



MENDOCINO / LAKE COMPLEX INCIDENT UPDATE

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Date: 10/14/2017 Time: 7:00AM

Fire Information Line: (Redwood) 707-467-6428

Fire Information Line (Sulphur) 707-967-4207

Media Line: 562-619-7467

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STATUS

Incident Start Date: 10/09/17		Incident Start Time: 12:30 A.M.	
Incident Type: Wildland Fire		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: Potter Valley and Community of Clearlake		Expected Containment: 11/01/2017	
Total Acreage: 36,500 Redwood Fire: 34,000 Sulphur Fire: 2,500		Containment: 27% Redwood Fire: 20% Sulphur Fire: 65%	
Firefighter Injuries: 1		Civilian Fatalities: 8	
Structures Threatened: 1000	Single Family Residences Destroyed: 356		Single Family Residences Damaged: 19
Commercial Structures Damaged: 3	Other Minor Structures Destroyed: 188		Other Minor Structures Damaged: 18

RESOURCES

Engines: 134	Water Tenders: 23	Helicopters: 16	Air Tankers: 0	Hand Crews: 64
Dozers: 39	Other: 4	Total Personnel: 2,239		

Cooperating Agencies: Mendocino County; Lake County; Lake County Sheriff's Office; CAL OES; California Highway Patrol; CALTRANS; California Dept. of Corrections and Rehabilitation; American Red Cross; PG&E; United States Forest Service; California National Guard; National Weather Service; California Conservation Corps

SITUATION

Current Situation:	All Evacuation Orders and Warnings for the Sulphur Fire were removed yesterday. Repopulation for multiple communities throughout the Redwood Fire area also begun. Damage Inspection Teams have completed inspections for the Sulphur Incident and they continue to survey for damaged and destroyed structures throughout the Redwood Fire area. Fire activity for the Redwood Fire is expected to continue to actively burn throughout both daytime and evening hours. The fire is anticipated to burn in a northerly direction towards Pine Mountain, Tomki, and the Van Arsdale Reservoir. The southeast perimeter fire lines are continuing to hold. Crews are improving direct fire line and mop up efforts. Steep inaccessible terrain coupled with critical fuel moistures, and northwest winds provide ongoing challenges for crews working on the fire.
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Evacuation Orders:	REDWOOD FIRE: West Road North of Laughlin Way, East Rd North of Held Road. Eel River Rd North of the Stroh Ranch. Shale Lane north of Potter Valley Road. Pine Mountain subdivision; Ridgewood Rd leading into the Pine Mountain subdivision from Eastside Rd to the south to Bear Canyon Rd. Bear Canyon Rd to Tomki Rd. All feeder roads to the north and south of Ridgewood Rd (Pine Mountain subdivision) and Bear Canyon Road; Canyon Rd to Eastside Rd south to Pine Mountain Rd; Van Arsdale area north of Eel River; Cave Creek subdivision including scenic Appaloosa and including all feeder roads; Van Arsdale road south of the Eel River.	
Evacuation Warning:	<p>REDWOOD FIRE: <i>Redwood Valley community south of the following:</i></p> <div><div><p>-West Road south of and including Laughlin Way</p><p>-Road I to Colony Drive (including Madrone Lane)</p><p>-West of Ricetti Lane at entrance to Black Bart Trail</p><p>-East Hill Rd @ HWY 101 bypass to the east to East Side Rd</p><p>-Ridgewood Rd south to Howard Forest</p></div><div><p>-Laughlin Way south of Bakers Creek</p><p>-East Road south of Held Road</p><p>-East of US-101</p><p>-North of Highway 20</p><p>-West of the intersection of East Hill Rd</p></div></div> <p><i>Potter Valley in the following areas:</i></p> <div><div><p>-Eel River Rd south of the Stroh Ranch</p><p>-Hawn Creek Rd</p><p>-Westside Potter Valley Rd</p><p>-Potter Valley Rd from HWY 20 to Main St (excluding Shale Ln)</p><p>-Remainder of Potter Valley west of the Lake County Line</p></div><div><p>-Powerhouse Rd</p><p>-Gibson Ln east of Hawn Creek Rd</p><p>-Main St east of Hawn Creek</p><p>-Spring Valley Rd</p></div></div> <p>Redwood Ave including Redwood Valley Rancheria.</p> <p>Residents returning to the fire area should exercise extreme caution. Fire, Law Enforcement, and utility crews continue to work in the area, as there are many downed trees and other hazards. As these areas remain under an EVACUATION WARNING, residents should be prepared to evacuate again on short notice.</p>	
Evacuation Centers:	SULPHUR FIRE: Twin Pine Casino, 22223 CA-29, Middletown Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1111 Park Way Lakeport	REDWOOD FIRE: Ukiah High School, 1000 Low Gap Rd, Ukiah Willits High School, 299 N Main St., Willits Hopland Band of Pomo Indians, 3000 Shanel Rd., Hopland
Road Closures:	<p>REDWOOD FIRE:</p> <div><div><p>- Tomki Rd @ Canyon</p><p>-East Hill @ East Side</p><p>-Laughlin Way @ Bakers Creek Road</p><p>-Laughlin Way @ West Road</p><p>-East Road @ Held Road</p></div><div><p>-Eel River Rd @ Oat Gap</p><p>-Potter Valley Rd south of Stroh Ranch</p><p>-Busch Ln @ Powerhouse Rd</p><p>-Gibson Ln @ Hawn Creek Rd</p><p>-Shale Ln @ Potter Valley Rd</p></div></div>	
Animal Shelter:	Large Animals: Redwood Empire Fairgrounds, 1055 N State St, Ukiah, CA (East Entrance) Animal Control: 707-263-0278 (Lake County)	
All residents are asked to be READY : Create and maintain defensible space and harden your home against flying embers. Get SET : Prepare your family and home ahead of time for the possibility of having to evacuate. Be Ready to GO ! Take the evacuation steps necessary to give your family and home the best chance of surviving a wildfire. For more information on Ready, Set, Go, go to www.readyforwildfire.org		