



EATON FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 1/13/25 Time: 7:00PM



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Incident Information Line: (626) 662-0120
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Incident Email: 2025.eaton@firenet.gov

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Incident Website: <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/incident-information/caanf-eaton-fire>

Location:	Eaton Canyon, Pasadena	Structures Threatened:	39,428
Acres Burned:	14,117	Verified Structures Destroyed	2,722
Containment:	33%	Verified Structures Damaged:	329
Fire Started:	January 7, 2025	Firefighter Injuries:	5
Cause:	Undetermined	Civilian Fatalities:	15

Total Assigned Personnel: 3,235 **Engines:** 316 **Hand Crews:** 51 **Dozers:** 21 **Water Tenders:** 88 **Helicopters:** 16

Virtual Community Meeting Tuesday, January 14th 4:00 p.m.: Eaton Fire officials will host a virtual community meeting to provide the current fire situation, address questions, and discuss recovery. The meeting will be streamed live on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@LosAngelesCountyFD>. A question-and-answer session will follow the presentation. Please submit your questions in advance via email at 2025.eaton@firenet.gov.

Current Situation: Crews are making significant progress in establishing containment lines along the eastern edge of the fire near Santa Anita Canyon. Helicopters flew water dropping missions in areas of steep, rugged terrain near Mount Wilson, inaccessible to firefighters on foot. In anticipation of the forecasted wind event, Large and Very Large Airtankers flew retardant dropping missions along the ridgelines to the west and northwest of the fire. Tonight, engines, dozers, and hand crews are staged in the communities and foothills near the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, ready to respond if needed.

Urban Search and Rescue efforts, infrastructure assessments, hazardous material response, and damage assessment operations are ongoing for the communities on the southern edge of the fire. These operations are unprecedented in size and scale and are critical for mitigating existing hazards, confirming missing persons reports, and obtaining accurate number of structures loss.

Recovery Information: <https://recovery.lacounty.gov/eaton-fire/>

Damage Assessment: Damage estimates from remote sensing technologies indicate over 7,000 structures may have been damaged or destroyed. While this is a preliminary estimate, the number of structures damaged and destroyed listed at the top of this page have been verified by on-the-ground damage inspection teams. Damage inspection teams have completed inspections for 30% of all structures within the fire footprint.

Weather: The fire area will remain under a Red Flag Warning through early Wednesday. Critical fire weather conditions are expected due to strong northeast and downslope winds combined with very low humidity. The highest risk of these conditions spreading to lower elevations will occur late Monday night through midday Tuesday.

School Closures: Pasadena Unified School District Schools will remain closed from January 13-17, 2025. For more information see: <https://secure.smore.com/n/sgk78>

Evacuations: For the most up-to-date evacuation information visit, Genasys Protect using the link: <https://protect.genasys.com/search>

Evacuations remain in place for the affected cities due to continued fire activity, numerous downed trees, downed power lines, gas leaks and power outages. If you have questions or need specific clarification regarding evacuations in your area, please reach out to your city's official government website to receive further information.

Evacuation Point(s):

Pasadena Civic Center - 300 East Green Street, Pasadena, CA 91101

Parking at 155 E. Green St. Please enter from Marengo Ave. The Humane Society is on-site to accept small pets for boarding. Service animals will be allowed inside the Convention Center.

Pomona Fairplex (Gate 3) - 1101 W McKinley Ave, Pomona, CA 91768

Animal Care: Small and Large Animal Evacuation

Pasadena Humane - 361 S. Raymond Ave, Pasadena, CA 91103 (Small Animals)

Industry Hills Expo Center - 16200 Temple Avenue, City of Industry, CA 91744 (Large Animals)

Pomona Fairplex (Gate 3) - 1101 W McKinley Ave, Pomona, CA 91768 (Small and Large Animals)

Angeles National Forest Closure: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/angeles/alerts-notice/?aid=92817>

The entire Angeles National Forest is temporarily closed for public safety and the protection of natural resources from January 8, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. through Wednesday, January 15, 2025, at 12:00 midnight. During this time, the following acts are prohibited within the Angeles National Forest and San Gabriel Mountains National Monument:

1. Going into or being upon the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(e).
2. Being on any National Forest System Road within the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).
3. Being on any National Forest System Trail within the Angeles National Forest. 36 C.F.R. § 261.55(a).

Local Road Closures: <https://pw.lacounty.gov/roadclosures/>

State Road Closures: <https://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/>

Cooperating Agencies: Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indiana, Southern California Edison, Southern California Gas, LA County Public Health, LA County Medical Examiner, Pasadena Water and Power, LA County Department Public Works, LA County Mental Health, Sierra Madre Fire, Arcadia Fire, and the Federal Bureau of Investigation