



Evening Summary

Date/Time Stamp: **Tuesday, September 08, 2015 - 9:02 PM**

Weather Summary

...Above normal temperatures across the area later this week with record heat across portions of Nevada...

High pressure will build across the region through the end of this week ushering in a warming, drying trend. Conditions will continuously warm and dry through the end of the week, with temperatures 10 to 15 degrees above normal by Friday. The warming trend will be most pronounced across western and central Nevada where record high temperatures are forecast by Friday. Overnight RH recovery will be increasingly poor as drier air moves into the region.

Confidence in the weather pattern early next week is low, but models suggest that moisture may make its way into western Nevada and southern Idaho beginning Sunday, bringing the potential for thunderstorm activity. Beyond that, high pressure will begin to break down allowing the possibility of a stronger weather system. If this comes to fruition, we could see a period of gusty winds ahead of a strong weather system early next week.

Preparedness Levels

Current:

Great Basin	3
National	4

Great Basin Fire Activity: 10 fires for 12,922 acres (#s from FAMWEB SIT Report)

Large Fire Growth: 12,622 acres

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Franklin Basin	2015-IDCTF-015030	0.1	Contained 09/08/15	42.0393	111.598	No
Frog Pond	2015-IDPAF-000247	0.1	Out 09/08/15	44.7685	116.8283	No
Oak Grove	2015-UTDIF-000640	300	Not Contained	37.2932	113.4911	No
Granite Creek	2015-IDPAF-000245	0.1	Not Contained	44.7402	116.2145	No
Phrag	2015-UTNWS-000701	150	Contained 09/08/15	41.1258	112.1317	No



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Large/Emerging Fire Summary:

Emerging Fire:

UT-DIF-Oak Grove 300 acres 15 miles NE of St. George, UT

Great Basin Priority Summary Based on the Most Recent 209's																	
Date 9/8/2015 20:47																	
Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	%	Expected Contain	Complexity / IC	Crews Assigned			Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs			Threats
					Contained	Date		T-1	T-2 or 2I/A	T-1	T-2	T-3	T-1	T-2 or 2I/A	T-1	T-2	
Wheeler	Full Suppression	12 Miles NE of Provo, UT	750	+595	0%	9/13	Type 3 Whatcott	4	4	1	1	2	2 T2IA, 1 Helo, 1AT, SOFR			Evacs in progress, 160 Residences, 24 Minor Structures, Critical Watershed	
Tepee Springs	35% Confine 50% Full 15% Monitor	3 miles east of Riggins, ID	94,703	+48	70%	10/15	Type 1 Ourada	9	11	1	2	4				300 Residences, 300 Other Minor Structures, Evacuations, Trail/Area/Road closures	
Elevenmile	50% Point 50% Full	15 miles W of Challis, ID	10,387	NC	50%	10/15	Type 2 Martin	2	3	1		3	IR Flight			19 Residences, 21 other structures, Trail/Road/Area closure, campgrounds	
Phrag	Full Suppression	9 miles SW of Ogden, UT	80	New	50%	9/9	Type 3 Sanocki						1			20 Residences, 40 Multiple Residences	
Oak Grove	Full Suppression	15 miles east of St. George, UT	300	New	0%	NR	Type 3 Heyder									Watershed concerns, Oak Grove Camp Ground	
Rapid	60% Confine 40% Full	12 miles SW of McCall, ID	9,617	NC	100%	9/30	Type 3 Stephens		3	1		1				39 Residences, Grazing allotments, Trail/Area/Road closures	

Notes of Significance

Resources:

- Moderate resource commitment within the geographic area.

Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Fire danger has decreased significantly across the northern part of the Great Basin where widespread rain along with areas of snow have fallen. However, further south and west, precipitation has not been as widespread and fuels are much drier.

With a warming, drying trend forecast to begin in earnest midweek, fuels will steadily dry out, with areas that stayed precipitation free over the past week being the first to approach critical levels.

For more detail, see [Great Basin 7-Day Fire Potential Outlook](#)

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)