











Lightning Complex Fire: August 19, 2022

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Incident Information: https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/8312/

Facebook: www.facebook.com/SixRiversNF
Six Rivers National Forest: www.fs.usda.gov/srnf

Fire Information Phone: (707) 356-9442 (Hours: 8am-8pm)

INCIDENT INFORMATION

Unified Command: Six Rivers National Forest, CAL FIRE, California Highway Patrol, Trinity County Sheriff, and Humboldt County Sheriff.

CURRENT CONDITIONS

The Lightning Complex Fire is currently 25,399 acres with 67% containment. 1979 personnel are assigned to the incident. USFS, CAIIMT 11 and CAL FIRE continue to work closely together in unified command with a full suppression strategy to protect homes and other structures, communities, crucial infrastructure, and important wildlife habitat.

Fire activity was minimal overnight with the cooler temperatures and increased humidity. Two spot fires developed on the northeast side of the Ammon Fire but were quickly contained by fire personnel in the area. Crews continued successful strategic firing operations and improved control lines using dozers and handlines to remove fuels. Control lines are holding well.

Campbell Fire

Crews will continue to strengthen fire lines and limit the spread of the main fire. Fire crews will patrol and extinguish remaining pockets of heat inside control lines on the west side of the fire.

Ammon Fire

Firefighters will continue strategic firing operations along the southwest perimeter in the Friday Ridge area. Fire crews will work to ensure that the previous night's spot fires on the northeast side remain fully contained. Crews will continue to improve and reinforce fire lines along the Six Road of Ammon Ridge and within the Friday Ridge System as well as along Titlow Hill Rd/Route 1 out to Highway 299.

Weather

Stable weather is expected over the area, with northwest winds up to about 10mph, gusting slightly higher along the ridgetops and where channeled by terrain. Cooler overall temperatures are predicted today in the 70s and 80s.

SMOKE

A strong inversion will continue to keep smoke over most of the area. Some clearing will take place in the afternnon, particularly along the northwest areas of both fires. Please check https://outlooks.airfire.org/outlook/65384a03 for air quality resources.

ROAD CLOSURES

State Routes 299 and 96 are currently open in the Lightning Complex but may be impacted by fire behavior. Travelers are encouraged to visit http:quickmap.dot.ca.gov to check for state highway closures. The beginning of deer hunting season this weekend is expected to increase traffic in the area.

The following roads leading to evacuation zones have been closed (residents may use these roads to exit only):

- Forest Route 7N15 at Six Rivers Forest Boundary
- Horse Linto Creek Road at Saddle Lane
- Friday Ridge Road at Forest Route 6N06 (both roads are closed at this point)
- Titlow Hill Road/Forest Route 1 after Horse Mountain Botanical Area

Because fire personnel and machinery will be building control lines for the Ammon Fire, residents are asked to limit travel on Titlow Hill Road/Route 1 in zones HUM-E052 and HUM-E062 to essential traffic only.

EVACUATION CENTER

The American Red Cross Evacuation Center at Trinity Valley Elementary School is closed but on stand-by if needs change. If further evacuations are ordered or evacuation orders changed, the facility will re-open to accommodate new evacuees.

ANIMAL EVACUATION CENTER

Hoopa Rodeo Grounds 1767 Pine Creek Rd., Hoopa, CA 95546 Phone: (707) 492-2851

** The Hoopa Rodeo Grounds has several single pens and larger pens for whole herds. Call directly if you need directions or help transporting your large animals. They cannot house sheep, goats, poultry, or small animals, but they can potentially help arrange for temporary foster placement. If you can foster, please reach out regarding your availability and capacity.

EVACUATION UPDATES

For the latest evacuation information go to Humboldt County Office of Emergency Services (https://humboldtgov.org/2383/Current-Emergencies) or Trinity County Office of Emergency Services (https://www.trinitycounty.org/OES). For an interactive map of evacuation zones visit: https://community.zonehaven.com/. To sign up for alerts: www.humboldtgov.org/alerts.

EVACUATION ORDERS

County	Evacuation Status	Zone #	Description
Humboldt	Order	HUM-E032B	N of FS 7N02; S of Horse Linto Creek Rd.; E of Horse Linto Creek Rd.; W of FS 7N10
		HUM-E056A	N of Bigfoot Scenic Byway, River Bend rd., Peach Tree Lane, Patterson Rd.; S of Bigfoot Scenic Byway, Horse Linto Creek Rd.; E of Orchard Lane; W of Horse Linto Creek Rd.
		HUM-E058	N of FS 7N15; S of Horse Linto Creek Rd; E of Peach Tree Lane; W of Coon Creek Rd, FS 7N15
		HUM-E061A	N of 7N15; S of FS 7N15; E of Seeley Mc Intosh Rd., Campbell Ridge Rd.; W of FS 7N15
		HUM-E063A	N of FS 6N39; S of Friday Ridge Rd.; E of Friday Ridge Rd., FS 6N08A; W of Friday Ridge Rd.
		HUM-E063B	N of 6N39, Friday Ridge Rd.; S of FS 6N33; E of Friday Ridge Rd.; W of Friday Ridge Rd., Riteway Lane
		HUM-E077B	N of Friday Ridge Rd., FS 5N01; S of Friday Ridge Rd.; E of 5N10, 5N09, 5N27; W of South Fork Road, FS 5N42
		HUM-E077C	N of FS 5N32; S of Friday Ridge Rd., South Fork Rd.; E of FS 5N37; W of South Fork Rd., Carpenter Rd.
	Warning	HUM-E32A	N of FS 7N02, FS 7N31; S of Hoopa Valley Reservation; E OF Bigfoot Scenic Byway; W of 7N09
		HUM-E056B	N of River Bend Rd.; S Redbud Lane, Madrone Lane, Patterson Rd.; E of Trinity River; W of Peach Tree Lane, Neighbor's Lane, Horse Linto Creek Rd.
		HUM-E057	N of Seeley Mc Intosh Rd.; S of Patterson Rd.; E of River Bend Rd, Patterson Rd.; W of Moonset Lane
		HUM-E061B	N of Sign Tree Lane; S of Bremer Creek; E of Trinity River; W of Six Rivers Forest Boundary
		HUM-E062	N of 5N10; S of 06N21, Brushy Mountain Lookout Rd., Cedar Creek Rd., Trinity Highway; E of Titlow Hill Road, Cedar Creek Rd.; W of Friday Ridge Rd.
		HUM-E064	N of Trinity Highway, Wood Lane, Friday Ridge Rd.; S of Campbell Ridge Rd., Triple R Lane, Butterfly Creek Rd., Kimberly Drive, Trinity Highway; E of Trinity Highway; W of Wood Lane, Campbell Ridge Rd.
		HUM E076B	N of Friday Ridge Rd.; S of Friday Ridge Rd.; W of FS 5N01
		HUM-E077D	N of 6N06f; S of FS 5N42, FS 5N04; E of 5N01, Friday Ridge Rd.; W of 5N42, South Fork Rd.
		HUM-E077E	N of Forest Road 5N04, S of Forest Road 5N01 and 5N04, E of Forest Road 5N01, W of Forest Road 6N06F
Trinity	Warning	NA	Campbell Ridge Road from Salyer Heights to Seeley Mc Intosh Road
		NA	Salyer area is being reduced from Evacuation Orders to Evacuation Warning, including Galaxy Road.

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