



Line Fire Fact Sheet 30 September 2024 San Bernardino National Forest

Fire Status			
Acres: 43,251	Containment: 80%		
Firefighting Resources			
Engines: 69	Crews: 22		Water Tenders: 10
Dozers: 14	Helicopters: 10		Other: 42
Total Personnel: 1,176			
Structures Damaged: 4		Structures Destroyed: 1	
Firefighter Injuries: 4			

Current Situation:

The Line Fire made a run up the Santa Ana river drainage today. The last few days of above normal temperatures have dried out both the vegetation and moisture from the air. Firefighters had expected some movement along the open line in this area however, fire behavior exceeded expectations. The dry vegetation, steep slopes and wind aligned yesterday to create conditions for the rapid fire spread yesterday.

Due to this rapid fire growth, evacuation orders were issued for the Barton Flats and Seven Oaks areas. Evacuation warnings are in place for Angelus Oaks and the southwestern side of Big Bear Lake.

Although work continues in throughout the fire, the Santa Ana River drainage is the priority for today. Additional crews and equipment are focused in this area. Four night-flying helicopters are assigned to the incident and were actively dropping water in the drainage last night.

The San Bernardino National Forest is now in unified command with San Bernardino County Fire, CALFIRE San Bernardino and the San Bernardino County Sheriffs Office. Additional crews, equipment and air resources have arrived and more will be coming today.

The closure orders for the Forest remain in place.

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