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Fire

The fire continues to stay south of Forest Road 12 and north of Forest Road 14 and is reported to be 1969 acres. Today, fire behavior will be moderated by the cool and moist weather conditions. However, the heavy duff layer, timber litter and dead logs will continue to smolder within the fire perimeter. Favorable weather conditions yesterday allowed firefighters to conduct some firing operations along the north edge and plan to continue today if conditions allow.

Smoke

The cool and moist weather will continue this morning. The expected persistent burning in logs and deep duff will smolder and produce smoke throughout the day. These conditions will lead to GOOD air quality across the forecast area for most of the day. Clouds may clear this afternoon allowing smoke to lift out of the fire area. West winds today could bring smoke into Government Camp in the afternoon and overnight.

Check out the current quality conditions in your area at the AirNow Fire and Smoke Map (https://fire.airnow.gov)



Daily AQI Forecast* for Wednesday

	Yesterday	Tue	Forecast*	Wed	Thu
Station	hourly	8/29	Comment for Today Wed, Aug 30	8/30	8/31
	6a noon 6p				
Hood River			GOOD air quality expected today		
Salem			GOOD air quality expected through the day.		
Estacada			Good air quality expected today		
Portland			GOOD air quality expected today		
The Dalles			GOOD air quality expected		
Multorpor/Government Camp			GOOD air quality expected, MODERATE possible overnight		

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Air Quality Index (AQI)	Quality Index (AQI) Actions to Protect Yourself	
Good	None	
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.	
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.	
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should avoid all physical outdoor activity.	
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.	
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.	

*Disclaimer: This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

Additional Links

Camp Creek Fire Information -- https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident-information/ormhf-camp-creek-fire

Fire and Smoke Map -- https://fire.airnow.gov

