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Red Salmon Complex UPDATE

Wednesday, September 30, 2020



Total Acres	Containment	Crews	Engines	Dozers	Helicopters	Water Tenders	Total Personnel
122,667	31%	4	43	4	6	21	541

The Red Salmon Complex is burning on the Klamath, Six Rivers, and Shasta-Trinity National Forests within Humboldt, Siskiyou, and Trinity Counties. The Hoopa Valley Tribe is part of the joint delegation of authority with the National Forests. The Northwest Incident Management Team 10 is managing this incident. Team 10 (Lawson) will continue working closely with the Hoopa, the Yurok, and the Karuk Tribes, as well as community liaisons.

WILLOW CREEK – Community meetings will be held at 11 a.m. today, outside Forks of Salmon School and at 1:30 p.m., outside the Ceilville Community Center. Planning is underway for a community meeting in the Hoopa Valley, date and time TBA.

Temperatures are expected to range from the 80s in higher elevations, to the 90s in the valleys. The warmer temperatures and wind directions are causing increased smoke, which is combining with smoke from the August Complex Fire. The smoke may persist for several days, causing lower temperatures.

On the eastern flank, the fire became more active near Hoteling Ridge and Methodist Creek. The fire also pushed to the top of Dees Ridge. Additionally, crews are scouting potential fire control lines near Cecilville Road.

Crews completed a combination of dozer line and handline to control a 100-acre slopover in the western area of the fire, near the Colgrove Branch of Mill Creek.

Within the southern fire area, firefighters are working to hold and mop up fire control lines along Tish Tang Ridge to Box Camp to protect adjacent communities.

The Trinity County Sheriff's Department (https://www.trinitycounty.org/OES) established an Evacuation Warning for the community of Denny. An Evacuation Warning remains in place for Forks of Salmon (Siskiyou County Sherriff's office 530-842-8300). All residents and visitors should be prepared to evacuate. A Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) is in place over the entire Red-Salmon fire area.

Some Shasta-Trinity National, Forest lands east of the Red Salmon Fire Complex closure area are open for public use. The use of any ignition source on National Forest System lands is strictly prohibited, including campfires, gas stoves, smoking and outdoor barbeque grills on houseboats. Continuing dry conditions and limited firefighting resources require visitors to remain vigilant and be prepared to evacuate if a fire starts nearby. For further information about how to prepare for potential evacuation visit www.ready.gov. More closure information is available on the Red Salmon Complex InciWeb page.

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