



EATON FIRE INCIDENT UPDATE

Date: 1/14/25 Time: 7:00PM



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

Scan QR Code for Fire & Recovery resources

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

Location:	Eaton Canyon, Pasadena	Structures Threatened:	28,828
Acres Burned:	14,117	Verified Structures Destroyed	3,988
Containment:	35%	Verified Structures Damaged:	441
Fire Started:	January 7, 2025	Firefighter Injuries:	6
Cause:	Undetermined	Civilian Fatalities:	16

Total Assigned Personnel: 3,392 **Engines:** 274 **Hand Crews:** 57 **Dozers:** 21 **Water Tenders:** 77 **Helicopters:** 16

Virtual Community Meeting Wednesday, January 15th 4:00 p.m.: Eaton Fire officials will host a virtual community meeting and provide an update on 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: Containment efforts are steadily progressing along the eastern edge of the fire near Santa Ana Canyon. The mobile retardant base at Mount Wilson remains active providing fire retardant for helicopters to drop in inaccessible terrain, where ground crews cannot construct containment line. Infrared flights have identified isolated heat pockets within the interior of the fire area, where fuels continue to burn out. Tactical patrols and mop-up operations continue along the northern perimeter of the fire. Hand crews are actively clearing brush and constructing contingency lines in critical areas of La Cañada. Contingency resources are strategically prepositioned throughout communities along the fire’s western edge to due to the Santa Ana wind conditions.

Urban Search and Rescue efforts, infrastructure assessments, hazardous materials 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 damaged/destroyed.

Weather: A Red Flag Warning has been extended through 6 p.m. tomorrow night. Moderate to strong Santa Ana winds are expected to persist during this period, with the highest risk of gusty winds affecting the fire area early Wednesday morning.

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 40% of all structures within the fire footprint.

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

A Disaster Resource Center opened to the public today, 1:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Starting Wednesday, January 15, 2025, the Disaster Resource Center will be available to the public from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM. Residents affected by the wildfires can apply to receive assistance by submitting applications for disaster relief.

Location: Pasadena City College Community Education Center - 3035 E. Foothill Blvd. Pasadena, CA 91107

School Closures: Pasadena Unified School District schools will remain closed from January 13-17, 2025. For more information see: <https://secure.smcore.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 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=92890>

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 Sunday, January 19, 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 Indians - Kizh Nation, Southern California Edison, Southern California Gas, LA County Public Health, LA County Medical Examiner, Pasadena Water and Power, LA County Dept. Public Works, LA County Mental Health, Sierra Madre Fire, Arcadia Fire, California National Guard, and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.