



Smoke Outlook

North Central OR/WA Camp Creek

9/15 - 9/16

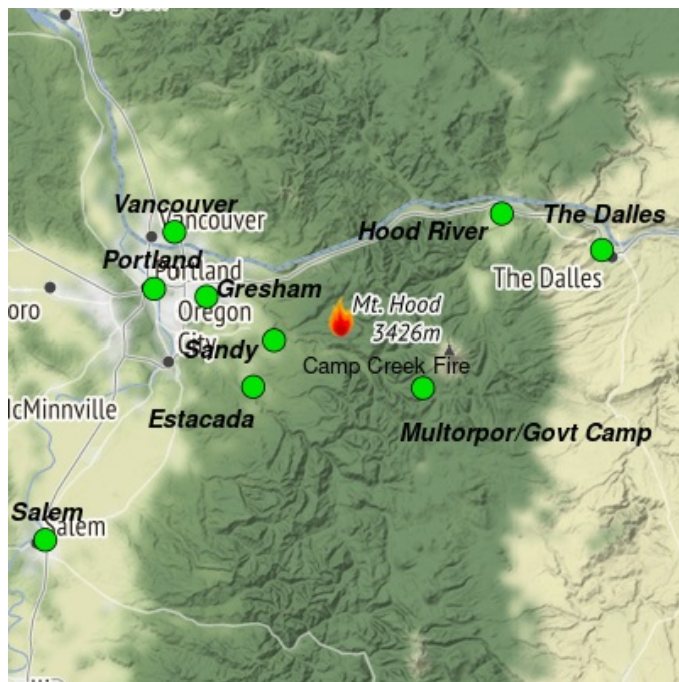
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Fire

The Camp Creek fire is reported at 2,047 acres with 44% containment. With warm and dry weather today and tomorrow, fire activity will gradually increase day-to-day. Significant fire growth is not expected.

Smoke

With northeast winds today, smoke will impact areas south and west of the fire, similar to yesterday but possibly more smoke in the afternoon and evening as fire activity increases. Winds along the highway 26 corridor between Sandy and Zigzag may shift to west winds today, bringing periods of light to moderate smoke to communities between Sandy and Zigzag. Smoke will continue settling along the Sandy River at night and moving down-slope towards Troutdale. Periods of moderate smoke are possible tonight through tomorrow morning in areas such as Troutdale, Gresham, Boring, Sandy, Estacada, and nearby communities. Tomorrow, west winds return, which will bring smoke to areas between Hood River and Government Camp.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Friday

Station	Yesterday			Thu 9/14	Forecast* Comment for Today -- Fri, Sep 15	Fri 9/15	Sat 9/16
	hourly						
	6a	noon	6p				
Hood River	[AQI chart]			●	GOOD air quality today	●	●
The Dalles	[AQI chart]			●	GOOD air quality today	●	●
Multnomah/Government Camp	[AQI chart]			●	Light smoke possible later today	●	●
Salem	[AQI chart]			●	Periods of light smoke possible, especially tonight	●	●
Portland	[AQI chart]			●	Light smoke possible tonight	●	●
Vancouver	[AQI chart]			●	Light smoke possible tonight	●	●
Estacada	[AQI chart]			●	Periods of light to moderate smoke	●	●
Sandy	No hourly data			●	Periods of light to moderate smoke	●	●
Gresham	[AQI chart]			●	Minimal smoke impacts	●	●

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Air 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/or/hf-camp-creek-fire) -- <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident-information/or/hf-camp-creek-fire>
[Oregon Smoke Information](https://www.oregonssmoke.org/) -- <https://www.oregonssmoke.org/>

[Fire and Smoke Map](https://fire.airnow.gov) -- <https://fire.airnow.gov>

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 *Smoke and Health Info -- www.airnow.gov/air-quality-and-health