

BUSINESS OPERATIONS CENTER SITUATION REPORT



Cal OES
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

8/6 /18 0600H

STATEWIDE

FIRE ACTIVITY

INLAND REGION

Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: Hwy. 140 x Hite Cove, Near El Portal

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit/Sierra National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/13/18 at 2035 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/18 at 0552 hours:

- 91,502 acres, 38% contained
- Destroyed Structures: 7 residences, 3 other minor structures
- Active fire behavior with running, short-range spotting and group torching
- Road closures in effect for State Route 140 and numerous roads in the fire area
- All area campgrounds remain closed
- Transmission lines along Hwy 140 and Yosemite National Park remain threatened
- Structures remain threatened
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area
- 2 Firefighter fatalities
- 2 Civilian fatalities (from fire-related traffic collision)

Mandatory Evacuations

- Yosemite National Park evacuation of employees and residents in Yosemite Valley
 - Yosemite Valley will remain closed indefinitely.

- El Portal Community, 08/03/18 at 1749 hours
- 414 persons (08/02/18, 1630 hours)
- Community of Wawona
- Anderson Valley
- River Rd. from Briceburg to last BLM Campground
- Foresta
- Old El Portal
- Old Yosemite Rd.
- Yosemite View Lodge
- Yosemite West

Shelters

- New Life Christian Fellowship, 5089 Cole Rd, Mariposa
 - Midnight Shelter Count: 45

Animal Shelters

- Small Animal Shelter: SPCA of Mariposa County, 5599 CA-49, Mariposa
- Large Animal Shelters:
 - Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds: 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold (standby status)

Critical Infrastructure

- PG&E – 564 power outages

Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/Trinity Counties

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 08/06/18 at 0557 hours:

- 163,207 acres, 45% contained
- Damaged Structures: 190 residences, 2 mixed commercial/residential, 26 nonresidential commercial properties, 60 other minor structures
- Destroyed Structures: 1,080 residences, 24 nonresidential commercial properties, 500 other minor structures
- Keswick Dam is restricted to minimal electrical output due to damaged powerlines
- Continued threat to 115kV and 230kV powerlines
- Continued threat to Western Area Power Administration (WAPA) towers, which powers numerous Northern Coastal Communities
- Repopulation is continuing approximately 21,501 civilians still currently displaced
- Continued evacuations for the portions of Old Shasta and Keswick
- Damage assessment is continuing
- Hwy 299 W remains closed in both directions
- 2 Firefighter fatalities
- 5 Civilian fatalities

Evacuations

- Mandatory Evacuations: 2,943 persons (as of 08/05/18, 1200 hours)
- Fire Repopulation: 1,000 persons. Iron Mountain Rd. and Rock Creek Rd. areas (as of 08/05/18, 1200 hours)

Shasta County:

- Community of French Gulch
- SR 299 west of Trinity Mountain Rd. to the base of Buckhorn Summit
- Whiskey Creek Rd. to include the boat launch/day use areas
- South along Swasey Dr. from SR299 to Placer Rd.
- Placer Rd. West From Swasey Dr.

- The Igo Community
- Old Shasta & Keswick Communities West of Keswick Dam
- Cloverdale Rd. from Placer Rd. to Clear Creek Rd.
- Placer Rd. at Platina Rd. to Buell Rd. which includes South Fork Rd., Zogg Mine Rd., Jenny Bird Ln., Horse Canyon Rd. and all residents West of Platina Rd. between Placer Rd. and Buell Rd.
- All areas on South Fork Rd. from Zogg Mine Rd. to South Fork Rd. to include the areas of Bender Rd., Serenity Dr. and Serenity Wy.

Trinity County:

- Trinity/Shasta County Line at Buckhorn Summit Rd. west to Trinity Dam Rd., and all Rd.s within this area north of Hwy. 299
- Hwy. 299 at Trinity Dam Blvd. continuing north to Trinity Dam including Deadwood Rd., Jennings Gulch Rd., Eastman Gulch Rd. and Lewiston Turn Pike Rd. This is to include all residences and side streets east of Trinity Dam Blvd. within the Township of Lewiston.
- Hwy. 299 at Trinity Dam Rd. west to Douglas City
- Trinity Dam Rd. Blvd. to Hwy. 3 including all residences within Lewiston area to Trail Dr., Red Ln., Old Hwy., Lewiston Rd., Ohio Ln., Lowden Wy., Ponderosa Pines, River Front Rd., Wellock Rd., S. Ponderosa Pine, Coffin Rd., Dirt Rd., Benvenuto Wy., Browns Mountain Rd., Mountain Springs Rd., Jobe Wy., Steelhead Cir., Rebel Rd., Quail Point Rd., Lockhart Ranch Rd., Prut Rd., Upper Salt Flat Rd., Salt Flat Rd., Goose Ranch Rd., Dredger Ln., Bacham Ln., Partridge Ln., Shady Ln., River Rock Rd., Old Oak Rd., Gulch Rd. and Lewiston Turn Pike Rd.
- All roads and streets west of Trinity Dam Blvd. and east of Lewiston Rd.
- Deadwood Rd. east of Trinity Dam Blvd.
- All residences on Baker Rd. including Cooper Gulch, Posey Rd., Lakeview Terrace and Pine Cove Marina including Eagle Mountain Rd.

Road Closures

- Hwy 299 from Buenaventura Blvd. to Buckhorn Summit

Shelters

Shasta County:

- Shasta College, 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding

- Count: 54

Trinity County:

- Trinity High School, 321 Victory Ln., Weaverville

- Count: 31

Animal Shelters

- Shasta Livestock Auction, 3917 Main St., Cottonwood – Small and Large Animals
- Lassen County Fair, 195 Russell Ave., Susanville – Large Animals
- Colusa County Fair, 1303 10th St., Colusa – Small and Large Animals
- Lowden Park, Lowden Ln. & Washington St., Weaverville – Large Animals
- Trinity High School, 321 Victory Ln., Weaverville – Small and Large Animals
- Trinity County Animal Control Office, 563 Mountain View, Weaverville – Small Animals

Critical Infrastructure

- Shasta CSD, Surface Water Treatment Plant, system remains on boil water notice. Operational on generator power.
- PG&E – 1,442 power outages, 52 gas outages: PG&E has begun limited restoration efforts in burn area.
- Redding Electric – 0 power outages
- 2 cell site down
- All Bureau of Reclamation power plants near the Carr Fire area have been tested and are operational.

Health and Medical

- Patients' Hospital of Redding is still under evacuation orders as of 08/03/18 at 1141 hours.
- Mercy Medical Center Redding is open and operational. ED is open to all transfers. Hospital command center is active. Facility is staffed 24/7.

COASTAL REGION

Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake Counties

Location: Old River Rd., near Mile Marker Post 7.9, 6 miles N of Hopland

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Mendocino Unit

Start date: 07/27/18

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/18 at 0553 hours:

- 273,664 acres, 30% contained
- Damaged Structures: 12 single residences, 14 other minor structures
- Destroyed Structures: 74 single residences, 1 multiple residence, 68 other minor structures
- Active fire behavior; running, spotting, torching
- Cow mountain area is under a Mandatory evacuation order
- Fire continues to move to the east towards to the Pawnee burn scar
- Continued threat to 115 kV powerlines
- Damage assessment is continuing

Evacuations

- Lake County Jail repopulated on 08/04/18, no unmet needs
- The City of Lakeport has repopulated as of 08/04/18.
- Repopulated 8/5/18 at 1200 hours -North Lakeport; north of the Scotts Valley Road and Hill Road intersection, east of Hill Road, south of Nice/Lucerne Cutoff Road, and west of Clear Lake. This will include all driveways and streets accessed from Hill Road.

Lake County: Lake Pillsbury area – North of Highway 20, east of the Lake-Mendocino County Line, south of the Lake-Mendocino County Line, west of the Lake-Glenn County Line. This includes the areas of Lake Pillsbury, Elk Mountain Rd., Bear Creek, Pine Mountain, and the surrounding areas. 15,246 persons (08/04/18 at 1407 hours).

- Double Eagle at Hwy. 20 (Ranch Fire) 40 persons (08/04/18 at 1333 hours).
- Lucerne, Glenhaven, and Clear Lake Oaks (6000 persons), 08/03/18 at 1040 hours
- Hwy 20-Blue Lakes Area 08/03/18 at 1310 hours

- South of Highway 20, East of Lake Mendocino, Russian River, North of Yokayo Rancheria Rd and West of the intersection of Cow Mountain Access Rd and North Cow Mountain Rd. To include: McClure Creek Subdivision, City of Ten Thousand Buddhas, Sanford Ranch Rd, Knob Hill area, Regina Heights, Vichy Hills, Vichy Springs Resort, Guideville Reservation, Sulpher Creek, Deerwood Subdivision, El Dorado Subdivision, Howard Creek, Rafello Dr, Vista Del Largo, Kings Ranch Rd, Elledge Ranch Rd. (2,416 person), 08/03/18 at 1624 hours
- Cow Mountain Recreation Area Mendocino County, East Mill Creek Rd at North Cow Mountain and Cow Mountain Access Rd, East to Mendocino Lake County Line and North to Highway 20 due to fire in the area. All BLM lands on Cow Mtn Rec area, all areas east of North Cow Mountain Rd. and Cow Mountain Rd. remain under mandatory evacuation.
- Long Valley, High Valley and Spring Valley in Lake County - 1,224 persons
- Western Lake County, north of the Lake-Sonoma County Line and Bartlett Springs Rd., east of the LakeMendocino County Line, south of the Ranch Fire, and west of Highland Springs Rd.
- Big Valley Rd., and Bartlett Springs Rd. to include the communities of Lakeport, Scotts Valley Upper Lake, Bachelor Valley, and Nice.
- West of Lucerne at Bartlett Springs Rd. and Highway CA-20, south of the fire, east of the fire, north of Clear Lake including the communities of Blue Lakes, Upper Lake, Nice, Lakeport, Witter Springs, Bachelor Valley, Scotts Valley, Saratoga Springs.

Mendocino County:

All areas below under previous Mandatory Evacuation order have been reduced the Evacuation Warning

- Community of Potter Valley area: East of Eastside Potter Valley Road and Eel River Road, south of the Eel River, west of Mendocino Lake County line and north of Mid Mountain Road. (82 persons) - (8/3/18 at 1447 hours).
- Hwy. CA-20 area from one mile south of Highway CA-20, east of Potter Valley Rd., south of the fire perimeter, and west of MendocinoLake County Line.
- Pine Ave. area of Potter Valley north of Burris Ln., east of Eastside Potter Valley Rd., south of 10511 Eastside Potter Valley Rd., and west of the Lake-Mendocino County Line.
- Mid Mountain Rd. area, north of 10551 Eastside Potter Valley Rd., east of Eastside Potter Valley Rd., south of 11385 Eastside Potter Valley Rd., west of Mendocino-Lake County Line

Road Closures

- Hwy 20- Closed from Potter Valley Road to SR 53
- Hwy 20 from State Route 53 Junction to Walker Ridge Rd.

- Hwy 175 between Hopland and Hwy 29
- Hwy 20 between Potter Valley Rd and Hwy 29
- Highway 20 between Highway 101 and Highway 29 will open for both directions of traffic. Highway 20 will remain closed east of Highway 29. Highway 29 will open for both directions to travel south of Highway 20.

Shelters

Lake County:

- Twin Pines Casino, 22223 S State Hwy. 29, Middletown
 - Count: 113
- Middletown High School, 20932 Big Canyon Rd., Middletown / Middletown Middle School, 20932 Big Canyon Road, Middletown
 - Pets allowed co-located at shelter, limited capacity for large animals
 - Count: 117
- Lower Lake High School, 9430 Lake St., Lower Lake
 - Count: 180
- Mountain Vista Middle School, 5081 Konocti Rd., Kelseyville
 - Count: 83
- Kelseyville High School, 5480 Main St., Kelseyville
 - Count: 0

Mendocino County:

- Mendocino College, 1000 Hensley Creek Rd., Ukiah
 - Count: 0

Colusa County:

- Colusa Veterans Hall, 108 E Main Street, Colusa
 - Count: 3

Animal Shelters

- Sonoma-Marin Fair, 175 Fairgrounds Dr., Petaluma, (All Animals)
- Redwood Riders Arena, 8300 East Rd., Redwood Valley (Small and Large Animals)
- Mendocino County Animal Shelter, 298 Plant Rd., Ukiah (Small Animals)

Critical Infrastructure

- PG&E reports that 942 customers remain without power.
- 3 cell sites down. 2 in mandatory evacuation zone, coordinating access as requested for repairs.

Schools

- The Lakeport Unified School District does not anticipate staff returning before 08/16/18 and students to begin school before 08/22/18.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

Northern California

- Hot and dry conditions are expected this week.
- Smoke and poor air quality will continue to be an issue across the area.

Southern California

Heat:

- Widespread triple digit heat approaching record levels, peaking Monday and Tuesday across Southern California.
- Excessive Heat Watch and Warnings are in effect for much of Southern California through Wednesday.
- Very warm overnight lows.

Elevated to Critical Fire Weather Conditions:

- Red Flag Warnings in effect through Tuesday for the Los Angeles, Ventura, and Santa Barbara Count Mountains, as well as the Santa Barbara South Coast and Santa Clarita Valley.
- Elevated fire danger across much of Southwest California due to extended period of hot and dry conditions with very dry fuels.
 - Widespread minimum humidities in the 5 to 15 percent range teens away from the coast - lowest Monday and Tuesday.
 - Northwest to northeast wind gusts between 35 and 50 mph - Strongest Monday afternoon and night. .
 - Gusty southwest interior winds on Tuesday.
- Very warm overnight lows with poor humidity recoveries.
- Large vertical plume growth possible with hot and unstable conditions in the mountains.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

The upper level ridge over the desert southwest will be pushing back to the west and will dominate the weather this week. This will bring the return of hot and dry conditions to Northern California. Winds will be a bit breezy in the southwest portion of Northern California tomorrow afternoon, otherwise, light winds across are expected through at least mid week. Smoke will continue to be an issue across the area this week because of the Carr and Mendocino complex fires. Air quality should be monitored for those sensitive to smoke the rest of the week. Some of the smoke should clear in the Sacramento and Stockton areas, as a weak delta breeze develops in the evening but smoke will fill back into those areas during the morning hours. Depending on the thickness of the smoke, high temperatures will be tricky. The thicker the smoke, less heating; however, very poor air quality.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Extended heat with elevated to critical fire danger is expected through most of this week across southwest California. A strong ridge of high pressure will build into southwest California, which along with periods of northerly flow will bring an extended heat wave to the region through much of the week; peaking Monday and Tuesday. Gusty northerly winds each night through Tuesday morning are forecast across southern Santa Barbara County and the I-5 corridor. The air mass will be very dry Monday and Tuesday, which will result in critical fire weather conditions in the windiest locations. A still yet to form hurricane off Mexico has the potential to push a large south-southeast swell into California Thursday through Saturday, and would combine with very large high tides to produce high surf, strong rip currents, and coastal flooding.

WEATHER MAP

