Telegraph Fire Evening Update – June 7, 2021

FOR CURRENT EVACUATION INFORMATION, residents are advised to monitor Facebook pages for Pinal County Sheriff’s Office: https://www.facebook.com/PinalCountySO and Gila County Health and Emergency Management: https://www.facebook.com/gilacohealthem Residents in areas affected by the fire should remain vigilant and be prepared to evacuate.

Accres: 61,211
Percent Containment: 0%
Date/Time Detected: Friday, June 4, 2021, 1:30 pm

The Telegraph Fire is showing active growth today and is burning in abnormally dry and continuous surface fuels consisting of grass, cacti, and brush in low to mid-elevations with heavy loads of manzanita and oak brush on the upper slopes. Firefighters worked today to protect the values at risk within the Oak Flat Campground, Top-of-the-World, Pinto Valley Mine infrastructure, as well as communities of Miami, Claypool and Central Heights. Additional crews focused on keeping the fire south of U.S. Route 60.

EVACUATION INFORMATION: At the time of this release, these areas have received notifications: The following areas in Gila County are in “GO!” mode: Miami south of US 60 from Dairy Canyon to Mackey’s Camp; Lower Central Heights - Russell Road from Coyote Trail through Russell Gulch; Ice House Canyon, Kellner Canyon, and Six Shooter Canyon (from the Community Center south); and the east side of El Capitan. Gila County areas in “SET-Be Alert” status: Claypool on the south side of Highway 60 from the 60/188 jct. to Miami, Central Heights area between the 188 jct. to De Marcos. This includes Central Heights, Little Acres, Miami Gardens and Copper Country Mobile Home Park, South Globe, all areas south of Hwy 60 and Hwy 70 from De Marcos to the 70-77 jct., West side of El Capitan and Dripping Springs. Last night the Gila County Sheriff’s Office issued a “GO!” notification for Miami-area residents west of Miami town limits and a “SET-Be Alert” notification for Miami, all Claypool residences on the south side of Hwy 60 from 60/88 jct. west through Miami, Little Acres, Russell Rd./Russell Gulch, and Cobre Valley Medical Center. Top-of-the-World and Oak Flat Campground remain in “GO!” status. The Town of Superior remains in “Set-Be alert” status. Notifications are changing rapidly. Residents should remain vigilant and be prepared for evacuations.

EVACUATION SHELTERS: High Desert Middle School in Globe and Skyline High School in Mesa.

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