



SADDLE RIDGE FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 10/16/19 **Time:** 7:00 PM

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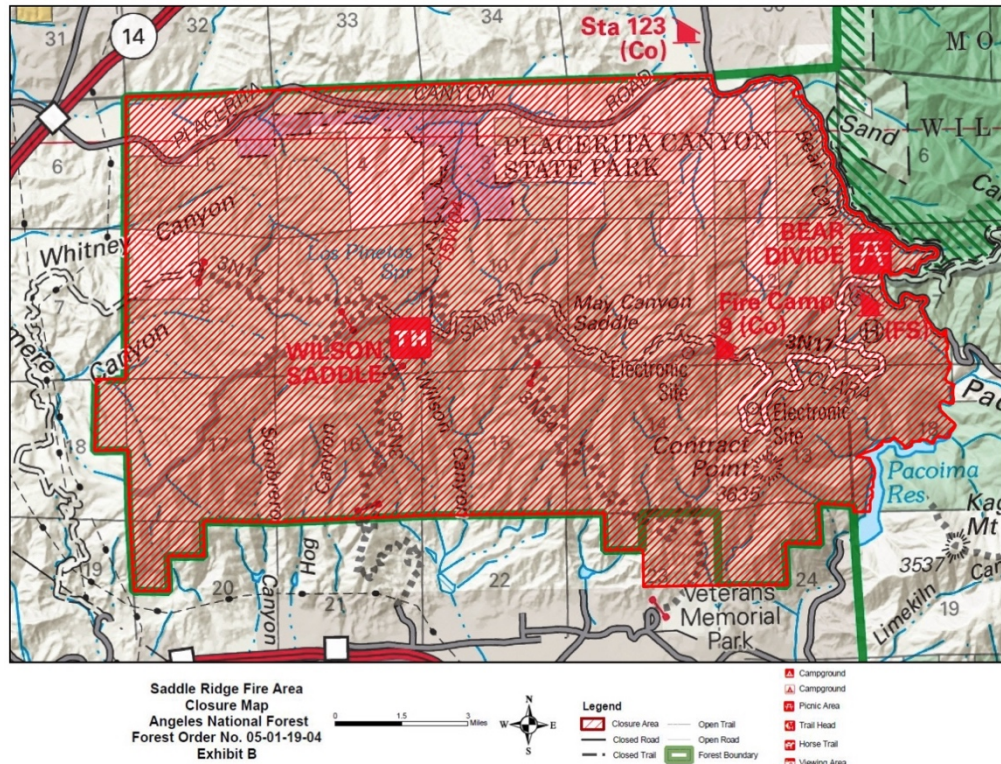
Websites: LAFD.org/News, fire.LACounty.gov, fs.usda.gov/angeles

INCIDENT FACTS			
Incident Start Date: 10/10/2019		Incident Start Time: 9:02 PM	
Incident Type: Brush Fire		Cause: Under Investigation	
Incident Location: 210 FWY/Yarnell Street, Los Angeles			
Unified Command: LAFD, LACoFD, USFS			
Size: Approx. 8391 Acres	Containment: 52%	Full Containment: TBD	
Civilian Fatalities: 1	Civilian Injuries: TBD	1 st Responder Injuries: 8	1 st Responder Fatalities: 0
Structures Previously Threatened: 17,627	Structures Damaged: 88	Structures Destroyed: 19	

CURRENT SITUATION	
Current Situation:	<p>Firefighters will work through the night in rugged terrain throughout the burn area to increase containment lines. Tactical patrols will remain in place to monitor the area for smoldering debris. Winds between 20 -35 mph are expected Thursday morning with a chance for Red Flag conditions this weekend. Crews will take advantage of the conditions tonight to make progress and bolster containment lines.</p> <p>The cause of the Saddle Ridge Fire remains under active investigation.</p> <p>Visit https://bit.ly/31nejm3 for more information regarding the Aliso Canyon Natural Gas Storage Facility</p>
Local Assistance Center:	<p>The City of Los Angeles, in partnership with the County of Los Angeles, the State of California and other entities will open a Local Assistance Center (LAC) for residents impacted by the Saddle Ridge Fire. A Local Assistance Center (LAC) will be provided at the Sylmar Recreation Center.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Sylmar Recreation Center</u> 13109 Borden Avenue Sylmar, CA 91342</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dates: Thursday, October 17, 2019 - Saturday, October 26, 2019</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 9:30am to 7:00pm Saturday & Sunday 8:00am-4:00pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Public Call 311 or visit emergency.lacity.org News Media call 213-507-7395</p>

**Angeles NF
Closures:**

**The Angeles NF has closed a section of the forest due to the fire.
Please refer to go.usa.gov/xVzN5 and map.**



ASSIGNED RESOURCES

Total Personnel: 852 (including all agencies)

Cooperating Agencies: Cal Fire, LA Emergency Management Department (EMD), LA Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP), LA Department of Water and Power (DWP), SoCal Gas, California Highway Patrol (CHP), LA County Public Health Department, LA City Department of Animal Regulation, American Red Cross, LA Public Works, Southern California Edison, and MySafe:LA.