



Boise Fire Update

August 16, 2024—7:00 a.m.

Boise Fire Quick Facts:

Acres: 10,533	Crews: 24
Containment: 0%	Engines: 44
Detection Date: August 9, 2024	Dozers: 11
Cause: Under investigation	Helicopters: 12
Total resources: 940	Fixed wing: available as needed

Headlines

- Fire information phone: 707 572-4860 or email at 2024.Boise@firenet.gov
- Get all your Boise Fire information in one mobile-friendly place!
<https://linktr.ee/2024boisefiresrf>
- **Join us TODAY for a community meeting in Forks of Salmon at the Community Club at 5 p.m. This meeting will not be livestreamed.**
- Evacuations are in place for the Boise Fire for residents near the fire area in Humboldt County. For the most current evacuation information please [visit the Boise Fire linktree](#) or visit--
 - ✓ Humboldt County: <https://humboldt.gov.org/356/Office-of-Emergency-Services>
 - ✓ Siskiyou County: <https://www.co.siskiyou.ca.us/emergencyservices>

Leader’s Intent: The Boise Fire is being managed with a full suppression strategy.

Operational Update: Last night’s conducive conditions allowed for another good night of work, with crews focusing again on mopping up and securing the north and west sides of the fire.

Much focus has shifted to the south and east sides of the fire where crews will continue today to work directly on the active fires northeast edge from the Orleans Mountain south, taking advantage of the lessened fire activity to cut that off. They will also continue work from Nordheimer Flat south along the ridgeline and north from High Point Ridge to hold the eastern edge of the fire. They are also scouting contingency lines today and looking at options for containment between the proposed handline and the Salmon River and road.

Weather and Fire Behavior: The weather today is anticipated to be much the same as yesterday, with the inversion lifting early- to mid- afternoon. Fire behavior is expected to remain moderated by higher humidity and cooler temperatures. A wetter system is expected to pass through the fire area tomorrow, with a solid chance of wetting rain in the forecast followed by a return to dry and hot conditions.