



COMANCHE COMPLEX

Incident Update

Monday, September 12, 2011, 8 a.m.

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Fire Information Line: (661) 873-2680

Location: 5 miles southeast of Arvin

County: Kern County

Acres: 23,866 acres

% Containment: 30% contained

Start Date & Time: Sept. 10, 2011, 4:00 a.m.

Expected Containment: Sept. 15, 2011

Injuries: 1

Cause: Lightning

Structures Threatened: 2,300

Structures Destroyed: 0

EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT ASSIGNED:

Fire Engines: 90

Fire Crews: 35

Bulldozers: 27

Airtankers: 6

Helicopters: 8

Water Tenders: 3

Total Personnel: 1152

Current Situation: Fire activity increased yesterday afternoon on the southeast portion of the fire as it moved up to the Stallion Springs area. Overnight, firefighters worked to protect homes in the area. Despite the increased fire activity, no structures were destroyed. Today, temperatures will be a bit warmer than yesterday. Light winds are expected and more thunderstorms are likely.

This complex is made up of four fires:

Comanche Fire – 23,100 acres – 30% contained

Knob Fire – 700 acres – 100% contained

Wolf Fire – 16 acres – 100% contained

Harris Fire – 50 acres – 100% contained

Evacuations: A recommended evacuation order remains in effect for the Stallion Springs area.

Evacuation Centers: Jacobsen Junior High School, 711 Anita, Tehachapi

Road Closures: Comanche Point Road at Stallion Springs Drive

Cooperating Agencies: CAL FIRE, Kern County Fire Department, Stallion Springs Police Department, Bear Valley Police Department, California Highway Patrol, American Red Cross, CalEMA, So Cal Edison, Tejon Ranch, Department of Water Resources, Kern County Sheriff's Department.

Additional Information: Kern County residents can call 211 for general information. Media and residents can call the Kern County Joint Information Center at 661-873-2680 for County-wide fire info.