



NORTHWEST COLORADO FIRE MANAGEMENT UNIT

**Craig Fire Rescue**

**Moffat County Sheriff's Department**

## **NEWS RELEASE**

Wednesday, August 10, 2011

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### **Cedar Fire 85% Contained**

Craig, CO – Fire crews made good progress with mop-up and fireline reinforcement today. However access to parts of the fire was hampered by steep, rough terrain. No support with retardant was necessary and there has been no fire growth.

Access to Bureau of Land Management Cedar Mountain recreation area remains closed to the public while fire personnel and equipment are completing suppression efforts.

The Tatanka hotshot crew and one BLM engine was released from the Cedar Fire to assist with another fire reported late this afternoon.

No structures are currently threatened.

One outbuilding was destroyed and one power pole was damaged.

There have been no injuries.

The cause is under investigation.

Estimated time for full containment is being reevaluated.

The Cedar Fire is five miles northwest of Craig at the base of Cedar Mountain off Moffat County Road 7.

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