

FIRE ACTIVITY

INLAND REGION (Continued)

Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County

Location: Hwy. 299 x Carr Powerhouse Rd., Whiskeytown

Jurisdiction: Federal/State DPA, FRA/SRA, Whiskeytown National Park/Shasta-Trinity Unit

Start/Date Time: 07/23/18 at 1316

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **07/27/18 at 0608 hours**:

- **44,450 acres, grass, oak woodland and timber, 3% contained**
- Extreme fire behavior
- Long range spotting and crowing
- Threat to Keswick hydroelectric facility
- Continued threat to the Carr powerhouse
- Continued threat to 115kV and 230kV powerlines
- Threat to private timberlands
- Unified Command CAL FIRE and Whiskeytown National Park
- Federal ground and air resources committed

Activations

- Cal OES SOC is activated at **Level 2** in support of statewide fires, operational period: A Shift 0700-1900 hours, B Shift 1900-0700 hours.
- **Cal OES LEOC is activated in support of statewide fires.**
- Inland REOC is activated at Level 3, operational period: A Shift 0800-2000 hours, B Shift 2000 hours-TBD
- Shasta County EOC is activated at Level 2, operational period 0700-1900 hours
- Caltrans District 2 EOC is activated at Level 3

Deployments

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and 3 trainees
- 1 Cal OES TACCOM Assistant Chief
- **Cal OES Disaster Logistics Team mobilized to open a staging area with support supplies**

FMAG

- On 07/23/18 at 1711 hours, an FMAG request was received from the Incident.
 - On 07/23/18 at 2000 hours, the FMAG was approved- #FM-5259

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Proclamation

- On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued emergency proclamations for Riverside and Shasta counties due to the effects of the Cranston and Carr fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents.
[Click here for the full proclamation](#)

Evacuations

- Mandatory evacuations, [approximately 18,336 people](#):
 - French Gulch area
 - Whiskey Creek Rd. and Campground
 - Communities of Keswick and Old Shasta
 - Swassey Rd.
 - [Victoria Highlands](#)
 - [West/Northwest Redding, west of I-5](#)

Road Closures

- Hwy. 299 is closed from Buckhorn Summit [to Buenaventura Blvd.](#)
 - [All roads off of Hwy. 299 between those points including Rock Creek, Lower Springs, Swassey, Iron Mountain roads](#)

Shelters

- American Red Cross (ARC) Shelters:
 - Weaverville Elementary, 234 Trinity Lakes Blvd., Weaverville, Trinity County
 - Midnight shelter count: 15, with many staying in their car (no count available)
 - Capacity: 100
 - Shasta High School, 2500 Eureka Way, Redding ([Closed, population moved to Shasta College as of 07/26/18 at 2038 hours](#))
 - Midnight shelter count: 0
 - Capacity: 250
 - [CrossPointe Community Church, 2960 Hartnell Ave., Redding](#)
 - Capacity: 235
 - [Shasta College, 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding](#)
 - Midnight shelter count: 40
 - Capacity: 500
- [Additional sites are being surveyed for availability](#)



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Animal Shelters

- Trinity County Animal Control is assisting

Critical Infrastructure

Per CUEA as of [07/27/18 at 0057 hours](#):

- 1 AT&T site is offline, 2 AT&T sites are threatened near the northern border of the Carr Fire.
- Fire crews are stationed in French Gulch and near the AT&T Central Office (CO).
- These are now the most critical AT&T sites:
 - French Gulch CO (1DS3 of service), Microwave Interactive Output Facility (IOF) transport of all local exchange service in the area
 - French Gulch Passive Repeater, Repeater for Hoadley Peak to French Gulch Microwave IOF route
- [PG&E is shutting off gas service to the following areas:](#)
 - [Lake Redding Estates at Harlem Dr. and Quartz Hill Rd. \(Approximately 150 connections\)](#)
 - [Sunset West off Hwy 299 and Buenaventura Blvd. \(Approximately 100 connections\)](#)
- [Redding Electric customers without power: 3,200](#)
- [PG&E customers without power: 1,120](#)
- [Fire has reached Keswick Dam below Shasta, making it inaccessible, and is moving toward Shasta Dam.](#)
- [Carr Powerplant, Keswick Dam, Shasta Dam and the Area Office at Shasta Dam are under evacuation and are unstaffed. All employees are out of the affected area.](#)

Health and Medical

- [Patients' Hospital of Redding has closed due to the evacuation order. All patients have been discharged and none needed to be evacuated. All staff members have been sent home.](#)
- [Vibra Hospital and Skilled Nursing Facility in Redding is being evacuated.](#)
- [Mercy Medical Center Redding has evacuated neonatal patients to a sister facility. No other patients were evacuated.](#)

Missions

- [See Cal OES Mission Tasking Slide](#)

Law Enforcement

- [Law Enforcement Mutual Aid \(LEMA\): Siskiyou Co SO, Lassen Co SO, Trinity Co SO, Tehama Co SO, Red Bluff PD, Corning PD](#)
- [CHP Officers assisting local law enforcement; 46 from Northern Division, 53 from Valley Division SRT](#)