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CAL FIRE / Butte County Fire



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Windy Fire Update

Butte County – CAL FIRE/Butte County Fire Department continues to work on the Windy Fire that was reported at 3:00 Sunday afternoon. The fire, which has consumed 97 acres, is 70% contained and is burning in Timber slash. The fire is burning in a remote area located in the Deer Creek Canyon near Windy Cut. Fire Crews expect to have the fire fully contained this evening.

Over 200 fire personnel from CAL FIRE/Butte County Fire, U.S. Forest Service, El Medio Fire District and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation are staffing two Dozers, 15 engines, 7 Water Tenders, fifteen hand crews and 1 Helicopter throughout the day. Equipment and crews will remain on the incident for several days to ensure continued containment and control.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation.

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