



Saddleridge Fire INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 10/12/19 Time: 10:30 AM

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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. 7552 Acres	Containment: 19%	Full Containment: TBD	
Civilian Fatalities: 1	Civilian Injuries: TBD	1 st Responder Injuries: 2	1 st 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:	The National Weather Service predicts the Santa Ana wind conditions in the operational area will continue until approximately 6:00 PM tonight. Firefighters will be operating with sustained winds of 10-15 mph with gusts up to 40 mph. Last night there was an aggressive air attack supporting crews on the ground as they continued to shore up and reinforce containment lines. Aircraft will continue to work this incident in a coordinated effort to ensure the fire does not breach containment lines. A repopulation effort is underway in areas deemed safe by damage assessment teams. It is imperative that residents maintain situational awareness and use extreme caution as they move into the area.
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Repopulation Efforts: We understand community members being allowed back into their homes and businesses is a priority. Unified Commanders are working to allow for safe repopulation as soon as possible. At this time we are able to safely repopulate the following areas;

The areas west of Mason Avenue and southwest of Corbin Avenue. In addition, there are smaller areas to the east which are also being repopulated, which can be found on the attached link:

<https://www.lafd.org/news/saddle-ridge-brush-fire>

Please refer to this color coded map, which shows the repopulated areas in green and the active mandatory evacuation areas in red.

Law enforcement officers will remain in the affected areas as a means of roving security and to address any questions residents may have.

Extra patrol units will remain for saturation patrol, looter suppression and additional fire watch in areas still under mandatory evacuation.

As always, we ask you to remain vigilant and report any emergencies to 911.

Evacuation Center(s):	<p>Lanark Park 21816 Lanark St, Canoga Park, CA 91304</p> <p>Sylmar Recreation Center (AT CAPACITY) 13109 Borden Ave, Sylmar, CA 91342 (Accepts small animals)</p> <p>Granada Hills Recreation Center (AT CAPACITY) 16730 Chatsworth St, Granada Hills, CA 91344 (Accepts small animals)</p>	<p>Northridge Recreation Center 18300 Lemarsh St Northridge, CA 91325</p> <p>Mason Recreation Center (AT CAPACITY) 10500 Mason Ave., Chatsworth, CA 91311</p> <p>LARGE ANIMALS can be dropped off at: Hansen Dam Equestrian Center 11127 Orcas Ave, Lake View Terrace, CA 91342</p>
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Road Closures:	5 FWY Truck Bypass to 14 FWY	Yarnell and Roxford Exits on 210 Fwy
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ASSIGNED RESOURCES

Total Personnel: Over 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, Socal Edison.