

# ZACA FIRE UPDATE

## Friday, August 10, 2007 8:00 PM

**Joint Unified Command:** Los Padres National Forest and Santa Barbara County Fire Department

**On the Web:** [www.sbcfire.com](http://www.sbcfire.com) or [www.fire.ca.gov/](http://www.fire.ca.gov/) or [www.inciweb](http://www.inciweb)

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**Fire Information Phone Line:** (805) 961-5770

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Fire Status	Resources
<b>Acres Burned:</b> 80,787 acres	<b>Crews:</b> 90
<b>Acres Increase (last 12 hours):</b> 1,250 acres	<b>Engines:</b> 120
<b>Fireline to Build:</b> 68 miles	<b>Helicopters:</b> 22
<b>Date Started:</b> July 4, 2007 at 10:53 am	<b>Air Tankers:</b> 8
<b>Percent Contained:</b> 68 percent	<b>Air Attack:</b> 2
<b>Expected Containment:</b> September 7, 2007	<b>Dozers:</b> 26
<b>Injuries:</b> 22	<b>Water Tenders:</b> 62
<b>Structures Threatened:</b> 595	<b>Total Personnel Assigned:</b> 2,567
<b>Structures Destroyed:</b> 1 outbuilding	<b>Cost to Date:</b> \$61,348,000

### Headlines:

- The **EVACUATION ORDER** for the Peachtree community has been lifted.
- Hwy 154 is open to general traffic. The speed limit has been reduced to 45 MPH and will be strictly enforced.
- Two informational meetings regarding the Zaca Fire will be held on Saturday, August 11, in the Lebec/Frazier Park area. The first meeting will be 12 o'clock noon at the Pine Mountain Club, 2534 Beechwood Way. The second meeting will be 3:00 p.m. at the Frazier Mountain High School, 700 Falcon Way, Lebec.

### Current Situation:

The fire remained active due to increased temperature, lower humidity, and decreased marine layer. The fire made a moderate run up Indian Creek Canyon, It also made a run up Rattlesnake Canyon east of the Sisquoc Condor Sanctuary, and up Alamar Canyon. Significant amounts of smoke may be seen due to burning operations and fire activity. Hand crews, engines, and dozers are continuing with contingency lines in the areas of Paradise, East Camino Cielo, the Sierra Madre Ridge, the Pendola Road, Matilija Wilderness and Dry Canyon and south of Hwy 33 to Divide Peak. Predicted weather for the week-end is for increasing temperatures and lower relative humidity. These conditions have the potential for increased fire activity.

### Forest, Road and Area Closures:

- Happy Canyon and Figueroa Mountain Roads are closed at the Los Padres National Forest boundary.
- East Camino Cielo road is closed at Painted Cave Road.
- Paradise Road is within the Evacuation Order area and is currently closed.
- 649,000 acres of the Los Padres National Forest are closed. More info at [www.inciweb.org](http://www.inciweb.org)

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### Evacuations:

An **Evacuation Order** is still in effect for Paradise Road and the Lower Santa Ynez River to Gibraltar Dam. This includes the Paradise Road Community, Santa Ynez Road Recreational Area to Gibraltar Dam, Los Prietos Boys Camp, and the Rancho Oso Guest Ranch.