







Pumice Flat Fire Fact Sheet

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Fire Information Phone (541) 594-3056

Updated: 07/28/2014 Time: 2100 Fire Name: Pumice Flat **Geographic Location:** Southern area of the park Acres: 25 Acres Start Date: 07/22/2014 Time: approximately 1700 % Contained: 0% Current Threats: Northern Spotted Owl habitat and other Native vegetation, Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail Evacuations: NONE **Evacuation Centers: NONE** Structures Destroyed: NONE Structures Damaged: 0 Estimated cost of property damage: \$0 Difficulties in Control: Not at this time Fatalites: 0 Injuries: 0 Cooperating Agencies: NPS, USFS, USFWS Resources assigned to t Engines: 1 Fire Crews: 2 Water Tender: Dozers: Air Attack: Tankers: Helicopter: 2 Helicopters Overhead: 14 **Total Resources: 55 personnel**

On the afternoon of Tuesday July 22nd, Crater Lake National Park received numerous lightning strikes. On Monday July 28th at approxiamtely 11:15am a fire was discovered in the Pumice Flat area in the south end of the park. It was believed to have been ignited by lightning the previous week. The fire is burning in mixed conifer forests composed of hemlock, fir, and pine. Aggressive suppression action is being taken at this time. No expected containment date has been set. All park facilities and operations remain open. Hikers on the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail may be impacted in the upcoming week and may experience delays.

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