



# Rough Fire

August 19, 2015, 6:15pm

## Closures & Advisories:

- Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks issued a closure of the Cedar Grove area.
- Sierra National Forest issued a closure order for the Rough Fire Area.
- Sequoia National Forest issued a closure order for the Hume Lake and Monarch Wilderness.
- Black Rock Campground and Forest Road 11S12 (also called Black Rock Road) is closed between Balch Camp and Sawmill Flat.
- The Hume Lake area is closed, as is Hwy 180 beyond Grant Tree Road.

Additional advisory listed to the right---→

**Please see InciWeb for more specific details.**

Fire Size Today: 30,901 acres

Containment: 3%

1,141 Firefighters:

23 crews, 27 engines and 5 helicopters

## Location:

Kings River Drainage, 5 miles North of Hume Lake and 2.5 miles southwest of Spanish Mountain

Fire is being managed on the Sierra National Forest, Sequoia National Forest, and Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks.

Started: 7/31/15 lightning caused

Management: South Central Sierra Interagency Incident Management Team

Fire Restrictions: are in place for the Sierra National Forest. Campfires are only allowed in designated developed recreation sites

No campfires are allowed within the Sequoia National Forest and Giant Sequoia National Monument.

## Fire Evacuation Warning Notices Issued in Sequoia Highlands

Due to the continuing spread of the Rough Fire, the Fresno County Sheriff's Office has issued evacuation warning notices to people in the area of Sequoia Highlands. These homes are located northeast of Dunlap in small communities known as Crabtree, Sampson Flat, Davis Flat and Clover Meadows. The people impacted by these warning notices are living / vacationing along the following roads.

U.S. Forest Service Rd. 12S01

U.S. Forest Service Rd. 12S01E

U.S. Forest Service Rd. 12S19

At this time, the roads listed remain open to motorists. The Sheriff's Office simply wants to alert residents that they should be prepared to leave at a moment's notice.

The Sequoia National Forest and the Sierra National Forest have issued a forest advisory for the area south of the Kings Fork River. The advisory area begins at the junction of the North and South Forks of the Kings River, near Kirch Flat, and continues south along the Sequoia National Forest boundary to Highway 180, east to Black Oak Flats. Road closures will include Forest Roads 12S19, 12S01, 12S01E.

Areas impacted by the advisory on the Sequoia National Forest include Pine Ridge, Delilah Lookout, and Mount Sampson and the Camp 4 ½, Camp 4, Green Cabin Flat and Mill Flat campgrounds on the Sierra National Forest.

**Incident Information:** <http://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/4456/>

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