



West Fire Smoke Forecast

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Smoke Synopsis

Yesterday, winds dispersed smoke to the north-northeast. This morning, southwesterly winds above the Rim are helping to reduce smoke impacts to Payson and Pine.

Today, south-southwesterly winds will disperse smoke to the north-northeast. By evening, daytime winds will gradually weaken, becoming light and terrain-driven overnight. Residual smoke will settle into local drainages. For tomorrow, south-southwesterly winds are forecast above the Rim.

During the day today, smoke will disperse over and just to the west of Winslow, with light to moderate impacts possible later in the evening. Overnight, light to moderate smoke impacts are expected to Pine, Hwy 87, East Verde Estates, and Tonto Village, dispersing or lifting out by 10am. Light overnight smoke impacts are possible to Payson and Hwy 260.



Activity Meter

Stay Smoke Aware
 Minimize Outdoor Activity
 Stay Inside

Location	Wednesday	Wednesday Night	Thursday
Payson	Light smoke or haze lifting by 10am	Light smoke possible overnight	Smoke lifting by 10am
Pine	Light smoke or haze lifting by 10am	Light to moderate smoke possible	Smoke lifting by 10am
Star Valley	Light smoke or haze possible	Light smoke possible overnight	Light smoke or haze possible
Tonto Village	Smoke lifting by 10am	Light to moderate smoke possible	Smoke lifting by 10am
East Verde Estates	Smoke lifting by 10am	Light to moderate smoke possible	Smoke lifting by 10am
Forest Lakes	Haze possible	Haze possible	Haze possible
Camp Verde	No smoke	Light smoke possible	No smoke

Note: No matter what the forecast indicates, if you feel like you are having health effects from smoke exposure, take extra care to stay inside or safely get to an area with better air quality. Please contact your healthcare provider with specific concerns.

Additional Information

Fire Contact: 928-291-7354

West Fire InciWeb | <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/aztnf-2024-west-fire-tnf>

Preacher Fire InciWeb | <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/aztnf-2024-preacher-fire-tnf>

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