



MENDOCINO COMPLEX INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 7/28/2018 Time: 9:30 p.m.



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RANCH FIRE STATUS

Incident Start Date: 07/27/18	Incident Start Time: 12:03 PM
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation
Incident Location: Highway CA-20 at MP 39, Old Lake County Highway, Blue Lake, 8 mi NE of Ukiah	
Acreage: 5,000 acres	Containment: 5%

RIVER FIRE STATUS

Incident Start Date: 07/27/18	Incident Start Time: 1:01 PM
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation
Incident Location: Old River Road, 6 miles north of Hopland	
Acreage: 9,000	Containment: 5%

MENDOCINO COMPLEX TOTALS

CAL FIRE Unit: Mendocino Unit, Lake Napa Unit		
Unified Command Agencies: None		
Total Acreage: 14,000 acres	Total Containment: 10%	Expected Full Containment: 08/04/18
Civilian Injuries/Fatalities: None		Firefighter Injuries: 0 injuries
Structures Threatened: 386	Structures Destroyed: 1 residence/1 outbuilding	Structures Damaged: None

CURRENT SITUATION

Situation Summary:	Fire resources continue to battle the River and Ranch fires. Critical weather conditions including extreme heat, low humidity, and gusty winds challenged firefighters throughout the day. Additionally, dry vegetation and steep terrain promote fire activity.	
Mandatory Evacuations:	<p>Mendocino County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8000 block of River Road, South to the intersection of Highway 175 from the Russian River east to the Lake County Line, within the North South points. These evacuations also include all driveways and homes located between the North South points. Potter Valley Community 	<p>Lake County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community of Lakeport, everything south of Scotts Creek Road to Scotts Valley Road to Highway CA-29; Everything west of Highway CA-29 from Scotts Valley Road to Highland Springs Road; Everything north of Highland Springs Road, Mathews Road, George Road, and Highway CA-175 to the Lake-Mendocino County Line;

Mandatory Evacuations: (Continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All areas north of Highway CA-20, east of the fire edge, to the Mendocino-Lake County Line • South of Burris Lane to MeWhinney Creek and east of East Side Potter Valley Road, to include feeder roads utilizing Burris Lane east to the Mendocino-Lake County Line. 	<p>Everything east of Lake-Mendocino County line from Scotts Creek Road to Highway CA-175.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North of Highway CA-20, west of Mendenhall Avenue; East of the Mendocino-Lake County Line; South of Mendocino National Forest; West of Mendenhall Avenue 		
Evacuation Advisory/Warning:	<p>Mendocino County Evacuation Warning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highway 20 from the 6000 block to the Lake County line and into the Blue Lakes area. • Potter Valley, Burris Lane area • North of 8000 block of River Road to Yokayo Ranch Road 	<p>Lake County Evacuation Advisory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blue Lakes • Bachelor Valley • Witter Springs • North Scotts Valley Road from the 7000 block to Highway CA-20 • Lakeport and surrounding areas • North of Highway CA-20, east of Mendenhall Avenue; East of Mendenhall Avenue; South of the Mendocino National Forest boundary; West of Robinson Casino 		
Road Closures:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highway CA-175, at Old River Road to eastbound traffic (Mendocino Co.) • Highway CA-175, at Highway CA-29 to westbound traffic. (Lake Co.) • Old River Road, between the 7000 block and Highway CA-175 • Old River Road, between the 7000 and 8000 block is open to residents only 			
Evacuation Center(s):	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mendocino College, Dance Room at 1000 Hensley Creek Road, Ukiah 			
Animal Evac. Center(s):	<p>Redwood Riders Arena, 8300 East Road, Redwood Valley is accepting horses. Animal Care, 298 Plant Road, Ukiah is accepting small animals</p>			
ASSIGNED RESOURCES				
Engines: 56	Water Tenders: 22	Helicopters: 6	Hand Crews: 27	Dozers: 22
Other: 0		Total Personnel: 817		
<p>Numerous firefighting air tankers from throughout the State are flying fire suppression missions as conditions allow.</p>				
<p>Cooperating Agencies: Potter Valley Fire, Redwood Valley Fire, Ukiah Fire, California Office of Emergency Services, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, California Highway Patrol, Lake County Sheriff's Office, Mendocino County Sheriff's Office, and additional resources from throughout the State.</p>				

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