



Morning Update – LOGAN Fire

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

Great Basin Complex Incident Management Team #3

Contact Fire Information: Phone: 208-780-5016

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Logan Fire Statistics:

Size: 15,131 acres

Completion: 10%

Total Personnel: 276

Reported: 9/8/24

Cause: Lightning

Location: Edwardsburg/Big Creek and into the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness on the north and south sides of Big Creek in the wilderness.

Weather: Today the temperatures will be in the mid-60's and dropping to the low 50's by tomorrow. Winds will be around 5-8mph with gusts up to 15 mph. There will be cloud cover through most of the day and relative humidity will be around 17%.

Current Situation: Yesterday, there was some heat on Hogback ridge in the late afternoon with some isolated torching. Two type 1 helicopters were launched, and they dropped buckets of water to cool the hot spots so firefighters could maintain the holding line. Crews also continued prepping the Big Creek Road down to Jacob's Ladder Flats. Today, the firefighters are reinforcing the Back Road so it can be used as a contingency line. A contingency fireline is used to back up primary lines to increase probability of fire containment, decrease fire losses, and improve firefighter safety. Firefighters are also backhauling sprinklers and pumps and leaving the correct amount of plumbing in place to protect the structures. The crews are still working in the Smith's Creek area around the bridges and making sure they are protected from fire and wrapping them with protective heat shield material. The crews are also removing the fire protective wrap from the Rabbit Lookout in the wilderness area and bringing those supplies back to camp.

Evacuations: Logan Fire Edwardsburg Area - The Valley County Sheriff's Office has placed a "GO" evacuation notice for the Edwardsburg area due to the movement of the Logan Fire. Evacuation orders will be sent out via, CodeRED. Please [download](#) the mobile app and sign up. Information is available via the Valley County Idaho website at <https://www.co.valley.id.us/WildfireEvacuation> or the Valley County Sheriff's Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064415776390>

Closures: The Logan Fire has a closure around the fire on the Krassel Ranger District and the map and description are located at <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/payette/alerts-notices> The Sheriff has closed the Warren-Profile Gap Road between Elk Summit and Profile Creek intersection just north of Yellow Pine (this is a County Road). The Big Creek Airstrip is closed.

For More Information

InciWeb: <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/idpaf-logan-fire>

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/payettenationalforest/>