



Superior National Forest | September 2022

# Lake 3 Fire

### **Date issued**

September 8, 2022

# Fire information

Please contact the Kawishiwi Ranger District office (218) 365-7600 or online at <u>InciWeb the Incident Information System (nwcg.gov)</u>

# **Description**

On September 7, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. a fire was reported to the Superior National Forest. The fire is located at Township 63N, Range 9W, Section 35—southeast of Lake Three and north of Horseshoe Lake in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness. In response, two Beaver float plans began aerial suppression. The fire is estimated at 10 acres.

#### Resources

Today Beaver aircraft continue to use aerial water delivery for fire suppression. An upcoming cold front is estimated to bring cooler temperatures, some precipitation and less winds to allow the Superior to reassess if conditions are safer for firefighters to begin ground suppression. Public safety crews are in the area. Firefighter and public safety are the top priority.

# **Closures**

One campsite located on the north-east corner of Lake 3, is currently closed for firefighting operations.

# **Fire Restrictions**

None



Beaver airplane conducting suppression activities over the Lake 3 fire. USDA Forest Service photo