



Emerald Fire

INCIDENT FACT SHEET

Incident Name: Emerald

Type of Incident: Fire, Wildland

Incident Address: Emerald Bay/ Cascade Lake

Community: South Lake Tahoe

Incident Report Date: 10/14/16

Incident Report Time: 1:33 am

Acres: 200

25% Contained

Resources Assigned

Engine / Truck Companies: 34

Fire Crews: 8

Bulldozers: 0

Water Tenders: 4

Helicopters:

Air Tankers:

Current Situation

Unified command has been established with the USFS, Lake Valley Fire, and CAL FIRE. Fire is burning in the Cascade Lake/ Emerald Bay region of South Lake Tahoe. Very strong winds ahead of the incoming storm system are fanning the fire in different directions resulting in dangerous rates of spread. Heavy precipitation is occurring over the fire now and wind is impacting firefighting operations. Over 500 structures are threatened. Firefighters continue to perform structure defense in active fire areas.

Evacuations: Mandatory- Spring Creek, Cathedral, West shore of Fallen Leaf Lake, Cascade Properties, Cascade Lake. **Evacuations have been released North of Bayview Trailhead all others are still in place.**

Evacuation Shelter: South Lake Tahoe Recreation Center at 1180 Rufus Allen Blvd, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150
El Dorado Sheriffs website link. <http://pio.edso.org/>

Road Closures: Highway 89 from Camp Richardson to Vikingsholm.



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Cooperating Agencies

CAL FIRE, USFS, Lake Valley, Meeks Bay Fire, South Lake Tahoe Fire, El Dorado Sheriffs, SLT PD, CHP, State Parks, CALTrans, Fallen Leaf Lake Fire, North Tahoe Fire, Liberty Utilities

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