



MENDOCINO COMPLEX INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 8/24/2018 Time: 7:00 p.m.



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RANCH FIRE STATUS		RIVER FIRE STATUS	
Incident Start Date: 07/27/18	Incident Start Time: 12:03 PM	Incident Start Date: 07/27/18	Incident Start Time: 1:01 PM
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation	Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation
Incident Location: SR CA-20 at MP 39, Old Lake County SR, Blue Lake, 8 mi NE of Ukiah		Incident Location: Old River Road, 6 miles north of Hopland	
Acreage: 375,499 acres	Containment: 67%	Acreage: 48,920 acres	Containment: 100%

MENDOCINO COMPLEX TOTALS

CAL FIRE Unit: Mendocino Unit, Sonoma-Lake-Napa Unit			
Unified Command Agencies: CAL FIRE, U.S. Forest Service			
Total Acreage: 424,419 acres	Total Containment: 76%	Expected Full Containment: 09/01/18	
Civilian Injuries/Fatalities: None		Firefighter Injuries: 3	Firefighter Fatalities: 1
Structures Threatened: 1,050	Structures Destroyed: 157 residences / 123 other	Structures Damaged: 13 residences / 25 other	

CURRENT SITUATION SUMMARY

Firefighters are making good progress on the northwestern portions of the Ranch Fire. Crews continue to build and reinforce containment lines and mop up. Firing operations will continue in northeastern areas of the fire throughout the evening as weather conditions permit. The fire growth has been moving north/northeast for the past several days, and will continue to do so at a lower rate of spread due to more favorable weather conditions. The southern portion of the fire remains in patrol status as crews continue with suppression repair and mop up.

The River Fire had no movement. Suppression repair along with patrol will continue on the River Fire.

FOREST SERVICE CLOSURE ORDERS: The purpose of the closure order is to provide safety to the public and for the firefighters who are engaged in fire suppression and rehabilitation efforts within the Ranch Fire Closure Area.

Ranch Fire Closure Order Number: 08-18-14.

CURRENT SITUATION

Mandatory Evacuations:	<p>Lake County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes all areas East of the Mendocino-Lake County Line, south of the Lake-Glenn County Line, west of the Lake-Glenn County Line, and north of the County Road 301 and Forest Rd M10. 	<p>Colusa County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes all areas south of the Colusa-Glenn County line, east of the Colusa-Lake County line, North of Goat Mountain Road extending to Sullivan Ridge and west of the Mendocino National Forest boundary including Fouts Springs Road and Forest Road M10. 	<p>Glenn County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes all areas north of the Colusa-Glenn County line, east of the Lake-Glenn County line, south of County Road 308 and Forest Route 24N02, and west of County Road 306.
Evacuation Advisory/Warning:	<p>The Bureau of Land Management closure of the Cow Mountain Recreation Area remains in effect.</p> <p>Lake County Evacuation Advisory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes all areas south of County Road 301C and Forest Road M10; east of the Mendocino National Forest western boundary; west of the Lake County line and north of the Mendocino National Forest most southern boundary. 		<p>Colusa County Evacuation Advisory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes all areas east of the Mendocino National Forest boundary and west of the East Park reservoir between the Glenn County line and Lodoga. Includes all areas South of Goat Mountain Road extending to Sullivan Ridge east of the Colusa-Lake County line and West of the Mendocino National Forest boundary.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Mendocino National Forest remains under closure. Only residents may access their properties with a permit and proof of residency. 	
Road Closures:	<p>Mendocino County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> County Road 301 from the Mendocino National Forest Boundary remains closed. <p>Lake County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Northbound Elk Mountain at Middle Creek Campground Northbound Bartlett Springs Road at the Mendocino National Forest boundary <p>Colusa County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Westbound Brim Road at the Mendocino National Forest boundary Westbound Fouts Springs Road at the Mendocino National Forest boundary Westbound Goat Mountain Road at the Mendocino National Forest boundary 	<p>Glenn County:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Westbound County Road 308 and Southbound County Road 306 at the 308/306 junction Lodoga-Stonyford Road north at the Glenn-Colusa county line All roadways West of County Road 306, South of County Road 308, and North of the Glenn-Colusa county line.

Animal Evac. Center(s):	Redwood Riders Arena , 8300 East Road, Redwood Valley is accepting horses. Animal Care , 298 Plant Road, Ukiah is accepting small animals
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ASSIGNED RESOURCES

Engines: 196	Water Tenders: 7	Helicopters: 22	Hand Crews: 83	Dozers: 68	Other: 8	Total Personnel: 3114
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Numerous firefighting airtankers from throughout the Western United States are flying fire suppression missions as conditions allow.

Cooperating Agencies: Potter Valley Fire, Redwood Valley Fire, Ukiah Fire, California Office of Emergency Services, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Lake County Sheriff's Office, Mendocino County Sheriff's Office, Colusa County Sheriff's Office, Glenn County Sheriff's Office, California Highway Patrol, Pilsbury FPD, Australia and New Zealand Fire, Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of Defense, US Fish and Wildlife, National Park Service, Hopland Fire, Lakeport Fire, PG&E, AT&T, California Conservation Corps, North Shore Fire, American Red Cross, Kelseyville Fire, California State Parks, Cal Water, Lake County Farm Bureau, Nevada Division of Forestry, Nevada Department of Corrections and additional agencies from throughout California and other States.

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