

Great Basin Type 2 Incident Management Team #4



Tenmile Fire Update

Thursday, September 22, 2022

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Start Date	Cause	Size in acres	Percent Containment	Helicopters	Engines	Crews	Dozers	Total Personnel
9/7/2022	Lightning	2,024	33%	2	10	10	-	315

Firefighters have completed all of the preparation and structure protection objectives around the communities of Secesh and Burgdorf. Crews have completed fuels reduction work along Warren Wagon Road and NF 325 Road to create an indirect containment line for the Tenmile Fire as well as prepare for future wildfires. Efforts will continue into the weekend to complete containment features north of the fire along the NF 318 Road and through lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management Cottonwood Field Office.

The fire received an estimated one tenth of an inch of rain yesterday. Another brief weather system is expected to bring precipitation throughout the day with a warming trend beginning Friday and into next week. Temperatures are predicted to return to above normal with below normal precipitation over the next 8-14 days.

Fire behavior is minimal with some creeping and smoldering. The incoming warm weather may dry out fuels and the relative humidity is predicted to drop which could allow for an increase in fire activity next week.

Air Quality:

Air quality remains good. During warm and sunny days and above normal temperatures, fuels may dry out resulting in potential fire activity that may produce smoke visible from surrounding communities. Visit airnow.gov for more information.

Closure:

For the safety of firefighters and the public, two emergency fire area closure orders are in effect for the Tenmile Fire on the Payette National Forest and the Bureau of Land Management, Cottonwood Field Office. The closure orders, including a full description of the trails, roads, and areas closed, are available at https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/closures/8401/.



