

**WildCAD Incident Card - Durango Interagency Dispatch Center: CO-DRC 2009-277**  
*"Hermosa" Wildfire 08/17/2009 09:18:00 Order Number: CO-COL-161*  
 Area C21B01 (COL- Animas - B01)

**Reporting Party:** Chris Latshaw Cell 970-764-5900

**Initial Report On Conditions:**

Hwy 201/Hwy 203 junction about 1/2 mile to the north light smoke

**Initial Location:**

Lat: 37°;27',42.48", Lon: 107°;50',52.8", T37N, R9W, SENW Sec 22

**Actual Location (08/17/2009 14:02):**

Lat: 37°;27',21.23", Lon: 107°;50',22.56", T37N, R9W, SWSE Sec 22

**Dispatcher:** MOUNT, KATHRYN **Status:** Open

**Job Codes:** P2 EKU7 (0213)

**Web Comment:**

**Incident Commander(s):**

08/17/2009 1626 Shawna Legarza Effective

08/17/2009 2018 Scott Dennish Effective

Resource	Commit	Respond	On Scene	Avail Inc	Returning	Off Incident
COL E682	08/17 09:35					08/18 07:52
COL IA 82	08/17 16:29					

Entry Date/Time	From	To	Details
08/17/2009 09:19:11	RP	KAT	light smoke 1/2 mile North of Hwy 201/Hwy 203 junction. train just went thru. maybe by Hermosa
08/17/2009 09:24:05	kat	Div 8	left message cell & office
08/17/2009 09:25:27	kat	Mark Lauer	Advised
08/17/2009 09:28:01	kat	Jak Thelen	left message cell & office
08/17/2009 09:35:06	kat	E682	will respond
08/17/2009 09:40:10	Div 8	kat	enroute
08/17/2009 09:53:28	E682	KAT	enroute
08/17/2009 09:56:19	Berry	KAT	Timber crewmember @ animas overlook seeing smoke milepost 2 of lower hermosa rd.
08/17/2009 09:57:51	kat	E682	& Div 8 advised of updated location
08/17/2009 10:25:21	Barry	KAT	Leaving gate on lower hermosa trail open to get to upper hermosa - driving up trail to look for smoke. Just checked campground not seeing smoke there
08/17/2009 10:37:53	Barry	Beth	37 N 9W Sec 21 berry's location. smoke is directly East. white smoke drifting west. maybe not far from hwy 550
08/17/2009 10:45:37	kat	E682/DIV 8	Advised of updated location - they are seeing a smoke working their way in, couple miles out
08/17/2009 10:48:16	beth	county	checked w/ county for burn permits -not in area
08/17/2009 10:51:34	div 8	KAT	Double Bar 8 ranch pile burns below 250 road. going to check other location by berry
08/17/2009 11:14:01	Div 8	KAT	2 more burn piles found in area. E682 to check hermosa trail
08/17/2009 11:23:55	barry	KAT	found 2 fires: 1st in campground, 2nd at milepost 2 put out by campers
08/17/2009 11:26:24	kat	Div 8	advised
08/17/2009 13:36:17	chris	KAT	launch H-2LM
08/17/2009 13:37:50	kat	H-2LM	dispatched: A/G 1 ground contact E682
08/17/2009 13:50:14	H-2LM	KAT	065 heading, p+3, 2+30fob, 10 min ETE, +aff
08/17/2009 13:57:28	H-2LM	KAT	smoke in sight, in commo w/ E682 working on sizeup
08/17/2009 14:02:04	H-2LM	KAT	SIZEUP: 37 27 21 x 107 50 23. no structures, 1/4 acre, mod spread, creeping, 26-40% slope, SE aspect, upper 1/3 ,p. pine & oak brush, scattered clouds, road access from bottom.
08/17/2009 14:04:24	kat	Div 8	advised, E682 responding
08/17/2009 14:06:34	2LM Chase	KAT	Staging @ trimble
08/17/2009 14:10:13	E682	KAT	1 hr. ETE to fire
08/17/2009 14:11:50	H-2LM	KAT	landing below fire to start bucket work

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08/17/2009 14:14:34	H-2LM	KAT	going to land trimble - advised of hermosa pt helispot lat/long
08/17/2009 14:15:31	H-2LM	KAT	landing Trimble
08/17/2009 14:18:55	H-2LM	KAT	off trimble Enroute to look @ helispot
08/17/2009 14:26:38	H-2LM	KAT	helispot is 2-3 miles away. road is better access -returning to trimble for bucket. road is less than mile from fire
08/17/2009 14:31:45	H-2LM	KAT	Off Trimble w/ bucket - Flight Follow Local, +AFF
08/17/2009 14:51:04	Div8	SW	Called requesting Air attack as the fire has grown
08/17/2009 14:52:33	Div 8	SW	Call and have one of the seats on stand by
08/17/2009 14:52:41	TW	3AA	relayed Request gave lat/long, A/G1 freq, resources on scene
08/17/2009 14:53:42	3AA	TW	need the A/A freq // 126.275
08/17/2009 14:54:53	Mike S	BJ	per 2LM...want a seat at Ctz on stand by
08/17/2009 14:55:16	Div 8	KAT	doubled in size- dispatch IA-82, advised AA enroute - wait on SEATS to see what AA wants/needs
08/17/2009 14:55:36	SW	CEZ	Call to CEZ seat base advised Clinton to have the SEAT standby gave him the coordinates and the air to ground freq
08/17/2009 14:56:10	kat	IA82	dispatched 45 MIN to get crew to hermosa
08/17/2009 14:59:33	3AA	TW	incontact w/ Div-8 & 2LM
08/17/2009 15:02:45	Div 8	KAT	E682 on scene
08/17/2009 15:10:50	AA-3AA	KAT	low spread potential, 1 acre, smoldering, mixed conf, on spur ridge 2/3 up the slope, 26-40% slope, SW aspect, winds 4-5 S-SW
08/17/2009 15:13:51	E682	KAT	hiking into fire
08/17/2009 15:24:44	3AA	TW	advised 2LM is doing bucket drops, have resources guided in what does Disp want him to do // asked if hes been released off the fire.
08/17/2009 15:25:20	3AA	TW	have been released off the fire continuing w/ recon
08/17/2009 15:28:36	Div 8	KAT	released AA to continue w/ recon
08/17/2009 15:37:14	3AA	TW	talk to the IC that its not too much of a hike and if she needs more resources suggest the Jumpers.
08/17/2009 15:40:21	Div 8	KAT	has 2 helitak on scene, advised of high plains crew avail. & smkj
08/17/2009 15:45:49	Div 8	KAT	wants all high plains crew. stage in Durango for now
08/17/2009 15:50:33	HighPlains	BJ	relayed request from Div8; will wrap up @ Bradfield ER DGO
08/17/2009 16:07:21	Div 8	KAT	ordered: 1 squad from high plains. drive up Lower Hermosa Rd. tie in w/ Div 8
08/17/2009 16:15:04	IA 82	KAT	enroute w/4
08/17/2009 16:26:35	IC	KAT	2-3 acres, Shawna will be IC for now
08/17/2009 16:39:51	IC	KAT	Send 10 from High plains tonight- all will camp @ hermosa campground (has cell service). hikeout around dark
08/17/2009 17:14:21	IC	KAT	IA 82 on scene
08/17/2009 18:55:45	IC	KAT	High plains squad on scene
08/17/2009 18:57:51	IC	H-2LM	released for evening
08/17/2009 19:13:30	H-2LM	KAT	p+3,2fob, 10 min ETE to Ft. Lewis
08/17/2009 19:23:56	H-2LM	KAT	shutting down Ft. Lewis, O/S
08/17/2009 20:18:37	IC	KAT	60% CONTAINED, Scott Dennish is IC, 14 total sleeping @ campground w/ cell service, E682 and 2 helitack released. all hiking off fire approx. 45 min hikeout
08/17/2009 21:30:17	IC	KAT	all resources at campground
08/17/2009 21:35:48	Whaley	KAT	+1 released to MPV will call heli mger when @ station
08/17/2009 21:44:46	E682	KAT	released to bayfield, will call div 8 when @ station
08/17/2009 21:58:13	IC	KAT	all resources @ campground, O/S w/ cell service. On 0700 8/18
08/18/2009 07:33:15	IC	SW	IC hiking in now and crews are awaiting lunches and will be hiking in 0745-0800 IC will be requesting 2LM to assist Will call with further information after he checks the fire
08/18/2009 07:52:14	E682	SW	I/S
08/18/2009 08:06:43	TW	2LM	relayed IC is requesting them to assist, IC will be calling back with details for them.
08/18/2009 08:34:45	IC	SW	advising 1.5 acres have 2LM launch for bucket work at 0900 will also use them for 3 blivetts and 12 bladder bags

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08/18/2009 08:36:06	TW	2LM	relayed request // need to have DRO Cache load up the Blivets, Bladder Bags & 4 swivels into a truck up to Trimble.
08/18/2009 08:59:28	H-2LM	KAT	P+3,2fob, 9 min ete to hermosa
08/18/2009 09:00:24	2LM Chase	KAT	+ fuel truck to timble work center
08/18/2009 09:17:23	H-2LM	KAT	landing trimble, FF Local
08/18/2009 09:27:37	2LM Chase	KAT	@ trimble work center
08/18/2009 09:31:44	kat	glider por	advised of heli in area
08/18/2009 09:35:40	2LM Chase	KAT	needs engine to fill blivets
08/18/2009 09:36:08	kat	Div 6	Okay if i send E682 to fill blivets? no problem
08/18/2009 09:38:07	kat	E682	Advised
08/18/2009 10:06:10	E682	KAT	enroute trimble

VOR	ATB	Helibase
19m 333° DRO: DURANGO VOR	39m 076° CEZ: Cortez SEAT	1m 042° C3H: Clear Creek
35m 069° CEZ: CORTEZ VOR/	59m 309° 24N: Dulce SEAT	1m 286° C2H: Clear Creek
40m 138° ETL: CONES VOR/D	105m 162° GJT: Grand Jucti	1m 344° HPH: Hermosa Poi
44m 002° RSK: RATTLESNAKE	157m 338° ABQ: Albuquerque	2m 144° SGH: Stoney Gulc
56m 098° DVC: DOVE CREEK		3m 067° BRH: Buck Ridge

**Initial Report On Conditions**  
**Fuels:** P.Pine & Oak brush **Acres:** .25 **W Speed:** 4-5 **Dir:** S-SW **Slope:** 26-40 **Aspect:** SE  
**Spread:** Moderate **Complexity:** **Jurisdiction:** USFS  
**Structures:** none  
**Access:** Bottom of fire has a road and looking for helispot  
**Hazards:**  
**Fire Report Information**  
**Fire #:** **SubUnit:** **SubUnit #:**  
**Acres:** 0 **Size Class:** **Elevation:** 0 **Land Status:**  
**Contain:** **Control:** **Out:**