



LOCKHEED FIRE

Incident Update



Wednesday, August 19, 2009, 7:00 AM

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Fire Information Line: 831-335-0378

Incident Name: Lockheed Fire

Location: Bonny Doon Area, Santa Cruz County

Command Team: CAL FIRE Incident Command Team #9

Unified Command with CAL FIRE and the Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Department

Start Date & Report Time: August 12, 2009, 7:16 p.m.

Incident Type: Wildland Fire

Cause: Under Investigation

Acres: 7,243 Acres

% Containment: 80%

Expected Containment: August 20, 2009

Fire Engines: 221

Fire Crews: 34

Bulldozers: 13

Watertenders: 28

Total Personnel: 2,213

Injuries: 7

Outbuilding Damaged: 2

Outbuildings Destroyed: 1

Current Situation: Evacuations are still in effect for the residents living in the area between Warnella Truck Trail at the Cement Plant, and Blodgett at the Empire Grade at Top End. This evacuation encompasses approximately 20 residents.

Firing operations started in the Southern portion of the fire in order to contain remaining area of open line. This operation could take 2 - 4 days to complete. Residents in the area can expect some smoke production from these firing operations. Firefighter's continue to mop-up 300' within the fire's perimeter, and in all other areas.

Major problems and concerns continue to be the, steep terrain and limited access to some of the fire's perimeter. Conditions continue to be very fluid and may change quickly based on weather factors. and terrain. We would like residents driving in the communities affected by the fire to remain cautious of the fire personnel and equipment working to extinguish the fire.

Road Closures: There are only two road closures being coordinated by the Santa Cruz County Sheriffs Department and the California Highway Patrol.

- Warnella Truck Trail @ Cement Plant
- Blodgett @ Empire Grade at Top end

Additional Information: There will be a community meeting tonight at 6:30 PM. at the Pacific Elementary School which is located at 50 Ocean Street, Davenport, CA 95017. Fire Officials and Law Enforcement will be addressing the communities needs and answering questions.

Residents who need more information can contact the Lockheed Fire Information Line at 831- 335-0378, or go to www.fire.ca.gov.