



# PILOT FIRE UPDATE

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Date: August 12, 2016 Time: 8:00 PM

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STATUS			
Incident Start Date: August 7, 2016		Incident Start Time: 12:10 PM	
Incident Type: Wildland Fire		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: Pilot Rock Ridge			
Acreage: 8,115		Containment: 80%	
Expected Containment: August 14, 2016		Injuries: 1	
Structures Threatened: 5,300	Structures Destroyed: 0	Structures Damaged: 0	
RESOURCES			
Engines: 49	Water Tenders: 11	Helicopters: 13	Air Tankers: 0
Hand Crews: 37	Dozers: 15	Other: 0	Total Personnel: 1,177
<p><b>Cooperating Agencies:</b> California Highway Patrol, California Office of Emergency Services, San Bernardino County Office of Emergency Services, Bureau of Land Management, CALTRANS, American Red Cross, Southern California Edison</p>			
SITUATION			
<b>Current Situation:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Pilot Fire is burning in chaparral and brush between Pilot Rock Ridge and State Highway 173 in Hesperia. Firefighters made significant progress over the last 48 hours and will continue to work within the fire area to assure any remaining fire does not escape existing containment lines.</li> </ul>		
<b>Weather Conditions:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Temperatures warmed into the 85 to 90-degree range today across the Pilot Fire. Morning humidity values started on the high side with readings around 60%, then fell into the 15% to 20% range in the afternoon. Winds remained less than 15 mph today with a few higher gusts to 20 mph. The above normal temperatures will take hold of the area Sunday, persisting through the beginning of next week. Afternoon relative humidity values will fall to around 15% throughout this time. However, a return to gusty southwest winds arrives Sunday and persists into next week.</li> </ul>		
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<b>Evacuations:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All evacuations have been lifted</li></ul>
<b>Road Closure:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Highway 173 between Grass Valley Rd. and Rock Camp</li><li>• Forest Service Roads 2N33, 2N17X, 2N36, 2N37</li></ul>
<b>Trail Closure:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Pacific Crest Trail is CLOSED from the Deep Creek Hot Springs (3W02) to Silverwood State Park.</li><li>• The Pinnacles Trail 3W16 is closed off of Highway 173.</li></ul>
<b>Evacuation Centers and Animal Shelters:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All evacuation centers have closed</li></ul>