



# Ponderosa Fire



## Update

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Date: 9/3/17 Time: 6:30 PM

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### STATUS

<b>Incident Start Date:</b> 8/29/17		<b>Incident Start Time:</b> 1:16 PM	
<b>Incident Type:</b> Vegetation		<b>Cause:</b> Human	
<b>Incident Location:</b> Ponderosa Way and Lumpkin Road, 2 miles Northwest of Forbestown			
<b>Acreage:</b> 4,014		<b>Containment:</b> 64%	
<b>Expected Containment:</b> 9/7/17		<b>Injuries:</b> 2	
<b>Structures Threatened:</b> None	<b>Structures Destroyed:</b> 54 (32 homes & 22 outbuildings)	<b>Structures Damaged:</b> 1 (1 outbuilding)	

### RESOURCES

<b>Engines:</b> 128	<b>Water Tenders:</b> 26	<b>Helicopters:</b> 12	<b>Air Tankers:</b> 6	<b>Hand Crews:</b> 43
<b>Dozers:</b> 22	<b>Other:</b>	<b>Total Personnel:</b> 1,685		

**Cooperating Agencies:** Butte County Sheriff's Office, Butte County Fire Department, Butte County, Cal OES, Bureau of Indian Affairs, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Red Cross, California Highway Patrol, US Forest Service, California Department of Parks and Recreation, PG & E, California Conservation Corps, North Valley Animal Disaster Group, Butte Medics, California Department of Transportation, South Feather Water and Power, Yuba County Sheriff, Yuba County OES and Sierra Pacific Industries.

### SITUATION

<b>Current Situation:</b>	Containment continues to improve in these extreme temperatures due to the aggressive work of the firefighters. All evacuations orders and warnings have been lifted as well as road closures.  When entering the area, please be cautious of emergency equipment and personnel as they are operating in and around the area. Check the roof and exterior areas for sparks and embers as well as the attic and throughout the house for hidden burning sparks and embers.
<b>Evacuations:</b>	None
<b>Evacuation Centers:</b>	Church of the Nazarene: 2238 Monte Vista Ave., Oroville 95966
<b>Road Closures:</b>	None

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