



THOMAS FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

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Date: 12/08/2017 **Time:** 7:00 PM
Fire Information Line: (805) 377-4860
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STATUS

Incident Start Date: 12/04/2017		Incident Start Time: 6:26 P.M.	
Incident Type: Wildland Fire		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: Santa Paula / Ventura		Expected Containment: Unknown	
Total Acreage: 143,000		Containment: 10%	
Firefighter Injuries: 0		Civilian Injuries: 0	
Structures Threatened: 15,000	Structures Destroyed: 476	Structures Damaged: 108	

RESOURCES

Engines: 565	Water Tenders: 29	Helicopters: 30	Air Tankers:	Hand Crews: 48
Dozers: 34	Other:	Total Personnel: 3874		

SITUATION

Current Situation:	The fire continues to threaten structures in various parts of the cities of Ventura, Ojai, Casitas Springs, Santa Paula, Carpinteria, Fillmore and the unincorporated areas of Ventura County and Matilija Canyon. The fire is expected to spread towards Santa Barbara County, Sespe Wilderness and the Sespe Condor Sanctuary. A Red Flag Warning will remain in effect for the area. Mop-up continues in impacted city areas to support repopulation efforts. Firefighters continue to work aggressively to protect life and property while working on control efforts around the fire perimeter.
Mandatory Evacuations:	<p>Ventura Area Cañada Rd Norway Tract La Conchita and Emma Woods State Beach area Ventura Ave from Cañada Larga to Foster Road</p> <p>Ojai Area Carne Rd, Grande Ave. to Carne Rd. Reeves Rd. to Carne Rd. Thatcher Rd and McAndrew Alto Rd Casitas Springs Creek Rd at Ventura St. Creek Rd north to Camp Comfort Creek Rd south of Camp Comfort Encino Rd Feliz Dr Foothill, Telegraph and Ashwood Hill Foster Park Matilija Spring Rd north of SR 33</p>



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	<p>Mc Andrew Persimmon Hill Rancho Vista Rd north of Foothill from road closure Reeves Rd Thatcher Rd Thatcher School Ventura St North to Montgomery The City of Ojai East of SR 33 and north of Hwy 150 all residential roads north of W. El Roblar Dr. This does not include the Ojai Valley Community Hospital or the Evacuation Center at Nordhoff High School.</p> <p>Santa Paula Area The area east of Santa Paula and north of Hwy 126</p> <p>Santa Barbara County in and near Carpinteria 4 miles of Hwy 150 north of Hwy 101 Casitas Pass Rd East side of Bailard Ave from Hwy 101 South of the Hwy 101 east of Dump Rd 5500 block of Casitas Pass east to the Ventura County line</p>																				
Evacuation Centers:	<p>City of Ventura - Ventura County Fairgrounds at Miners Building City of Ojai - Nordhoff High School City of Oxnard - Oxnard College Gymnasium City of Santa Paula - Santa Paula Community Center</p>																				
Animal Evacuations:	<p>All animal evacuations are being handled at the Ventura County Fairgrounds located at 10 W Harbor Blvd, Ventura, CA 93001</p>																				
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Cooperating Agencies:	<p>Ventura County Fire, Ventura County Sheriff, Santa Barbara County Fire, Santa Barbara County Sheriff, City of Ventura Fire Department, City of Ventura Police Department, USFS/Los Padres National Forest, CAL OES, Red Cross, Southern California Edison, CHP, California Dept. of Corrections and Rehabilitation, SoCalGas, Crimson Pipeline, Wildfire Defense Systems, CA Resources Group, Santa Paula Police, Santa Paula Fire, Ventura County OES, Santa Barbara OEM</p>																				
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