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## Creek Fire Incident Update

Date: 10/07/2020 Time: 7:00 AM



 Public Information:
 844-668-3473

 South Zone Media:
 559-790-6374

 North Zone Media:
 844-668-3473

## **Incident Websites:**

www.fire.ca.gov inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7147/

**INCIDENT FACTS** Incident Start Date: 09/04/2020 Incident Start Time: 6:33 p.m. Incident Type: Wildland fire Cause: Under investigation Incident Location: Both sides of the San Joaquin River near Mammoth Pool, Shaver Lake, Big Creek and Huntington Lake. Forest/CAL FIRE Units: Sierra National Forest, Fresno-Kings and Madera-Mariposa-Merced CAL FIRE Units Unified Command Agencies: US Forest Service, CAL FIRE, Fresno County Sheriff, Madera County Sheriff **Containment:** 49% Expected Full Containment: 10/31/2020 Size: 328,595 Acres **Civilian Injuries:** 0 Fatalities: 0 Firefighter Injuries: 15(minor) Fatalities: 0 Structures Threatened: 119 Structures Destroyed: 856 Structures Damaged: 71 **CURRENT SITUATION** Current **General Information** Situation: With the unstable atmosphere in lower sections and high probability of ignition forecasted the fire continues to remain extremely active. We are asking everyone to use caution while traveling in and out of the area. There will be a live stream incident update at 7:00 PM today hosted by Sierra National Forest Facebook Page. South Zone: Emergency equipment and personnel fired from Pack Station toward Florence Lake and advanced pass Ward Lake in preparation of main body of fire approaching. Small clusters of homes and seasonal residences in the areas of Mono Hot Springs, Vermillion Resort, Muir Trail Ranch, Blayney Meadow and Florence Lake remain evacuated.

	North Zone:         Expect delays and road congestion as residents meet at Bass Lake Court house in preparatiuon to gain information and access to the Arnold Meadow community today. Tomorrow, October 8, 2020 residents will be allowed to gain entry into Beasore Meadow sub-division for the purpose of winterizing your cabins. At this time these are the only entry dates being approved, if you are unable to arrange for this date and time there will be another date and time arranged (presently undetermined) within the month of October.         Weather:         Today, temperatures will be a high of 78 degrees at 5000 elevation and 70 degrees above 5000' elevation. Dry conditions will persist across the incident with afternoon humidity remaining in the teens during the day and poor humidity recovery overnight. This upper level feature will bring seasonal averages staring tomorrow.				
Bullfrog Fire Information	The Bullfrog Fire is burning on the Sierra National Forest but is not related to the Creek Fire. For more information, visit <u>inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7191/</u> .				
Sign Up for Emergency Alerts	Fresno County Emergency Alerts: <u>Fresno Co. Everbridge alerts</u> Madera County Emergency Warning Systems: <u>mcalert.org</u> Mariposa County Sheriff Office: <u>msoalert.com</u>				
Damage Assessment	Fresno County Damage Assessment Map Madera County Sheriff's Office is contacting property owners.				
National Park Closures	Yosemite National Park reopened September 25, 2020. For specific park information, visit National Park Service – Yosemite.				
National Forest Closures	The Sierra National Forest has been closed under <u>Forest Closure Order No. 05-15-00-20-15</u> through November 1, 2020. Conditions will be re-evaluated daily. For information, please go to the Sierra National Forest website at <u>fs.usda.gov/alerts/sierra/alerts-notices.</u>				
Evacuation Map	Fresno and Madera Counties evacuations can be viewed in the interactive Creek Fire evacuation map (Creek Fire Evacuation Map) or by scanning the QR code:				
Evacuation Zones					

Fresno County Evacuation Orders	<ul> <li>Kone F9S This zone's west boundary is roughly a third of a mile east of China Peak Mountain Resort. The north boundary runs north of Black Butte Mountain. The south boundary is one mile north of Red mountain.</li> <li>Kokanee Campground and Eastwood Sno-Park. The west boundary is Potter Creek and Potter Pass. The north boundary is Kaiser Pass Road at the fork to Sample Meadow. The east boundary includes all of Kaiser Pass Road and ends at White Bark Vista.</li> <li>Kohe F10D: The south boundary includes both sides of Kaiser Pass Road, north of White Bark Vista. Also included within the south boundary is Mono Hot springs and Bear Ridge. The north boundary includes all of Edison Lake and ends south of Devils Bathtub. The east boundary ends at the Sierra National Forest line.</li> <li>Kone F10D: The south boundary will be the shores and areas surrounding Florence Lake. The west boundary will be the shores and areas surrounding Florence Lake. The west boundary will be the shores and areas surrounding Florence Lake. The east boundary is east of Jackass Dike and just east of the Hooper Diversion Trailhead.</li> <li>Kone F10D: The south boundary lies just north of Windy Gap and Black Butte Mountain. The west boundary is the Sierra National Forest Land.</li> <li>Kone F10D: The south boundary is the Sierra National Forest, north of Muir Trail Ranch. The west boundary is west of Florence Lake and west of Jackass Dike. The north boundary is west of Florence Lake and west of Jackass Dike. The north boundary is west of Florence Lake and west of Jackass Dike. The north border extends north of Mount Seneger and Seven Gables.</li> <li>Kone F10D: The south boundary is the Sierra National Forest, north of Muir Trail Ranch. The west boundary is west of Florence Lake and west of Jackass Dike. The north boundary is west of Florence Lake and west of Jackass Dike. The north boundary is the Sierra National Forest, west of Mount Seneger and Seven Gables.</li> <li>Kone F10D: The south border begi</li></ul>
	and Double Peak East.
Road Closures:	Fresno County: Hwy 168 is closed at Kaiser Pass Road. Interactive evacuation map: <u>https://tinyurl.com/y3wpp6ol.</u> Madera County:

	Cascadel Road at 8509 C	ascadel Road					
	Mammoth Road at 59701 Mammoth Road						
	Beasore Road at Road 274						
	Road 632 at Buckskin Lane						
	Closure updates are listed at: <u>facebook.com/MaderaSheriff/</u>						
Fresno County Resources:	ty A multi-agency Local Assistance Center (LAC) is at the Clovis Veterans Memoria (808 4th Street) to support residents impacted by the Creek Fire.						
	<ul> <li>The LAC is open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. until further notice. The LAC serves to connect residents and property owners with assistance and resource availability through a variety of state and local agencies.</li> <li>Services include critical document replacement, social services, economic recovery financial services, motor vehicle services, healthcare, mental health services and American Red Cross.</li> <li>Residents and property owners seeking in-person assistance at the LAC will be asked to practice COVID-19 prevention measures, including wearing a face covering and maintaining social distancing.</li> </ul>						
	For more information,       Image: County-emergency         visit www.co.fresno.ca.us/departments/public-health/fresno-       Image: County-emergency						
	For questions regarding rebuilding of structures and post fire direct inquiries for Free County call: Planning and Development (559)621-8084 Fresno County Resource Call Center: 559-600-INFO						
Madera County residents needing assistance call Madera Community Action: (559)673-9173							
	Fresno Humane Society lost and found animal call line: 559-600-PETS						
	ASSIGNED RESOURCES						
Engines: 134	Water Tenders: 44	Helicopters: 14	Hand Crews: 38	Dozers: 12			
Total Personnel: 1,864							
Air tankers are shared between incidents and used as priorities and availability dictate.							

## North Zone Cooperating Agencies:

Madera County, Madera County Public Health, Madera County Fire, OES, CHP, Cal Trans, National Park Service, PG&E, CDCR, Southern California Edison, American Red Cross, California National Guard, California Air National Guard, Caltrans, U.S. Marine Corp of the 7<sup>th</sup> Engineering Support Battalion

## South Zone Cooperating Agencies:

Fresno County, Fresno County Public Health, Fresno County OES, OES, Shaver Lake Fire Department, Bald Mountain Fire Protection District, Auberry Fire Department, Huntington Lake Volunteer Fire Department, Big Creek Volunteer Fire Department, Pine Ridge Volunteer Fire Department, CHP, National Park Service, CDCR, PG&E, Southern California Edison, American Red Cross, California National Guard, Caltrans, California Air National Guard, California Conservation Corps., AT&T, U.S. Marine Corp of the 7<sup>th</sup> Engineering Support Battalion

To learn more about wildfire preparedness visit: <u>readyforwildfire.org</u>