Situation Report

Oregon State Emergency Coordination Center

1. Incident Name: Wildfire and Wind Event	2. Situation Report Number: 4		
3. OERS Number: 2022-1997	4. Report Period:		
	09-10-2022 1401 – 0911-2022 1400		
5. Incident Type: Fire and Wind			
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8. Incident Summary:

On September 8, 2022, the Oregon Office of Emergency Management (OEM) Emergency Coordination Center (ECC) activated to monitor wildfires and public safety power shutoffs, and facilitate information sharing and resource coordination. Evacuation orders are in place for six wildfires. Multiple state agencies and emergency management partners are supporting firefighting and response needs. Resources from two states are providing support through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC).

Twenty-three fires currently are burning in Oregon, with an estimated total of 286,381 acres burned.

Portland General Electric, Pacific Power, Lane Electric, and Eugene Water and Electric Board executed public safety power shutoffs (PSPS) for approximately 59,000 customers (electrical meters) within Benton, Clackamas, Douglas, Hood River, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Polk, Multnomah, Tillamook, Washington and Yamhill Counties. PSPS were initiated September 9. As of 1400 on September 11, 12,622 customers are without power due to PSPS preventive outages and other causes.

Declarations:

- On Aug. 27, Governor Brown invoked the Emergency Conflagration Act for the Rum Creek Fire (EO 22-16).
- On Aug. 28, Governor Brown Proclaimed a State of Emergency due to Imminent Wildfire Threat Statewide (EO 22-17).
- On Sept. 3, Governor Brown invoked the Emergency Conflagration Act for the Double Creek Fire (EO 22-18).
- On Sept. 6, Governor Brown invoked the Emergency Conflagration Act for the Sturgill Fire (EO 22-19).
- On Sept. 9, Governor Brown invoked the Emergency Conflagration Act for the Cedar Creek Fire (EO 22-20).
- On Sept. 10, FEMA Region X approved a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) for the Milo McIver Fire burning in Clackamas County.

Wildfire Name	Size (Acres)	% Contained	Evacuation Orders		
				Estimated number of	Estimated number of
				Addresses	People
Rum Creek Fire	21,347	69%	Level 1	498	1257
			Level 2	81	203
			Level 3	24	58

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Cedar Creek Fire 85,926 0% Level 1 0	0
Level 2 2170	5488
Level 3 466	1175
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Double Creek Fire 152,301 15% Level 1 10	25
Level 2 93	235
Level 3 191	228
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Goat Mountain Addresses Peop	ole
Two and Sturgill 19,663 0 Level 1 31	78
Fires Level 2 65	161
Level 3 0	0
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Van Meter Fire 2,502 20% Level 1 106	268
Level 2 0	0
Level 3 0	0
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Vitae Springs Fire Unknown 100% Level 1 511	1292
Level 2 139	351
Level 3 0	0

Sources: Wildfire size and containment information per the Integrated Reporting of Wildfire-Fire Information system. Evacuation order information is populated by the local GIS department for the jurisdiction or agencies assigned to the fire. Estimates on addresses based on 911 address points. Estimated number of people us using census estimates. Information current as of 9/11/2022 at 1400.

9.	Incident Impacts			
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	# This reporting period	Total # To Date		# This reporting period	Total # To Date
Evacuation sites/centers Open	0	1	Fatalities (Source)	0	0
Shelters Open (ESF 6-Red Cross)	4	5	Missing (note if estimated) (Source)	0	0
Population inside congregate shelter					
Population Outside in RVs					
People in shelter Total (ESF6-Red Cross)	164	425	State personnel on active duty (Oregon Military Department)	45	58
Meals Served (ESF6-Red Cross)	328	926	IMT's Deployed (ESF 4-OSFM and ODF)	3	7
Pet Shelters Open (ESF 11-ODA) Lane-1, Marion-2, Clackamas-1	5	5	People rescued by SAR (ESF 9-OEM)	0	0
Pets in shelter (ESF 11- ODA)	123	68	OpsCenter Requests (OEM Coordination Section Chief)	2	34
Livestock Shelters Open (ESF11-ODA) Klamath-1, Lane- 1, Marion-1, Clackamas-1	4	4	Households without Power (ESF 12- PUC)	12,635	49,622
Livestock in shelter (ESF 11-ODA)	141	175			

10. Impacted Jurisdiction Reports

Information Current as of 1400

Clackamas County

- Red Cross stood down the shelter at Clackamas Community College on Saturday night.
- All evacuation zones lifted at 1400. ODF is mopping up, OSP is providing security of the park.

Curry County

Nothing new to report.

Deschutes County

Nothing new to report.

Hood River County

• No report received.

Lane County

- Reduced evacuation level 3 to level 2 for some areas.
- Ninety people remain in the Red Cross shelter.
- Temporary evacuation point closed as of noon today.
- Animal shelter has 141 livestock and 120 domestic pets.
- Working to notify people in shelters about evacuation changes.

Virtual at EOC tomorrow.

Linn County

No report received.

Jackson County

• No report received.

Josephine County

- Staying status quo on fire area closures, traffic control points, and evacuation levels through Monday.
- Due to strong concerns and requests by IC and operations based on hazard mitigation crew activity for the next day or two, fire footprint still holding solid. To be fully re-assessed Tuesday.

Klamath County

• No report received.

Lincoln County

No report received.

Marion County

• No report received.

Multnomah County

• Power is being restored to Public Safety Power Shutoff areas and community supported resource centers are expected to close later today.

Tillamook County

No report received.

Union County

Nothing new to report.

Washington County

- Some PGE customers are still without power. PGE is actively re-energizing powerlines within the PSPS zones.
- Air quality is in the higher moderate range but expected to improve throughout the day.
- Virtual County EOC is demobilizing.
- Virtual JIC has demobilized.
- Charging station within Gaston has been decommissioned.
- No resource needs, concerns, barriers, or limiting factors.

Yamhill County

No report received.

<u>Tribes</u>

Burns Paiute Tribe

• No report received.

Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians

- Nothing to report. Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde
- No report received. Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
- Nothing to report.

Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation

- No report received. Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs
- No report received.

Coquille Tribe

- Still monitoring air quality and fire danger.
- Tribal forests remain closed.

Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians

- We are still experiencing some smoke impacts in our area.
- We are monitoring current conditions and keeping our members informed of changes.

Klamath Tribes

• No report received.

11. Activated Emergency Support Functions (ESF) Report

Information current as of 1400

ESF #1 – Transportation

Oregon Department of Transportation

- Highway 58 is closed from milepost 37-70 and has been opened to allow access to Oakridge.
- Staff are coordinating with fire command on the status of the road and manning roadblocks.

ESF #2 – Communications

Oregon Department of Administrative Services

- Cellular restoration continues following commercial power restoration.
- No further impacts.
- No unmet needs currently.

Oregon Public Utility Commission

Nothing new to report.

ESF #3 - Public Works

Oregon Department of Transportation

Nothing to report.

ESF #4 - Firefighting

Oregon Office of the State Fire Marshal

- Multiple fires across Oregon continue to burn with potential impacts to communities and structures.
- Priority fire is the Cedar Creek incident and focus is for High Prairie, Westfir, and Oakridge. East side threatening Cultus Lake and south side is threatening Odell.
- Drawdown of available local fire resources continues to be evaluated as other incidents begin demobilization for possible re-allocation.
- Oregon Fire Mutual Aid System (OFMAS) is currently at Tier 3, severe drawdown of resources and Task Force (TF) availability, EMAC assistance in place.
- Green IMT assigned to Double Creek & Sturgill Fires in Wallowa County- Conflagration Act invoked
 - Demobilization planned for 09/13pending any unanticipated fire behavior.
 - 2 OFMAS TFs & 1 EMAC Washington TF assigned
- Red IMT assigned to Cedar Creek Fire in Lane County (Unified Command with PNW Team 6, transition beginning with PNW Team 3)- Conflagration Act invoked
 - o In-brief took place 09/10 @ 0800 in Oakridge
 - o 7 TFs (2 WA EMAC TFs, 5 OFMAS TF) engaged. Currently evaluating and identifying additional resource needs.

- 2 OFMAS TFs mobilized to support the McIver Fire near Estacada in addition to single resource overhead positions to supplement the local Type 3 team in place.
- OSFM mobilized air resources through our partners at ODF to support Salem Fire Department on the Vitae Springs incident; 1 OFMAS TF through Immediate Response to assist with firefighting efforts.
- Summary: 16 OFMAS task forces (including 3 WA EMAC) are actively engaged or pre-positioned and being coordinated by OSFM, in addition to the numerous local firefighting resources assigned to various fires.
- Agency Administrators and Regional Mobilization Coordinators continue to be actively engaged with all current emerging and large fires in the state.
- Working closely with Pacific Northwest Coordinating Group (PNWCG) to prioritize and staff large fires, plan for potential resource allocation needs, and ensure all suppression agencies in OR & WA have shared situational awareness.
- Continuing to evaluate and re-allocate OFMAS resources being demobilized from other fires to priority
 incidents across the state as OFMAS is experiencing a severe drawdown of resources. Continuing to
 encourage local resources to staff up and plan for responses within their jurisdictions.
- Planning continues with IMTs and local Fire Defense Board Chiefs (FDBC) to address potential resource needs on active incidents.

Oregon Department of Forestry

- ODF IMT 3 assigned to Van Meter.
- Unified Command on Milo McIver Fire, 4 overheads assigned, 3 engines, 2 Coffee Creek AIC Crews, Dozer, Type 2 helicopter, and Fire Bosses.
- Vitae Springs Fire, supporting with 2 firebosses and sending overhead. Good progress on both Vitae Springs and the Milo McIver Fire. Milo McIver approved for FMAG.
- Cedar Creek FMAG request denied.
- Districts are canceling days off and are staffing additional engines through severity requests.
- Utilizing the ODF Multi Mission Aircraft with Infrared and night vision for detection.
- Extending type 3 helitack, seats and fire bosses.
- Moving severity resources to high priority areas.
- Coordinating with the Pacific Northwest Coordinating Group MAC.

ESF #5 - Information and Planning

Oregon Department of Emergency Management

- Developed the ECC incident action plan for September 12 through September 14.
- Gathered situational awareness information from ESF partners and impacted jurisdictions to develop the September 11 situation report.
- Developed an incident-specific story map to aid local jurisdictions and partners in maintaining situational awareness. PSPS information is also available in the <u>Oregon 2022 Wildfire Response Story Map</u>.
- Updated RAPTOR with Portland General Electric, Pacific Power, and EWEB PSPS Zones. Zone details is live in the default and fire configuration views.
- Developed a common operating picture including critical infrastructure information and resource request information.

ESF #6 - Mass Care

Oregon Department of Human Services

- ESF 6 continues to have a Regional Emergency Coordinator in the Lane County EOC.
- 12 ODHS / OREM Staff have supported the Lane County Temporary Evacuation Point at the Lane Community College for the past 36 hours and will continue through today.
- Vulnerable population contact and care has been operational through all phases of this response in

- conjunction with ESF8 for evacuation support, sheltering support, medical resource support and transportation services.
- Air quality resources have been deployed to ensure cleaner air and conditioning for populations without power and displaced personnel.

American Red Cross

- We have had great coordination with our county partners last night and opened additional shelters throughout the night. Our current operations are the following:
 - Klamath County Fairgrounds 0 overnight
 - The Expo Center Overnight 127 overnight
 - o Judson Middle School 8 overnight
 - Clackamas Community College 0 overnight
- The following shelters will be closing as of 9/11:
 - Clackamas Community College, Judson Middle School, and Klamath County Fairgrounds.

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department

- Milo McIver State Park
 - o Power has been restored to the Riverside and campground end of the park.
 - Park entrance is inaccessible, and park will remain closed until further notice.
- Dexter State Recreation Site
 - Currently being used to base heavy equipment for the Cedar Creek Fire.
- Park Operational Disruption (no electricity)
 - Ainsworth Campground Power restored
 - Bridal Veil Power restored
 - Benson Power restored
 - Guy Tablot Estimated time 2pm
 - Vista House Estimated time 2pm
 - Rooster Rock Estimated time 2pm
 - Dabney Estimated time 2pm
 - Lewis and Clark Estimated time 2pm
 - Silver Falls Power restored
 - o Fall Creek No power
- Damage assessments have not been completed as of September 11.
- Providing support to firefighting activity (fire camps) at OPRD locations.

ESF #7 - Resource Support

Oregon Department Administrative Services

Actively monitoring Ops Center resource requests.

Oregon Department of Emergency Management

• Currently have 14 open requests and 20 closed requests in Ops Center.

ESF #8 - Health and Medical

Oregon Health Authority

- ESF8 has activated an IMT to plan and respond to 2022 Wildfires and PSPS. IMT meeting daily 9/9 to 9/13.
- ESF8 Regional Emergency Coordinators are onsite in Lane and Linn counties per their OpsCenter requests. DEMOB: 09/10/2022 1800.
- As of this SITREP, ten requests (10) for Medicare and Medicaid data for individuals who rely on electrically

powered medical devices to counties, in tandem with similar ODHS data. Those counties are Lane, Clackamas, Douglas, Josephine, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Washington, and Yamhill counties.

- No additional requests currently pending for these data.
- Requests for these data should be submitted via OpsCenter.
- One ServOR request for Medical Reserve Corp volunteers being worked internally for additional assets.
- Oregon emergency department and urgent care data monitoring, by Hospital Preparedness Program Region (HPP) visits for prior 24hrs (9/10/2022):
 - Increases in respiratory and asthma (non-COVID related) and behavioral health and anxiety as a chief complaint.
 - Visits mentioning power outage increased statewide. Traffic related injuries increased throughout the state.
 - Poison center reporting carbon monoxide calls are above expected levels in Region 1
- Distributed an updated HAN alert with information on public health risks related to wildfires, PSPS, and resources.

ESF #9 - Search and Rescue

Oregon Department of Emergency Management

- Monitoring situation of Cedar Creek Fire. Looking at FEMA USAR resourcing if needed.
- In contact with Oregon FEMA FIT team for resourcing, if warranted.

ESF #10 – Hazardous Materials

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

- DEQ is monitoring Ops Center for hazardous materials incidents associated with this activation and any other requests.
- DEQ maintains 24/7 Duty Officer coverage for hazardous materials incidents statewide. No hazardous materials incidents have been reported for this activation. No Ops Center requests for DEQ have been received.
- DEQ and others are monitoring Air Quality Conditions as part of their ESF-8 responsibilities.
- The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality extended its air quality advisory Saturday, Sept. 10, for Curry, Deschutes, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, eastern Lane, Umatilla, Union and Wallowa counties due to smoke from fires across Oregon and central Idaho. DEQ expanded the advisory to include Malheur County.
- DEQ expects the air quality advisory to last until at least Monday, Sept. 12. The advisory for Coos County ends today. DEQ and partner agencies will continue to monitor smoke in the area.

ESF #11 – Agriculture, Animals, and Natural Resources

Oregon Department of Agriculture

We will continue to monitor the situations, and everything seems to have stabilized.

ESF #12 – Energy

Oregon Department of Energy

- Continue monitoring the status of wildfires and high wind forecasts around the state to assess potential impacts to the liquid fuel supply and distribution system. This includes:
 - Working with the Oregon Department of Forestry and the Oregon Department of Aviation to assess jet fuel needs at the Roseburg, Lakeview, and La Grande airports supporting wildfire response.
 - Working with fuel terminals and distributors to assess supply and distribution problems within proximity to fire activity and the Public Safety Power Shutoff zones around the state.

• There are no concerns to report currently.

Oregon Public Utility Commission

- Pacific Power completed outage restorations and returned to "Steady State" last night at 1700.
- Portland General Electric is continuing to restore power with outages remaining in Clackamas County,
 Washington County, and Yamhill County.
- Eugene Water and Electric Board (EWEB) and Lane Electric Cooperative are continuing restoration efforts in Lane County in the area Cedar Creek Fire.
- Current Outages
 - Eugene Electric and Water Board (EWEB): 1,761 (Lane County)

Link: https://www.eweb.org/outages-and-safety/power-outages/power-outage-map

Lane Electric: 851 (Lane County)

Link: https://laneelectric.com/outages/outage-map/

- Portland General Electric (PGE)
 - 7,890 (Clackamas County)
 - 1,563 (Washington County)
 - 570 (Yamhill County)

Link: https://portlandgeneral.com/active-psps-info

- These numbers are very dynamic and changing moment by moment.
- Participating in multiple coordination calls with utilities and emergency response partners.
- Supporting coordination of public messaging and notifications about active and potential outages and resources available in support of the impacted communities.
- Coordinating updates from electric utility providers throughout the high wind and PSPS event until all service has been safely restored with Oregon's emergency response partners.
- Monitoring the status of fires around the state and track potentially impacted electric and natural gas infrastructure.
- Standing by to support for requests related to electric equipment and personnel.

ESF #13 - Law Enforcement

Oregon State Police

• No report received.

Oregon Judicial Department

Nothing to report.

ESF #14 - Business and Industry

Department of Consumer and Business Services

Nothing to report.

Business Oregon

Nothing to report.

ESF #15 – Public Information

Oregon Department of Emergency Management

- Continue to closely monitor, share and amplify our partner messaging on wildfire, evacuations, shelter information, smoke and air quality, forecasts and updates on power shutoffs.
- We have maintained a pinned post on OEM's Facebook page with several resources and links to key partner sites.

- Continue to work closely with unified command in Lane County and OSFM for the Cedar Creek Fire to amplify evacuation messaging and offer assistance for any other needs.
- OEM has a team of three PIOs working this event throughout the weekend to assist partners where needed.

ESF #16 - Volunteers and Donations

Oregon Department of Emergency Management

No report received.

ESF #17 – Cyber and Critical Infrastructure Security

Oregon Department of Administrative Services

• No report received.

Oregon TITAN Fusion Center

Nothing new to report.

ESF #18 – Military Support

Oregon Military Department

- 38 ORNG personnel on state active duty (SAD) conducting traffic assistance points in support of Double Creek fire in Wallowa County. One liaison officer on SAD supporting the JOC.
- 6 ORNG personnel on SAD and one HH60M staged at Redmond Airport for standby MEDEVAC support (statewide).

12. Oregon Emergency Management Response Activities

Information current as of 1400

- Coordinating with OEM liaison officers, local and tribal emergency managers, and ESF partners to identify needs and fill resource requests.
- Coordinating with other state EMAC Coordinators to bring in requested resources from out of state via mutual aid.

13. Recovery Activities

Information current as of 1400

- Mitigation and Recovery is standing by and monitoring the situation.
- Mitigation and Recovery Regional Coordinator in Lane County EOC to support response.
- Notified FEMA RX of possible assistance needs should the Cedar Creek Fire reach Oakridge.
- Recovery and damage assessment questions can be sent to oem.recovery@oem.oregon.gov