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## Umpqua North Complex Update



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**Inciweb:** <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/5505/>

**Incident:** During the week of August 9<sup>th</sup>, lightning started dozens of fires across the northern Umpqua National Forest along both sides of State Route 138 east of Roseburg in Douglas County, Oregon.

**Incident Command:** Alaska Interagency Incident Management Team, Tom Kurth, Incident Commander.

**Current Size:** 1,410 acres

**Containment:** 0%

**Current Resources:** Crews: 6, Engines: 6, Dozers: 1, Total Personnel: 191

### **Current Situation:**

**Dry Creek Level 3 Evacuation Dropped to Level 2, Effective August 15, 2017**

The Douglas County Sheriff's Office, in coordination with the Umpqua North Complex Fire Managers, **lowered** the Level 3 Evacuation Notice for the Dry Creek area effective today.

### **Changes in the closure of the North Umpqua River**

Floating on and fishing along the North Umpqua River between Steamboat/Gravel Bin take-out and Susan Creek **remains closed** due to rolling debris and falling trees. The section of the river between Boulder Creek and Steamboat/Gravel Bin take-out has been **reopened**, effective today, August 15, 2017.

### **Road shoulder and pullout closures along Highway 138**

The road shoulders and pullouts between Mile Posts 31 to 35 and Mile Posts 45 to 50.5 of the State Highway 138 East, also known as the North Umpqua Highway, are being closed to protect public and firefighter safety. The road remains open to through traffic. Please drive with extra care on this highway.

**A Community Meeting** will be held Tuesday, August 15, at 7 p.m. at the Glide Community Center, 20062 N. Umpqua Highway, Glide. Agency representatives and the Alaska Team will provide an update on the fires and answer questions.

The Umpqua National Forest has announced the following closures in the Umpqua North and Diamond Lake Ranger Districts.

**Umpqua North Complex Closure Area:** See attached map.

### **National Forest System (NFS) Roads:**

NFS Road No. 4750 and all roads within the area closure listed above. NFS Road No. 2800-620

**Trails:** Trail No. 1414- The North Umpqua Trail, from the Forest Service boundary to the Mott & Panther Trailheads on NFS Road No. 4712, Trail No. 1502 - Fall Creek Falls Trail, Trail No. 1513 - Williams Creek Trail, Trail No. 1530 - Riverview Trail, Trail No. 1510 - Deception Trail, Trail No. 1521, Twin Lakes Loop, Trail No. 1500, Twin Lakes Trail.

**Recreation Sites:** Steamboat Falls Campground, Wright Creek Campground, and Horseshoe Bend Campground.

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