



# DIXIE FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 08/29/2021 Time: 7:00 p.m.



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Incident Website: [www.fire.ca.gov](http://www.fire.ca.gov)  
Email Sign-Up: [tinyurl.com/dbdhsfd3](http://tinyurl.com/dbdhsfd3)

## INCIDENT FACTS

<b>Incident Start Date:</b> 7/13/2021		<b>Incident Start Time:</b> 5:15 p.m.	
<b>Incident Type:</b> Vegetation		<b>Cause:</b> Under Investigation	
<b>Incident Location:</b> Feather River Canyon near Cresta Powerhouse			
<b>CAL FIRE Unit:</b> Butte, Lassen-Modoc, Tehama			
<b>Unified Command Agencies:</b> CAL FIRE, United States Forest Service, National Park Service			
<b>Size:</b> 765,635 acres	<b>Containment:</b> 48%	<b>Expected Full Containment:</b> TBD	
<b>First Responder Fatalities:</b> 0		<b>First Responder Injuries:</b> 3	
<b>Civilian Fatalities:</b> 0		<b>Civilian Injuries:</b> 0	
<b>Structures Threatened:</b> 11,479	<b>Single Residences Destroyed:</b> 685		<b>Single Residences Damaged:</b> 52
	<b>Multiple Residences Destroyed:</b> 8		<b>Multiple Residences Damaged:</b> 4
	<b>Non-residential Commercial Destroyed:</b> 139		<b>Non-residential Commercial Damaged:</b> 10
	<b>Other Minor Structures Destroyed:</b> 437		<b>Other Minor Structures Damaged:</b> 26
	<b>Mixed Commercial/Residential Destroyed:</b> 8		<b>Mixed Commercial/Residential Damaged:</b> 0
<b>Total Destroyed:</b> 1,277			
<b>Total Damaged:</b> 92			

## CURRENT SITUATION

### Current Situation





**Dixie Fire West Zone:** As winds increase overnight and into the next couple of days, extreme fire behavior can be expected. Firefighters continue to patrol fire lines, reinforce primary control lines, and establish secondary and contingency lines. Fire continues to burn in steep and rugged terrain. Firefighters continue to aggressively fight fire to protect assets. Cooperating agencies continue to work for the safety of crews, including scouting for roadway repairs, infrastructure needs and removal of dangerous trees and vegetation.

### Incident Videos



Certain evacuation orders have been reduced to warnings and certain warnings have been lifted allowing some residents to return to their homes and businesses. Returning residents are strongly encouraged to stay vigilant with regard to current fire conditions. Residents may see smoke coming from trees and stumps for days following their return. Proceed with caution. Burned out areas have unseen hazards below ground and overhead. Residents are encouraged to call 911 if they are concerned about any active flames near

<p><b>Current Situation</b></p>	<p>their homes or businesses rather than attempting to deal with such flames themselves.</p> <p><b>Dixie Fire East Zone:</b> As this afternoon’s inversion layer lifted, the fire became very active along the Grizzly Ridge, Ward Creek areas moving southeast towards Mount Ingle. This sent up a column of smoke that could be seen for miles. Fire Crews continued to work to box it in and push it up to the Walker fire scar. Everything east of the Genesee Valley remains secure and mop up continues with tactical patrols looking for hot spots. From the Genesee Valley into Taylorsville crews continue aggressively mopping up and widening the protection zones around structures. Resources have completed several contingency lines between the fire and Quincy, Greenhorn, and communities further south. Crews continue to build contingency lines north of Lake Davis to protect the homes. Current southwest winds with gusts to 25 mph are expected to significantly strengthen into Red Flag warnings.</p>
<p><b>Dixie Fire Evacuation Map</b></p>  <p><b>Damage Assessment Map</b></p> <p><b>Recovery Info</b></p>	<p>For more information on the Dixie Fire, click the following links:</p> <p><b>CAL FIRE Website-</b> <a href="https://www.fire.ca.gov/incidents">https://www.fire.ca.gov/incidents</a>  <b>USFS Information-</b> <a href="https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7690/">https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7690/</a></p> <p><b>**Refer to the Evacuation Map for up-to-date notices. All evacuation zones may not be listed on this fact sheet.</b></p> <p><b>Dixie Fire Structure Status Map (CAL FIRE)</b> <a href="https://tinyurl.com/2m9en9t4">https://tinyurl.com/2m9en9t4</a></p> <p>Plumas County Recovery Information: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/c8c8s5rd">https://tinyurl.com/c8c8s5rd</a></p>
<p><b>Plumas County Evacuation Orders</b></p> <p><b>Dixie Fire Plumas County Fire Information</b></p> 	<p><b><u>PLUMAS COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• East side of Mt. Hough, east to Tower Rock and the south edge of Genesee. Includes Emigrant Rd. (PLU Zone 16A)</li> <li>• Taylorsville (PLU Zone: 15A)</li> <li>• Ingalis South of Beckwourth Genesee Rd to the NW side of Lake Davis along Grizzly Ridge to the west and including the Walker Mine. (PLU Zone: 33)</li> <li>• Manzanita area (PLU Zone 38)</li> <li>• Swain area (PLU Zone 39)</li> <li>• Harkness and Sifford area (PLU Zone 041)</li> <li>• Grizzly/Tower   Beckwourth Genesee Rd south of Antelope Lake Rd to Grizzly Ridge and North of Argentine Lookout. (PLU Zone: 21)</li> <li>• Prattville Butt Reservoir Road and everything west to the Butte/Plumas County line. (PLU Zone: 4B)</li> <li>• Humbug Road from the intersection of the Humbug-Humboldt Road west to the Butte County line and everything south of the Humbug Road</li> </ul>

**Plumas County**

- in under a Mandatory Evacuation Order. (PLU Zone: 006)
- Hwy 36 south to the west side of Hwy 89, including Mud Lake, Soldiers Meadow and Shanhai Creek area, south to Humbug Road and west to Butte County line (PLU Zone 006A)
- Long Valley (west of Round Valley), Dixie Canyon south to Indian Falls, south of Indian Falls to the Hwy 70/89 Junction.
- Northwest of Round Valley Lake to Long Valley Mine and north to Hwy 89
- Everything west of Hwy 89/36 Junction (PLU Zone: 007)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 027)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 031)
- South of Antelope Lake and northeast of Genesee Valley. (PLU Zone: 030)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 013)
- Greenville Crescent Mills area (PLU Zone 014)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 007)
- Chester Juniper Lake Road north, Hwy 312 northwest, Forest Road 28N61 northwest (PLU Zone 008A)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 020)
- 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. (PLU Zone: 019)
- 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 & Boulder Creek. (PLU Zone: 030)

**Evacuation  
Warning Plumas  
County**

**PLUMAS COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS**

- Residents of Diamond Mtn are under Evacuation Warning and can go as far as Lights Creek Lane. (PLU Zone: 018B)
- Mt. Hough north of Quincy to south of Arlington Road and Oakland Campground area. (PLU Zone: 016B)
- Hwy 70 at Black Hawk Rd, south to Barlow Rd and everything west to Snake Lake (PLU Zone: 012B)
- Crescent Mills (PLU Zone: 014A)
- Includes both sides of Hwy 70 in the areas of Rock Creek, Storrie. –
- Round Valley Reservoir, Dixie Canyon, Indian Falls (PLU Zone: 011)
- Dixie Mountain, north to the Plumas Lassen County Line, to include, Jordan Flats, Ferris Flat, Fitch Canyon and Cottonwood Mountain. (PLU Zone: 034)
- East of Hwy 147 at CO A-13, to little Dyer Mtn, southeast to Dyer Mtn. (PLU Zone: 010)
- North of Mt. Hough, west of Taylorsville (PLU Zone 15)
- Sugar Loaf | Frenchman Road near Bloomer Lake Road, north to the county line, and the Plumas side of Doyle Grade. (PLU Zone: 43A)
- The north side of Chandler Road from Quincy Jct. Rd east to Hwy 70 and the north side of Hwy 70 from Chandler Rd east to just west of Massack [PLU Zone 17-D and 17-C]
- Hwy 70 at Massack, east to the east side of Lee Summit and everything north of those locations to the area of Argentine Rock and the south boundary of Zone 21. This includes Greenhorn and the north side of Spring Garden [PLU Zone 22A]
- Caribou Rd north to the Humbug Rd and Humboldt Rd intersection This includes Belden Reservoir and Butt Valley Reservoir (PLU Zone: 003)
- The community of Seneca south to Hwy70 (PLU Zone: 004A)


**Evacuation  
Orders Butte  
County**



**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  
Warning Butte  
County**

**BUTTE COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS**

None

<p><b>Evacuation Warning Butte County</b></p> <p><b>Dixie Fire Butte County Fire Information</b></p> 	<p><b><u>BUTTE COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Butte Meadows. This will include Humboldt Rd at Thatcher Ridge, up to Cherry Hill Campgrounds, north to the Butte/Tehama County lines.</li> <li>• 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.</li> <li>• 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.</li> <li>• 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.</li> </ul> <p><b>Butte County Website:</b> <a href="http://www.buttecounty.net/">http://www.buttecounty.net/</a></p> <p><b>Sheriff Website:</b> <a href="http://www.buttecounty.net/sheriffcoroner">http://www.buttecounty.net/sheriffcoroner</a></p> <p><b>Sheriff Facebook:</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/bcsonews">https://www.facebook.com/bcsonews</a></p> <p><b>Sheriff Twitter:</b> @ButteSheriff</p> <p><b>Evacuation Map:</b> <a href="https://tinyurl.com/4nm69873">https://tinyurl.com/4nm69873</a></p>
<p><b>Evacuation Orders Lassen County</b></p> <p><b>Evacuation Warnings Lassen County</b></p>	<p><b><u>LASSEN COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North of Hwy 36 south of Hwy 44 from the Lassen County Line east to Devil’s Corral – Zones LAS-E027-A, E029-A, E028</li> <li>• The area south of Hwy 44 from the Lassen County line east to McCoy Flat including Silver Lake, Juniper Lake, and the Caribou Wilderness Area – Zone LAS-E031A&amp;B</li> <li>• South of Hwy 36 south and east of Mtn Meadows Reservoir east to Coppervale – Zones LAS-E019, E018, E026, E017-A</li> <li>• Janesville and Milford east of the Plumas County Ln from Janesville Grade south to Milford Grade along the mountain side (unpopulated area) Zones LAS-E012-K, E010-B, C, F</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Evacuation Warnings remain in place for:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Janesville and Milford west of Hwy 395 from Janesville Grade south to Milford Grade and west to the base of the mountains (unpopulated area) Zones LAS-E012-F,J LAS-E010-G&amp;H LAS-E010A, D, E and LAS-E009-B</li> <li>• Milford west (mountain side) of Hwy 395 from Milford Grade south to the intersection of County Rd A26 Garnier Rd - Zones LAS-E009-A and E001-A</li> </ul>

<p><b>Evacuation Warnings Lassen County</b></p> <p><b>Lassen County Resources</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• South of Hwy 36 from Devil's Corral east to Korver Rd and south to Gold Run Rd Zone LAS-E016-G</li> <li>• Clear Creek, Westwood, and Pine Town area south of Hwy 36 from the Lassen County line east to the Willard Hill area – Zones LAS-E020, EO23, E027-B, E029-B</li> <li>• Bizz Johnson Trail area south of Hwy 36 from Thumper Hill east to Miller Crossing and south to Bauer Rd – Zone LAS-016-B, D, E</li> <li>• Willard Creek Rd south of Hwy 36 and Korver Rd from Hwy 36 south to the fork of Korver Rd – Zones LAS-E016-A and E017-C</li> <li>• Area south of Hwy 44, north of Hwy 36, west to Hog Flat Reservoir – Zones LAS-E030-A &amp; B</li> </ul> <p>Lassen County Damage Inspection Map: <a href="https://arcg.is/0GvCeX">https://arcg.is/0GvCeX</a>  Lassen County Web site: <a href="http://www.co.lassen.ca.us">http://www.co.lassen.ca.us</a>  Sheriff Website: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/sy9frpx6">https://tinyurl.com/sy9frpx6</a>  Sheriff Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/LassenSheriff">https://www.facebook.com/LassenSheriff</a>  Lassen National Forest: <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/lassen">https://www.fs.usda.gov/lassen</a></p>
<p><b>Evacuation Orders Tehama County</b></p> <p><b>Evacuation Warnings Tehama County</b></p> <p><b>Dixie Fire Tehama County Fire Information</b></p> 	<p><b><u>TEHAMA COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TEH C16- Subzones 223, 224 and 228. The area of Mill Creek, Childs Meadows and Fire Mountain Lodge remain in an evacuation order.</li> <li>• TEH D16</li> <li>• TEH C18- _for the area of Wilson Lake.</li> <li>• THE C19- _for the area to the east of Wilson Lake, to the Tehama/Plumas County line.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>TEHAMA COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TEH B17 and C17- for the area of Childs Meadows/Highlands Resort. This will include subzones 228 and 227 Area of Mill Creek, south of Lassen Volcanic Park</li> <li>• TEH 1 (D17)- for the Wilson Creek, Slate Creek, and Area of Mill Creek, south of Lassen Volcanic Park</li> <li>• TEH 1 (D18, D19, E18, E19)- for the St. Bernard's Lodge and Elam-Carter Creek areas.</li> <li>• T Zone 1- Includes the area of Colby Creek. The order will begin at the Butte and Tehama County line, west along the Tehama County 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.</li> </ul>

<p><b>Tehama County Resources</b></p>  <p><b>Evacuation Orders Shasta County</b></p> <p><b>Evacuation Warnings Shasta County</b></p>	<p>Tehama County Website: <a href="https://www.co.tehama.ca.us/">https://www.co.tehama.ca.us/</a>  Sheriff Website: <a href="https://tehamaso.org/">https://tehamaso.org/</a>  Tehama Alert: <a href="https://tehamaso.org/tehama-alert/">https://tehamaso.org/tehama-alert/</a>  Tehama Evacuation Map: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/2adkfc8">https://tinyurl.com/2adkfc8</a></p> <p><b><u>SHASTA COUNTY EVACUATION ORDERS</u></b>  Hat Creek Rim east to the Shasta County Line and south of SR-44</p> <p><b><u>SHASTA COUNTY EVACUATION WARNINGS</u></b>  The areas of Hat Creek and Old Station for both sides of SR-44 from Big Pines Road north of Brians Way</p>
<p><b>Shelter Locations</b></p> <p><b>Animal Shelters</b></p> <p><b>Wildlife Rescue</b></p> <p><b>Road Closures</b></p>	<p>Plumas County/Lassen County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Holy Family Catholic Church 108 Taylor Ave. Portola, CA</li> </ul> <p>American Red Cross Public Information Line: (855) 755-7711</p> <p>Plumas County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plumas County Fairgrounds 204 Fairground Road, Quincy (large animals)</li> <li>201 Mill Creek Rd. Quincy (small animals)</li> <li>Recreation Center 101 Meadowbrook Lane, Chester</li> </ul> <p>Tehama County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tehama County Complex 1830 Walnut Street, Red Bluff (large and small animals)</li> </ul> <p>Wildlife Disaster network</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Response for injured wildlife: 1-800-942-6459</li> <li>Gold Country Wildlife Rescue: 1-530-885-0862</li> </ul> <p><i>Public traveling in or near evacuated areas should follow egress route directions identified in the evacuation notifications. Directions provided by mobile devices and GPS units could lead drivers into hazardous areas. Motorists are encouraged to call 1-800-427-7623 for highway information as roadway conditions remain dynamic.</i></p> <p><b><u>Tehama County</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SR-36 eastbound @ SR-89 (Lassen Volcanic National Park entrance)</li> <li>SR-172 eastbound (Westside-Mineral) @ SR-36</li> <li>SR-36 westbound @ SR-32</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Shasta County</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lassen Volcanic National Park (LVNP) is closed.</li> </ul>

<p><b>Road Closures</b></p>	<p><b><u>Lassen County</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SR-36 @ SR-44</li> <li>• SR-36 east of the town of Westwood @ the “Old Chimney” landmark. No eastbound SR-36 traffic.</li> <li>• Janesville Grade @ “Granite Lookout.”</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Plumas County</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indian Falls Road @ SR-89. No westbound Indian Falls Road traffic.</li> <li>• Greenville Wolf Creek Road just west of SR-89. No westbound Greenville Wolf Creek Road traffic.</li> <li>• Pecks Valley Road northbound @ North Valley Road eastbound.</li> <li>• North Valley Road northbound @ North Arm Road.</li> <li>• Dixie Valley Road @ SR-89. No northbound Dixie Valley Road traffic.</li> <li>• Arlington Road eastbound at Viacava Ranch Road. No eastbound Arlington Road traffic.</li> <li>• Main Street both directions @ SR-89</li> <li>• Beckwourth Genesee Road westbound @ Antelope Road</li> </ul>
<p><b>National Forest Closures</b></p>	<p>USDA Forest Service has temporarily closed nine Northern California National Forests for Public Safety. <u>(See Regional Order No. 21-04: Emergency Forest Closure and Press Release)</u> The closure order includes 1. Tahoe National Forest, 2. Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit, 3. Plumas National Forest, 4. Lassen National Forest, 5. Mendocino National Forest, 6. Klamath National Forest, 7. Six Rivers National Forest, 8. Shasta-Trinity National Forest, and 9. Modoc National Forest.</p> <p>See <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/fseprd945702.pdf">https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/fseprd945702.pdf</a>  <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r5/news-events/?cid=FSEPRD945706">https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r5/news-events/?cid=FSEPRD945706</a></p>
<p><b>Bureau of Land Management</b></p>	<p>The Bizz Johnson National Recreation Trail near Susanville, as the Bureau of Land Management has rescinded a temporary emergency closure associated with the Dixie Fire. Also reopened are the Hobo Camp and Devil’s Corral trailheads and all other BLM-managed lands that were affected by the emergency closure that went into effect Aug. 16. This includes BLM-managed lands south of California Highway 36, west of U. S. 395. and north and east of the Lassen National Forest boundary.</p>
<p><b>Evacuee Campsites</b></p>	<p>Lassen National Forest -Eagle Lake and Hat Creek Campsites available for evacuees. Contact <a href="mailto:Brian.newman@usda.gov">Brian.newman@usda.gov</a> 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><b>Lassen Volcanic National Park</b></p>	<p>All of Lassen National Park is closed to all access due to the Dixie Fire.</p>



<b>ASSIGNED RESOURCES</b>				
<b>Engines:</b> 328	<b>Water Tenders:</b> 141	<b>Helicopters:</b> 19	<b>Hand Crews:</b> 58	<b>Dozers:</b> 88
<b>Other:</b>		<b>Total Personnel:</b> 3,817		
<b>Air Tankers:</b>	Numerous firefighting air tankers from throughout the State are flying fire suppression missions as conditions allow.			
<b>Cooperating Agencies:</b> 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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