



# MOSQUITO FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: September 7, 2022 Time: 7:00 P.M.



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## INCIDENT FACTS

<b>Incident Start Date:</b> September 6, 2022		<b>Incident Start Time:</b> 6:22 P.M.	
<b>Incident Type:</b> Wildfire		<b>Cause:</b> Under Investigation	
<b>Incident Location:</b> Mosquito Rd at Oxbow Reservoir			
<b>CAL FIRE Unit:</b> Nevada-Yuba-Placer			
<b>Unified Command Agencies:</b> CAL FIRE NEU, USFS Tahoe National Forest, Foresthill Fire Protection District, and Placer County Sheriff's Office			
<b>Size:</b> 5,705 Acres	<b>Containment:</b> 0%	<b>Expected Full Containment:</b> October 15, 2022	
<b>Civilian Injuries:</b> 0		<b>Firefighter Injuries:</b> 0	
<b>Structures Threatened:</b> 1,002	<b>Structures Destroyed:</b> 0	<b>Structures Damaged:</b> 0	

## CURRENT SITUATION

### Current Situation:

Today the Mosquito Fire showed extreme fire behavior and growth, more than quadrupling in size to over 4,000 acres. Assigned personnel continued to improve existing control line and build new control lines, and also assessed and prepared structures threatened by the fire. The fire is burning in extremely difficult terrain including steep canyons where directly attacking the fire can be difficult.

The weather in the fire area will continue to be extremely hot and dry overnight and into tomorrow. Combined with very low fuel moistures fire conditions are likely to replicate today's behavior during the overnight period and into tomorrow's operational period.

It is incredibly important all those who receive an evacuation order leave the area immediately and it is recommended that those in an evacuation warning zone leave the area as well. Several updates to the evacuation order and warnings zones were made today to protect the life and safety of those who live and work in the fire area.

The Unified Commanders of the Mosquito Fire are aware of reports of damaged structures. The damage inspection process will be initiated when fire conditions allow.

All Californians need to be prepared for wildfire before one ignites in their community. Be Ready, Set, Go! Visit [www.readyforwildfire.org](http://www.readyforwildfire.org) for more information on how to prepare yourself and your family.



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For a map of current evacuation orders in Placer County, please visit:

<https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/07930e6e8f034ae4bba71e8bfedb2779/page/Sheriff-Evacuations-PCSO/>

**EVACUATION ORDERS are in effect for the following communities:**

#### Zone 1 - Michigan Bluff

- Michigan Bluff Rd
- Gorman Ranch Rd
- Chicken Hawk Rd
- Ridge View Rd
- Deadwood Rd

#### Zone 2 – Baker Ranch

- Mobile Home Park

#### Zone 3 – Crystal View Rd and Bath Rd

#### Zone 4 – Foresthill

- Foresthill Rd from Idlewild Rd to Bath Rd
- Powerline Rd
- Timberland Rd
- Sluce Box Ln

#### Zone 5

- Black Oak Ridge Rd
- Blackhawk Ln
- Ebbert Ranch Rd
- Old Ebberts Ranch Rd

#### Zone 6

- Finning Mill Rd to Sugar Pine Rd to Elliot Ranch Rd to Forestill Rd
- Big Reservoir Rd
- Giant Gap Rd
- Hollow Log Rd
- Prospect Rd, NF-10

### El Dorado County

For a map of current evacuation orders and warnings in El Dorado County, please

visit: <https://www.facebook.com/eldoradosheriff>



**EVACUATION ORDERS are in effect for the following communities:**

- Volcanoville: Residents who live north of Wentworth Springs, east of Otter Creek, South of the Placer County Line, and west of Tunnel Hill Road are under mandatory evacuation orders. Please evacuate the area immediately.



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**An EVACUATION WARNING is in effect for the following community:**

#### Zone 7 – Todd Valley

- South of Foresthill Road
- North of the middle fork of the American River
- West of Jarvis to include Patent
- East of McKeon Ponderosa to the American River

#### Zone 8 – Sky View (21200 Todd Valley Road)

- Sky View Mobile Home Park

#### Zone 9 – North Side of Foresthill Road

- North of Foresthill Road
- South of Yankee Jims Road through Spring Garden to include Owl Creek and Pine Mountain
- Everything west of Power Line and Hard Rock

#### Zone 10 – Spring Garden / Whitehawk Ridge

- North of Spring Garden Rd. and east of Ponderosa Rd. to the North Fork of the American River
- South of the North Fork of the American River.
- South of Yankee Jims Road to Spring Garden

#### Zone 11 – Yankee Jims and Shirrtail Canyon

- North of Yankee Jims Road to include Shirrtail Canyon
- South of Big Dipper through Kings Hill and through Black Bear and Grills Hill
- West of Finning Mill Road

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**An EVACUATION WARNING is in effect for the following community:**

- Quintette: Residents who live north of Wentworth Springs, east of Lofty Peak Lane, South of the Placer County Line, and west of Blackeye Pea Road need to prepare to evacuate if this warning becomes a mandatory evacuation. Please use this time to gather belongings and prepare. There will be deputies in the area going door to door to notify residents. Be prepared to evacuate if this warning becomes mandatory.



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<b>Evacuation Centers:</b>	<p><b>Placer County</b> Bell Road Baptist Church: 77 Bell Road, Auburn, CA 95603</p> <p><b>El Dorado County (Temporary Evacuation Point)</b> Cool Community Church at 863 Cave Valley Rd, Cool, CA 95614</p>			
<b>Road Closures:</b>	<p><b>Placer and El Dorado County:</b> <a href="https://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/">https://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/</a></p>			
<b>Animal Evacuation Centers:</b>	<p><b>Placer County</b> Placer County Animal Services Center: 11232 B Avenue, Auburn, CA 95603</p> <p>Nevada County Fairgrounds: 11228 McCourtney Road, Grass Valley, CA 95949</p>			
<b>ASSIGNED RESOURCES</b>				
<b>Engines:</b> TBD	<b>Water Tenders:</b> TBD	<b>Hand Crews:</b> TBD	<b>Dozers:</b> TBD	<b>Total Personnel:</b> TBD
<b>Aircraft:</b>	<p>Aircraft remains available as requested by fire personnel to assist with fire suppression operations.</p>			
<p><b>Cooperating Agencies:</b> Foresthill Fire Protection District, CAL FIRE AEU, El Dorado County Sheriff's Office, USFS El Dorado National Forest, California Highway Patrol, California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, California State Parks</p>				

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