

# UTAH INTERAGENCY FIRE



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## Deer Springs Fire Update

RELEASE  
 DATE: July 13, 2024  
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### STATUS

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| Start Date: July 7, 2024         | Discovered: 1:02 PM                                 |
| Size: 11,761 acres               | Cause: Appears to human caused; under investigation |
| Containment: 50%                 | Location: Skutumpah Road and Timber Mountain Road   |
| Terrain: Pinyon-Juniper Woodland | Structures Threatened: No immediate threat          |

### RESOURCES

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| Engines: 7  | Water Tenders: 3   | 1 Hot Shot Crew, 1 Type 2 Initial Attack Crew |
| 1 Type-3 helicopter   | Dozers: 2 on scene | Total Personnel: 160                          |
| Incident Command: Micah Suwyn, Color Country team 2, Type 3 |                    |   |

**Cooperating Agencies:** Bureau of Land Management Utah, Color Country Interagency Fire, State of Utah Department of Natural Resource - Division of Fire, Forestry and State Lands, Kane County Sheriff's Office, Department of Natural Resources law enforcement, US Forest Service, National Park Service, Beaver Dam Fire Department, and various private contractors and municipal fire personnel from fire departments across the West.

### SITUATION

**Current Situation:** Today's operations included continued work to secure the fire line on both flanks of the fire. Crews continued fire line construction and worked to contain any smaller fires that migrated off the rim. As the fire lines continue to strengthen, operations will combine two divisions on the east flank and continue to work on strengthening fire lines where the fire still remains active.

**Evacuations:** None.

**Road Closures:** Area and road closures are in effect. On Skutumpah Road between Johnson Canyon Road and Lick Wash the road is **open to resident traffic only**. Nephi Pasture and Crocodile parking lots, as well as Nephi Pasture Road are **closed to the public** as these areas will be used for fire operations only. We **strongly discourage ALL recreational activities** in the Nephi Pasture Region and along Skutumpah Road.