



# Saddle Ridge Fire INCIDENT UPDATE

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## 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, LAPD, LASD			
Size: Approx. 7965 Acres	Containment: 41%	Full Containment: TBD	
Civilian Fatalities: 1	Civilian Injuries: TBD	1 <sup>st</sup> Responder Injuries: 3	1 <sup>st</sup> Responder Fatalities: 0
Structures Threatened: 17,627	Structures Destroyed: 21	Structures Damaged: 11	
Single Residences: 12,860	16	9	
Multiple Residences: 4,007	2	1	
Mixed/Commercial Residences: 0	0	0	
Nonresidential Commercial Property: 10	1	0	
Other Minor Structures: 750	2	1	

## CURRENT SITUATION

Current Situation:	With the arrival of the onshore weather pattern yesterday Firefighters will take advantage of lower wind speeds and directly attack any remaining hot spots. Most crews' main objective today will be improving and connecting sections of containment line around the perimeter of the fire. They will be utilizing retardant dropping aircraft to reinforce the areas that are difficult to access due to steep terrain. While containment grows, a damage assessment team will continue to survey destroyed or damaged structures.
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**Repopulation Efforts:** All evacuations related to the Saddle Ridge Fire have been lifted. We thank members of the community for promptly heeding the evacuation orders and their patience as we work to fully contain the fire. As you repopulate the previously evacuated areas, we ask you to remain vigilant, and drive cautiously, as there are still public safety personnel working in the area. As a reminder, if you see anything of concern, report it to the authorities, and in case of an emergency, call 911.

<b>Evacuation Center(s):</b>	<b>Sylmar Recreation Center</b> 13109 Borden Ave, Sylmar, CA 91342 (Accepts small animals)	<b>Northridge Recreation Center</b> 18300 Lemarsh St Northridge, CA 91325
	<b>Granada Hills Recreation Center</b> 16730 Chatsworth St, Granada Hills, CA 91344 (Accepts small animals)	<b>LARGE ANIMALS can be dropped off at:</b> <b>Hansen Dam Equestrian Center</b> 11127 Orcas Ave, Lake View Terrace, CA 91342

**Anges NF Closures:** The Angeles NF has closed a section of the forest due to the fire. Please refer to [go.usa.gov/xVzN5](http://go.usa.gov/xVzN5) and map.

**Saddle Ridge Fire Area Closure Map**  
Angeles National Forest  
Forest Order No. 05-01-19-04  
Exhibit B

**Legend**

- Closure Area
- Closed Road
- Closed Trail
- Open Trail
- Open Road
- Forest Boundary
- Campground
- Campground
- Picnic Area
- Trail Head
- Horse Trail
- Viewing Area

**ASSIGNED RESOURCES**

**Total Personnel:** Approximately 1000 (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.