Dodge Springs Fire Incident Update







Fire Information Online

Inciweb:

https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/8268/ www.utahfireinfo.gov www.nevadafireinfo.org **RELEASE DATE:**July 25, 2022 **MEDIA CONTACT:**702-329-5256

STATUS		
Start Date: July 21, 2022	Start Time: ~2:45 p.m.	
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Lightning	
Size: ~5612 acres	Containment: 10%	
Expected Containment: ~August 1, 2022	Injuries: 0	
Structures Threatened: 12	Structures Damaged/Destroyed: 0	
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Location: 30 miles north of Mesquite, Nevada on the Utah/Nevada border.

	RESOURCES	
Engines: 9	Water Tenders: 1	Crews: 8
Helicopters: 5	Dozers: 3	Total Personnel: ~350

Cooperating Agencies: Bureau of Land Management Nevada, Bureau of Land Management Utah, and US Forest Service, State of Utah Department of Natural Resources Division of Forestry and various local agencies in both Utah and Nevada.

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	SITUATION
Current Situation:	Firefighters will be helped by higher humidity and the likelihood of more moisture over the fire area today. There was minimal activity on Sunday with only 23 acres of new growth detected by a flight over the fire last night. The growth Sunday was in an area southeast of Bull Mountain. Additional fire crews arrived yesterday, including more hotshot crews. They will work today to increase containment by working the fire's edge to put out hot spots that could cause further new fire growth. Aircraft are available to support the firefighters on the ground.
	A Type 2 Incident Management Team, Great Basin Team 6, Jeremy Kiesling Incident Commander, took command of the fire this morning. The team was brought to provide additional logistical and operational support for the firefighters, who are working in extreme heat in remote and rugged terrain north of Mesquite, Nevada.
	The fire area includes portions of the Docs Pass Wilderness in Utah. Firefighters are working to fully contain the fire to protect the wilderness, wildlife habitat and to prevent the further spread of invasive species such as cheatgrass.
Evacuations:	There are no evacuation warnings related to this fire at this time.
Road Closures:	None