

SILVER KING FIRE INFORMATION

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Agency: Fishlake National Forest – Beaver Ranger District Location: Approximately three miles west of Marysvale, Utah Start Date: July 05, 2024 Cause: Lightning Acres: 18,185 Containment/Completion: 83% Personnel: 286

The Nevada Interagency Incident Management Team 5 assumed management of the Silver King fire at 7:30 PM Saturday. The new team shadowed the members of Great Basin Team 2 during the day on Saturday to assure a smooth transition of command. This allowed the team members to grasp existing conditions, review the long-term plan, and visit the fire area and facilities. The community should expect to see a lot of new faces throughout the fire area.

Power company workers continue to replace equipment and pull new cables along Bullion Creek Rd. The back haul of water handling equipment continues throughout the fire area. Good progress is being made in the repair of dozer lines. Work continues to improve forest roads by grading and removing hazardous trees. Firefighters will continue to mop up, monitor, and patrol other areas of the perimeter.

The Burned Area Emergency Response (BAER) team has begun to asses the fire effects and began mapping conditions.

There is a chance of widely scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms producing heavy rain. Relative humidity will likely remain around 20%, with temperatures in the upper 70s to low 80s. This will result in minimal fire behavior and limited fire spread.

Air quality for most areas around the fire has improved. For more smoke information go to <u>https://www.wildlandfiresmoke.net/outlooks</u>.

The Fishlake National Forest has issued a Forest Closure Order and Stage 1 Fire Restrictions that can be found here: <u>https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/fishlake/alerts-notices</u>. The Castle Rock Campground remains open to the public.



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