

Dollar Lake Fire Incident Update

Date: September 10, 2025

Fire Information:

Phone: 307-395-2365 (Please leave a voicemail if unanswered; your call will be returned ASAP)

Inciweb: https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/wybtf-dollar-lake-fire

Email: 2025.dollarlake@firenet.gov

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/BridgerTetonNF

FIRE ACTIVITY:

The Dollar Lake Fire is currently at 19,352 acres and 53% containment.

Fire crews made progress yesterday adding containment to interior portions of the fire before afternoon showers and thunderstorms brought a wetting rain to much of the fire area.

Today, the Wilderness Group will work between the Green River Lakes to secure the fire line and assess any new growth. On the southeastern-most portion of the incident, within the wilderness area, fire progression has slowed with the fire backing into natural, rocky features. Crews will continue to remove hazard trees along Forest Service Road 680. Crews on the southwestern, western, and northern portions of the fire continue to patrol and mop up, as necessary, while around the outfitter camp area, Division Charlie works to secure the fire's edge. The structure protection group will hold, improve, and test the defense systems that are in place within the Bible Camp area. The structure group will also assist local resources with initial attack in the even of a new incident.

WEATHER:

After light rain showers this morning, mostly overcast skies will persist with some clearing in the afternoon. Today will be the windiest day of the week with winds out of the south sustained at 8 to 18 mph and gusts up to 30 mph. North facing slopes may be protected from the stronger winds, however, with afternoon cumulus buildups, erratic gusty outflow winds of 30 mph are possible. Precipitation on Wednesday is unlikely during the daytime hours, but rain and possible thunderstorms return overnight into Thursday morning. The potential for strong thunderstorms will occur on Thursday, with lightning, small hail, heavy rain and strong outflow winds up to 40 mph.

EVACUATIONS:

Per the Sublette County Sheriff's Office, everything south of the forest boundary (end of State Highway 352) to Black Butte Road has now been returned to the "Ready" state. Red Cliff Bible Camp and north of Union Pass Road (FS RD 660) remains in "Go."

For more information see: https://www.sublettecountywy.gov/AlertCenter.aspx?AID=2

CLOSURES:

The Bridger-Teton National Forest has issued a closure order for the Dollar Lake Fire area.

Beginning at the intersection of Union Pass Road (FS600) and the southern Forest boundary, the fire area follows the Union Pass Road to the north (keeping the Union Pass Road open) to the intersection with the Green River Lakes Road (650). From there, the fire area encompasses the Forest east and south of the Green

River to Green River Lakes. The eastern terminus of the closure includes both Green River Lakes and follows the Continental Divide Trail (CDT)/Highline Trail (7094) southeast to the intersection with the Clark Creek Trail (7185). The closure follows the Clark Creek Trail, which remains open, to the intersection with the New Fork/Porcupine Trail (7137). From there, the closure continues south along the New Fork/Porcupine trail up to the Porcupine Ridge/Porcupine Pass area. It then continues to the west along the hydrological divide to the southern fork of the South Fork Gypsum Creek and down the drainage to the Forest Boundary, then west back to the Union Pass Road. The CDT/Highline Trail is also closed from the described area to the north until it intersects with the Union Pass Road. Gypsum Creek Road from the Forest boundary north and the network of roads branching off it are in the closure area and not open to the public.

For closure information please go to: https://www.facebook.com/Bridger-TetonNF And https://www.facebook.com/SubletteSheriff

SMOKE INFORMATION:

Smoke from wildfires in the Pacific Northwest and Canada may continue to impact the area. Locally, smoke from the Dollar Lake Fire will continue to sink overnight and drift down through the Green River valley, lifting throughout the day as temperatures increase. Residents and visitors impacted by the smoke are encouraged to monitor local air quality conditions using the following suggested resources.

Real-time Air Conditions: https://map.purpleair.com
Air Quality Index and Map: https://www.airnow.gov/
Fire and Smoke Map: https://fire.airnow.gov/

FIRE RESTRICTIONS:

Stage 1 Fire Restrictions are in effect for the Bridger-Teton National Forest. Fires are not permitted unless they are within a metal or concrete fire pit installed and maintained at a developed recreation site; liquid or gas fuel that can be turned off and no flammable materials within three feet; or a fully enclosed metal stove with a chimney and mesh screen spark arrestor.

For fire restriction information please go to: https://www.fs.usda.gov/r04/bridger-teton/alerts/stage-1-fire-restrictions