



Egley Complex

Photo Gallery

The Menasha Forest Management Service crew from North Bend, Oregon is a contract crew. They are one of 45 crews assigned to the Egley Complex. These crews work hard to meet the objectives of the incident, from line construction to burn-out to mop-up and fireline rehabilitation.

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Firefighters receive a safety briefing before beginning work.



Within each branch and subsequent division, crews have assigned operations and work objectives.



This firefighter is 'holding the line' which, in this case, is a road.



Crews often include sawyers, who remove trees from the fireline.



Digging handline is hot dirty work. Crews usually work in single file, each doing their part, in turn, to build the line to the specified width.



Firefighters look for and provide initial attack on new fires or spot fires outside the containment lines.



This firefighter is holding a reinhart. Tools for digging handline vary depending on the terrain.



This is known as 'wet' mop-up. The firefighter is using water provided via a hose lay.



This firefighter is standing in the handline. He's holding a Pulaski.



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Photo by Russell Simmons, Firefighter



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