



# EATON FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

**Date: 1/9/25**  
**Time: 7:00PM**

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Incident Information Line: (626) 662-0120  
Incident Media Line: (626) 629-8266  
Incident Email: 2025.eaton@firenet.gov

**Incident Website:** <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/caanf-eaton-fire>

**Location:** Eaton Canyon, Pasadena California

<b>Acres Burned:</b>	13,690	<b>Structures Threatened:</b>	39,428
<b>Containment:</b>	0%	<b>Structures Destroyed:</b>	972
<b>Fire Started:</b>	January 7, 2025 at 6:18 p.m.	<b>Structures Damaged:</b>	84
<b>Cause:</b>	Undetermined	<b>Firefighter Injuries:</b>	5
<b>Civilian Fatalities:</b>	5		

**Total Assigned Personnel:** 1,396 **Engines:** 183 **Hand Crews:** 12 **Dozers:** 16 **Water Tenders:** 36

**Current Situation:** On Tuesday January 7th, 2025, firefighters responded to a fire report near Eaton Canyon in Pasadena, California. Evacuation orders and warnings have been issued for the affected areas. Today’s priority remained structure protection throughout the affected communities. The Mount Wilson communication site was threatened but firefighters were able to successfully conduct a strategic firing operation to stop the advancing fire.

**Damage Assessment:** It has been publicly reported that approximately 4,000-5,000 structures have been destroyed. This is a preliminary estimate by nonpublic safety personnel. Numbers reported above indicate verified damage assessments completed by field personnel and will be updated with validated information as it becomes available.

**Weather:** A Red Flag Warning is in effect through 6 p.m. on Friday. Critical fire weather conditions will continue across the area until at least Friday evening. Winds will likely vary significantly between higher terrain and the lower elevations of the fire, as the area is sheltered from the northeast. There is a chance of critical fire weather conditions developing this weekend and early next week.

**Evacuations:** For the most up-to-date evacuation information visit, Protect Genasys using the link/QR Code below: <https://protect.genasys.com/search>



**Evacuation Point(s): Pasadena Civic Center** - 300 East Green Street, Pasadena, CA 91101  
Parking is available at the parking structure across the street from the Convention Center, located at 155 E. Green St. Please enter from Marengo Ave. The Humane Society is on-site to accept small pets for boarding. Service animals will be allowed inside the Convention Center.

**Animal Care:**

**Small Animal Evacuation** - Baldwin Park Animal Care Center 4275 Elton St, Baldwin Park, CA 91706  
**Large Animal Evacuation** - Industry Hills Expo Center 16200 Temple, City of Industry

**State & Local Road Closures:** For the most up-to-date road closures visit the following websites:

<https://pw.lacounty.gov/roadclosures/>



<https://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/>



**Water Quality Advisory:** Foothill Municipal Water District issued an advisory that drinking water is unsafe in the following districts: Lincoln, Las Flores, Kinneola, Rubio Canon

**Angeles National Forest Closure:** <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/angeles/alerts-notices/?aid=92817>

The entire Angeles National Forest is temporarily closed for public safety and the protection of natural resources from today, January 8, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. through Wednesday, January 15, 2025, at 12:00 midnight. During this time, the following acts are prohibited within the Angeles National Forest and San Gabriel Mountains National Monument:

1. Going into or being upon the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(e).
2. Being on any National Forest System Road within the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).
3. Being on any National Forest System Trail within the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.55(a).

**Cooperating Agencies:** Southern California Edison, LA County Public Health, LA County Medical Examiner, Pasadena Water and Power, LA County DPW, Monrovia Fire Department, LA County Mental Health