BOBCAT FIRE

TODAY
The northern portion of the fire near Mt. Lewis remained active short runs and flare ups. Overnight crews will work to monitor this area to ensure it does not cross into Highway 2. To the north of Mt. Wilson, firefighters continued to add depth to the holding lines and monitoring internal heat islands. Firing operations may occur near Rock Creek Rd and the Manzanita Trail to strengthen dozer lines. In the north end, crews remain cold trailing and mop up around structures. On the eastern perimeter of the fire activity remains moderate, as well as Santa Anita Canyon to Mt. Wilson. Evacuation orders for Antelope Valley areas were lifted and changed to warnings, previously evacuated residents in these areas were able to return home. A moderate Santa Ana wins event is forecasted for early next week, fire crews will work to ensure priority areas remain ready. Repopulation efforts continue with help from Los Angeles County Occupancy support. For more information visit: https://rb.gy/lykbl.

TONIGHT
Crews will mop-up and patrol the perimeter of the fire, monitoring and extinguishing hot spots that may remain. Priority areas for tonight include Mt. Wilson to Highway 2, Dorr Canyon and Rock Creek Rd area where crews will continue to hold and monitor containment lines, ensuring the fire does not cross any lines in preparation for moderate Santa Ana winds expected early next week. Residents will continue to see smoke from burning islands will within the perimeters. Engines will remain available in the north for smoke checks near the communities.

WEATHER
Warm and very dry conditions occurred across the fire today with low humidity levels and temperatures into the 80s. By early next week, the region will see well above normal temperatures with critically low humidity. In addition, winds will shift to the east-northeast beginning Sunday, with the potential for a Santa Ana wind event.

EVACUATION ORDERS
- South of Highway Big Pines Highway, east of Devil’s Punchbowl, west of Largo Vista Road., and north of the forest.
- South and west of Upper Big Tujunga Canyon, east of Angeles Forest Highway, and North of Angeles Crest Highway.
- Residences along Angeles Crest Highway, between Angeles Forest Highway and Highway 39.

EVACUATION WARNINGS
- South of Fort Tejon Road and E. Avenue W-14, east of 87th Street E., west of 165th Street E and Devil’s Punchbowl, and north of the forest and Big Pines Highway.
- South of Highway 138, east of 165th Street E., west of Largo Vista Road, and north of Big Pines Highway.
- South of Big Pines Highway, east of Largo Vista Road, west of 263rd Street E. (county line), and north of the forest.
- South of Highway 138, north of Weber Ranch Road, east of Cheseboro Road, and west of 87th Street E.
- South of Pearblossom Highway, south and east of Highway 122 (Sierra Hwy/Pearblossom), north and west of Mount Emma Road, west of Cheseboro Road, north and east of Angeles Forest Highway.
- South of Mt. Emma Rd., North of Upper Big Tujunga Canyon Rd., East of Angeles Forest Highway, and West of Pacifico Mountain.
- East Fork Areas: Julius Klein Conservation Camp 19, Camp Williams, and the River Community.
- Unincorporated community of Wrightwood

The Red Cross Evacuation Centers at Palmdale High School and Santa Anita Park are now closed. Anyone still needing assistance can call the Disaster Distress Hotline at 800-675-5799.

SUMMARY
The Bobcat Fire started on September 6th at 12:21 PM. The fire is located near the Cogswell Dam and West Fork Day Use area. The fire is burning in heavy fuels with a rapid rate of spread.