



Incident Update

Dolan Fire

10/1/20



Los Padres
National Forest

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Fire Information Line: 831-272-0222

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Media Line: 831-272-0221

Incident Name: Dolan Fire

Type of Incident: Wildland

Incident Location: Monterey County CA

Incident Report Date: 08/18/2020

Fire Cause: Under investigation

Incident Report Time: 20:04

Acres: 124,924

% Contained: 90%

Structures Damaged: 4

Habitable Structures Destroyed: 14

Fatalities : 0

Outbuildings Destroyed: 5

Resources Assigned

Engines: 29

Helicopters: 5

Bulldozers: 1

Water Tenders: 7

Air Tankers: 0

Overhead Personnel: 155

Fire Crews: 8

Total Personnel: 492

Current Situation

Plumes of smoke continue to rise from a 500-acre island burning near Nacimiento Ferguson Rd. The island is 3 miles into the interior of the fire and not affecting the perimeter. Weather is the current threat for crews. Triple digit temperatures and increasing winds have initiated Red Flag warnings. The warnings will be in effect from Wednesday evening (9/30) at 6:00pm thru Friday evening (10/2) at 6:00pm. Firefighters will be on high alert with winds in the lower elevations reaching 20mph and 30-40mph gusts on the ridge tops. Relative humidity will stay in the teens, keeping the area dry though out the night. We will use the VETS, (1-man helicopter) and UAS IR (drone) to locate hotspots on the fire, giving real time information to firefighters on the ground. Helicopters will continue to play a role on the fire making water drops where heat is discovered in areas that are inaccessible to firefighters.

Evacuations: - The Evacuation WARNINGS have been lifted for Zones: 26, 24, B2- Lucia South, J-Prewitt Ridge Area, K-South Coast Ridge Rd. Zone 27 has been downgraded to WARNING. For current evacuation information view the OES interactive map or call 211.

Closures: The Los Padres National Forest extended the forest recreation closure through October 1, 2020. Nacimiento-Ferguson Road is closed to all traffic from Highway 1 to the Fort Hunter Liggett base boundary line. For more information visit <https://roads.dot.ca.gov/>

Cooperators

California Highway Patrol, Monterey County, Monterey County Sheriff's Office, Big Sur Volunteers, Cal Trans, California State Parks, Monterey County Office of Emergency Services, Ventana Wilderness Alliance, Esselan and Salinan Tribes, CalFire, Fort Hunter Liggett.

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