information visit www.fire.ca.gov and www.readyforwildfire.org
Evacuations:	Mandatory Evacuation Order: The community of Palo Colorado, Rocky Creek, Weston Ridge Road (AKA Garrapata Ridge Road), Highway 1 @ Old Coast Road south to Old Coast Road @ Bixby Creek Road, Garrapatos Road. Evacuation Warning: The community of Carmel Highlands, South of Rancho San Carlos, White Rock, Old Coast Road south from Bixby Creek Road to Little Sur River.
Evacuation Centers:	Carmel Middle School 4380 Carmel Valley Road Carmel-By-The-Sea, Ca. 93923
Road Closures:	Palo Colorado RD at Hwy 1 and Weston Ridge RD at Hwy 1