



Lawyer Complex Fact Sheet Update

August 12, 2015 – 7:30 a.m.

Information Phone: (208) 935-2141

Website: <http://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/4477/>

Location: Kamiah, Id – Maggie Creek Protection Agency

Agency Jurisdiction: Idaho Department of Lands

Cooperating Agencies: Idaho and Lewis County Sheriff's and Rural Fire Departments, Bureau of Land Management, US Forest Service, Idaho Department of Corrections, and Yukon Territory.

Incident Command: Western Montana Type II Interagency Incident Management Team (IMT)

Current Size: Numerous fires ranging in size from 0.1 acre to approximately 700 acres.

Containment: 0%

Cause: Lightning

EVACUATIONS: Level II Evacuations (residents must be ready to leave at a moment's notice) are being implemented on the north side of Highway 64 from mile marker 20 to mile marker 30.5, along Highway 12 from mile marker 61 to mile marker 64, and from Hog's Back south to the Blue North Mill west of the Woodland Grade Road.

For information regarding evacuations along Highway 64 and Highway 12, please contact Lewis County Sheriff's Office at (208) 937-2447. Question regarding evacuations in the Woodland area should be directed to the Idaho County Sheriff's Office at (208) 983-1100.

CLOSURES: Lawyer Creek Road to the Flying B Ranch is closed to the public. It may only be accessed by residents and emergency personnel.

UPDATE: The Western Montana Type II Incident Management Team officially took over the Complex at 6 am, this morning. They are working with Idaho Department of Lands, local fire departments, Clearwater-Potlatch Timber Protection Agency, and the US Forest Service to suppress the fires.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES: Direct attack methods will be used where safe to suppress the fires as efficiently as possible. Fires have been prioritized based on human safety and structure protection.

SPECIAL CONCERNS: With today's expected high temperatures, fire behavior is likely to increase. Please give emergency personnel room to work by limiting your travel through the affected areas.