## **East Fire Update**

Monday, August 28, 2023 – 8:00 a.m.

**Great Basin Incident Management Team 6** 

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**Information Staffing Hours**: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.



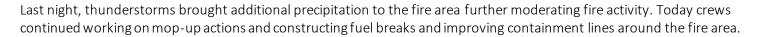
• 39% percent contained

• Location: 10 miles East of Cascade, Idaho

Cause: Undetermined

Personnel: 447

• Currently no evacuation orders



Over the next few days, the Great Basin team will be right-sizing the number of personnel assigned and transition control back to the local forest staff.

Going forward, updated information will be available online via InciWeb or the Boise National Forest Facebook page.

**Weather:** High pressure is building over the region and is expected to bring temperatures into the 70s and lower 80s. A cold front is expected to cross the area Tuesday afternoon bringing increasing southwest to west winds with chances of showers and thunderstorms. Winds may gust to 30 mph on the ridges during the afternoon. Much cooler conditions will move in behind the front for the middle of the week.

**Closure Area:** Remains in place for public safety and details including a map can be found on the East Fire InciWeb page and the forest Facebook page.

Air Quality: http://idsmoke.blogspot.com/ Web: https://www.fs.usda.gov/boise/

Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/BoiseNationalForest">https://www.facebook.com/BoiseNationalForest</a>

InciWeb: https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident-information/idbof-east.

