



DIXIE FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 08/16/2021 Time: 7:00 p.m.



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Media Line: (530) 588-0845
Incident Website: www.fire.ca.gov


INCIDENT FACTS

Incident Start Date: 7/13/2021		Incident Start Time: 5:15 p.m.	
Incident Type: Vegetation		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: Feather River Canyon near Cresta Powerhouse			
CAL FIRE Unit: Butte, Lassen-Modoc, Tehama			
Unified Command Agencies: CAL FIRE, United States Forest Service, National Park Service			
Size: 578,897 acres	Containment: 31%	Expected Full Containment: TBD	
First Responder Fatalities: 0		First Responder Injuries: 3	
Civilian Fatalities: 0		Civilian Injuries: 0	
Structures Threatened: 14,838	Single Residences Destroyed: 627		Single Residences Damaged: 46
	Multiple Residences Destroyed: 8		Multiple Residences Damaged: 4
	Non-residential Commercial Destroyed: 134		Non-residential Commercial Damaged: 8
	Other Minor Structures Destroyed: 400		Other Minor Structures Damaged: 22
Total Destroyed: 1,173	Mixed Commercial/Residential Destroyed: 8		Mixed Commercial/Residential Damaged: 0
Total Damaged: 80			

CURRENT SITUATION

Current Situation	<p>Dixie Fire West Zone: Fire intensity has increased in the afternoon, due to forecasted winds associated with the dry cold front. Group tree torching with intense short runs caused the fire to make movements towards the east. Mid-range spotting also contributed to fire growth throughout the afternoon. Damage assessment is ongoing, and the number of damaged and destroyed structures may change as teams are able to access the fire area safely. Several Evacuation Warnings and Evacuation Orders were issued today in Lassen County, please see below for information affecting your area. California historically experiences some of the most devastating wildfires. Do Not Let Your Guard Down! To learn how to prevent sparking a wildfire visit www.readyforwildfire.org.</p>
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	<p>Dixie Fire East Zone: Red flag conditions are in place for the Dixie Fire East Zone, with winds gusting to 31 mph and a relative humidity of 12%. All lines at Keddie Point and into the North Arm of Indian Valley are holding and are being supported by additional firefighting and equipment resources. A spot fire started south of Peters Creek but firefighters have had success with initial containment. An additional spot fire started beyond Fruit Growers Boulevard and crews are currently working it. Fixed and rotary wing aircraft have been utilized this afternoon.</p>
<p>Dixie Fire Evacuation Map</p>  <p>Damage Assessment Map</p> <p>Recovery Info</p>	<p>For more information on the Dixie Fire, click the following links:</p> <p>CAL FIRE Website- https://www.fire.ca.gov/incidents USFS Information- https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7690/</p> <p>**Refer to the Evacuation Map for up-to-date notices. All evacuation zones may not be listed on this fact sheet.</p> <p>Dixie Fire Structure Status Map (CAL FIRE)https://tinyurl.com/2m9en9t4</p> <p>Plumas County Recovery Information: https://tinyurl.com/c8c8s5rd</p>
<p>Plumas County Evacuation Orders</p>	<p><u>PLUMAS COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rush Creek • Silver Lake (west of Meadow Valley) • Caribou Rd north to the Humbug Rd and Humboldt Rd intersection • This includes Belden Reservoir and Butt Valley Reservoir • Prattville Butt Reservoir Road and everything west to the Butte/Plumas County line • Humbug Road from the intersection of the Humbug-Humboldt Road west to the Butte County line and everything south of the Humbug Road in under a Mandatory Evacuation Order. • The community of Seneca south to Hwy70 • Round Valley Reservoir, Dixie Canyon, Indian Falls • Long Valley (west of Round Valley), Dixie Canyon south to Indian Falls, south of Indian Falls to the Hwy 70/89 Junction. • Dixie Mountain, north to the Plumas Lassen County Line, to include, Jordan Flats, Ferris Flat, Fitch Canyon and Cottonwood Mountain. • Northwest of Round Valley Lake to Long Valley Mine and north to Hwy 89 • Hwy 70 at Black Hawk Rd, south to Barlow Rd and everything west to Snake Lake • Everything west of Hwy 89/36 Junction

**Plumas County
Orders Cont.**

- West along the south side of Hwy 36 to the County Line and south of Hwy 36 to rock lake and west to the County Line.
- ALL OF GENESEE VALLEY, southeast of Taylorsville up the Genesee Rd to just south of Babcock Crossing, Walker Mine Road, north portion of Beckwouth Genesee Road.
- The unpopulated area of Babcock Crossing, Elephants Playground, and Murdock Crossing areas. This includes Beckwourth-Genesee at Clover Creek Loop, North to area of Drum Bridge, North to area of Babcock crossing. East to Big Flat Spring, South to 25N05, West to Beckwourth Genesee road.
- South of Antelope Lake and northeast of Genesee Valley.
- Greenville
- Community of Greenville, south along Hwy 89 to Stampfli Lane and along North Valley Rd.
- Canyon Dam
- West Shore of Lake Almanor, Prattville, includes "LAW", Prattville, Big Meadows, Rocky Point Campground, and the Canyon Dam Boat Launch.
- East Shore of Lake Almanor
- East Shore of Hwy 147 from Canyon Dam north to the Hwy 147 and County Road A-13 intersection. East of Hwy 147 at CO A-13, to little Dyer Mtn, southeast to Dyer Mtn. NEW roadblock at Hwy 147 and Old Haun Road.
- North and Eastern parts of Indian Valley, from upper Williams Valley and upper Pecks Valley east to include all portions of North Valley Rd, Diamond Mtn Rd, and North Arm.
- From the Hwy 89/Hwy 36 Junction, north along Stover Mtn. Rd to the County Line and west from the Hwy 89/Hwy 36 Junction along the south side of the highway to the County Line.
- Chester, from the Hwy 36/Hwy 89 Junction, east to the causeway, both sides of Hwy 36 through Chester to the Lake Almanor edge and to north to the County Line.
- Lake Almanor Peninsula
- Hamilton Branch
- Heart "K" Ranch, Includes Taylor Diggins Mine, north to Engel Mine, east to Lower Lone Rock, south to the border to Zone 28, west to the Taylor Diggins Mine.
- Lone Rock, Includes Moonlight Valley, Engel Mine, Lone Rock Valley, and a portion of Growers Blvd. USFS Rd. 28N32 intersection of Plumas/Lassen line, and east to Diamond Mountain area, south to Lone Rock.
- Antelope, includes the area surrounding Antelope Lake, North to the Plumas/Lassen Line as well as East to the Plumas Lassen Line, including Fruit Growers Blvd USFS Road 28N32, Indian Creek Road, Diamond Mountain Way the area of Thompson Creek and Boulder Creek.

**Evacuation
Warning Plumas
County**

PLUMAS COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS

- High Lakes (Plumas County) Recreational area of Plumas County east of the Butte/Plumas Countyline
- Butterfly Valley, Keddie to Hwy 70 at Black Hawk Rd, Snake Lake
- This includes Spanish Creek Campground, Round House Rd Old Highway W.
- East side of Keddie, Round House Road and Old Hwy (WEST)
- Hwy 70 at Black Hawk Rd, south to Barlow Rd and everything west to Snake Lake
- Mt. Hough, from north of Quincy to south of Arlington Road
- Oakland Camp
- Crescent Mills
- Taylorsville
- Plumas/Butte County line east to Twain
- Includes both sides of Hwy 70 in the areas of Rock Creek, Storrie.
- Tobin, Belden, Caribou Rich Bar, and Twain. DOES NOT INCLUDE RUSH CREEK RD

Plumas County Website: <https://www.plumascounty.us>

Sheriff Website: <https://plumascounty.us/587/Sheriff-Coroner>

Sheriff Dixie Fire Information:

<https://plumascounty.us/2868/Dixie-Fire-Information>

Sheriff Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/plumascountysheriff>

Plumas National Forest: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/plumas>

**Evacuation
Orders Butte
County**

BUTTE COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS

None

**Evacuation
Warning Butte
County**

BUTTE COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS

- Butte Meadows. This will include Humboldt Rd at Thatcher Ridge, up to Cherry Hill Campgrounds, north to the Butte/Tehama County lines.
- Jonesville area. The Warning will encompass State Route 32 at the Butte/Tehama County line, east to the area of Cherry Hill Campground, southeast to Snag Lake, southwest to Skyway at Bull Creek, north along Skyway to Humboldt Road.
- Snag Lake area. This will include Humbug Summit Rd at the Butte/Plumas County lines, southwest across Snag Lake to Humbug Summit Rd and Skyway. This warning includes the area surrounding High Lakes Rd near the Carr Mine.
- Lake Philbrook area. This area includes Philbrook Lake south to Browns Ravine Rd just east of 25 N22, east to the Butte/Plumas County lines.



**Evacuation Order
Lassen County**

LASSEN COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS

- Bizz Johnson Trail area south of Hwy 36 from Thumper Hill east to Miller Crossing and south to Bauer Rd
- Janesville area west of Hwy 395 from the Bass Hill area south to Janesville Grade including the Janesville side of Wingfield Rd and west to the County Line
- South of Hwy 36 from Devil's Corral east to Britt Ln and Thumper Hill and south to Cheney Creek Rd.
- Janesville west of Hwy 395 from Janesville Grade south to Mill St just before Milford Grade.
- West of Mildford Grade south to the County Ln.
- Susan River Canyon/Cheney Creek area south of Hwy 36 from Willard Hill east to Korver Rd and south to the intersection of Cheney Cr. Rd and dirt Gold Run Rd.
- Clear Creek, Westwood, and Pine Town area south of Hwy 36 from the Lassen County line east to Moonlight Ranch Rd.
- Lassen National Forest south of Hwy 36 to the Lassen County line including Hamilton Mtn., Coyote Peak, and Indicator Peak.
- Walker Lake area south of Moonlight Rd.
- Area east of Mtn. Meadows Reservoir and south of Hwy 36 to Coppervale.
- South of Hwy. 44 from the County line east to McCoy Flat and south to Hwy 36 including Silver Lake, Juniper Lake, and the Caribou Wilderness Area.
- North of Hwy. 36 east of A21.

**Evacuation
Warning Lassen
County**

LASSEN COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS

- The area west of Richmond Rd and south of Hwy 36 from Thumper Hill east to S Weatherlow St and south to Gold Run Rd
- West of Richmond Rd from Gold Run Rd south to Childrens Rd but not including roads immediately adjacent to the Golf Course
- East of Hwy 395 from Baxter Creek, south of Sunnyside Rd, not to include Sunnyside Rd. south to the Herlong Access Rd A25.
- South of Hwy 36 from Devil's Corral east to Britt Ln and Thumper Hill and south to Cheney Creek Rd
- Diamond Mountain area from Forest Service Rd 29NO2 south to the Lassen County line
- West of Hwy 395 from Janesville Grade south to the Stuart Ln. intersection and west to the Lassen County line.
- Janesville area west of Hwy 395 from Bass Hill to Janesville Grade west to the Lassen County line including the area south of Bass Hill and the dirt portion of Wingfield Rd on the Janesville Side.
- Area south of Hwy 44, north of Hwy 36, west to Hog Flat Reservoir.

**Lassen County
Resources**



Lassen County Damage Inspection Map: <https://arcg.is/0GvCeX>

Lassen County Web site: <http://www.co.lassen.ca.us>

Sheriff Website: <https://tinyurl.com/sy9frpx6>

Sheriff Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/LassenSheriff>

**Evacuation
Orders Tehama
County**

Lassen National Forest: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/lassen>

TEHAMA COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS

- **TEH- B17 and C17- Evacuation Order** for the area of Childs Meadows/HighlandsResort. This will include **subzones 228 and 227 Area of Mill Creek, south of Lassen Volcanic Park**
- **TEH-1 (D18, D19, E18, E19)- Evacuation Order** for the St. Bernard's Lodgeand Elam-Carter Creek areas.
- **TEH-1 (D17)- Evacuation Order** for the Wilson Creek, Slate Creek, and Area of Mill Creek, south of Lassen Volcanic Park
- **TEH- C18- Evacuation Order** for the area of Wilson Lake.
- **TEH-C19- Evacuation Order** for the area to the east of Wilson Lake, to theTehama/Plumas County line.

**Evacuation
Warnings Tehama
County**

TEHAMA COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS

- **TEH- C16- Evacuation Warning** for the area of Fire Mountain Lodge. Thiswill include subzones 221, 222, 223, 224,225, 226, 228.
- **Zone B16 Evacuation Warning** The area north of Mineral
- **Note: The town of Mineral is still under an Evacuation Warning**
- **T Zone 1- Evacuation Warning** to include the area of Colby Creek. The order will begin at the Butte and Tehama County line, west along the TehamaCounty Line to the intersection with SR32, north along the SR32 corridor to the intersection with SR36, from the intersection with SR32 and SR36, east along SR36 to the intersection with Plumas and Tehama County Line.

**Tehama County
Resources**



Tehama County Website: <https://www.co.tehama.ca.us/>

Sheriff Website: <https://tehamaso.org/>

Tehama Alert: <https://tehamaso.org/tehama-alert/>

Tehama Evacuation Map: <https://tinyurl.com/2adkfc8>

Shelter Locations

Plumas County/Lassen County

- Springs of Hope Church at 59 Bell Ln. in Quincy (max capacity inside)
- Lassen Community College 478-200 CA-139, Susanville, CA
- Holy Family Catholic Church 108 Taylor Ave. Portola, CA

NOTE: The Lassen High School shelter has closed

<p>National Forest Closures</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N. Valley Road northbound @ Stampfli Lane • Indian Falls Road @ SR-89. No traffic into Indian Falls. SR-89 is open • N. Valley Road northbound @ Nelson Street
<p>Evacuee Campsites</p>	<p>The Lassen National Forest (LNF) implemented Forest Order 06-21-08 as of August 12, 2021 (Dixie Fire Closure Order) to protect public health and safety through November 30, 2021. For additional information, visit the LNF Website: http://www.fs.usda.gov/lassen</p> <p>Lassen National Forest -Eagle Lake and Hat Creek Campsites available for evacuees. Contact Brian.newman@usda.gov or call 530-338-8745. Evacuees need to check in with the campsite's hosts. Before you go, make sure the campgrounds are not under any evacuation warnings.</p>
<p>National Forest Closures</p>	<p>The Plumas National Forest (PNF) implemented Forest Order 05-11-00-21-15 as of July 16, 2021 (Dixie Fire Closure Order) to protect public health and safety. For additional information, visit the PNF Website: https://www.fs.usda.gov/plumas</p>
<p>Lassen Volcanic National Park</p>	<p>Forest Order 05-11-00-21-16 (Phases 1 and 2 Expanded Dixie Fire Emergency Area, Road, Trail, and Developed Recreation Site Closure Order) https://tinyurl.com/74hf8rk3</p> <p>All of Lassen National Park is closed to all access due to the Dixie Fire.</p>

ASSIGNED RESOURCES

Engines: 516	Water Tenders: 186	Helicopters: 20	Hand Crews: 103	Dozers: 203
Other:		Total Personnel: 5,963		
<p>Numerous firefighting air tankers from throughout the State are flying fire suppression missions as conditions allow.</p>				

Cooperating Agencies: Butte County Sheriff's Office, Plumas County Sheriff's Office, Lassen County Sheriff's Office, Tehama County Sheriff's Office, Shasta County Sheriff's Office, CHP, PG&E, CAL OES, CAL-EMSA, California National Guard, California Conservation Corps, CAL TRANS, Sierra Pacific Industries, W.M. Beaty and Associates, Collins Pine, California Department of Corrections, Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad, Union Pacific Railroad

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