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## Red Salmon Complex UPDATE

Friday, October 9, 2020



Total Acres	Containment	Crews	Engines	Dozers	Helicopters	Water Tenders	Total Personnel
<b>139,965</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>909</b>

*The Red Salmon Complex is 14 miles north of Willow Creek, CA burning on the Klamath, Six Rivers, and Shasta-Trinity National Forests. Northwest Incident Management Team 10 (Alan Lawson) is managing the incident and is working with the Hoopa, Yurok, and Karuk Tribes.*

**WILLOW CREEK** – Yesterday, crews accomplished a significant amount of structure protection around Godfrey Ranch and set up point protection around Blue Ridge Ranch and Black Bear Ranch. Firefighters continued to patrol and mop up along the Cecilville Road and reinforce indirect lines to protect the communities of Cecilville, Summerville, and Denny.

**Safety:** Expect temporary closures of the Cecilville Road due to firefighting operations. A Temporary Flight Restriction is in place over the entire Red Salmon fire area, which includes drones. Remember: If you fly, we can't. If any drones are seen in the area, firefighting aircraft will be grounded.

**Weather and Fire Behavior:** A series of upper troughs will start to move over the region today and continue through the weekend with mostly cloudy skies, cooler temperatures and higher humidities, along with gusty southwest winds. A slight chance of rain is expected Friday evening and will increase to 60% on Saturday. This change in weather will help clear smoke that has persisted for weeks.

**Today's Operations:** North and northeast flank: Crews will monitor and maintain structure protection systems around the communities of Godfrey, Blue Ridge and Black Bear. Firefighters will continue to mop up along the Cecilville Road and conduct defensive burning from Mazzuchi Road northwest towards Hotelling Ridge.

Southeast and south flank: Continue defensive burning operations along the East Fork of the New River and structure protection around Miller Ranch. Monitor and hold the fireline along Horse Linto Creek.

West flank: Mop up and secure line in the Colgrove Branch drainage and begin fire suppression repair on hand and dozer fire lines, roads, trails, staging areas, safety zones and drop points to minimize potential soil erosion.

**Evacuation Warnings remain for** and Denny ([www.trinitycounty.org/OES](http://www.trinitycounty.org/OES)) and Forks of Salmon, Cecilville, and nearby residences ([www.co.siskiyou.ca.us/sheriff](http://www.co.siskiyou.ca.us/sheriff)).

**Closures:** Areas and roads within and near the fire perimeter on the Klamath, Six Rivers, and Trinity National Forests are closed. More information is available on forest websites: [www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/klamath/alerts-notices](http://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/klamath/alerts-notices) | [www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/srmf/alerts-notices](http://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/srmf/alerts-notices) | [www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/stnf/alerts-notices](http://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/stnf/alerts-notices).