

## Woodward Fire Update Information 415-851-9970

Fire Update - September 15, 2020

The smoke from other fires has started to clear out. The sun fought its way through and burned off the marine layer and the underlying fog yesterday. This put about two hours more sun on the fire area warming up the fuels. Firefighters found heat along the perimeter on the Limantour Road, side of the fire. It is well inside the perimeter, but firefighters will continue to work extinguishing this heat and searching for more. While the containment percent is the same the estimated containment date has been moved back about a week giving fire personnel more time to seek out these possible problem areas.

Yesterday the process of removing snags and widowmakers was started. It will continue until completed.

It may look safe enough to just take a walk in the burned area, but it is not. Please stay out until the Park reopens this part of the park. Remember the fire is not out it is just almost contained. This only means there is a defensible line around the fire. There is still fire burning on the interior.

There are areas of the Park that are open. Check out the Point Reyes National Seashore face-book page for any park closure changes.

Please stay out of the fire area. Be vigilant while you are driving. Watch out for firefighter vehicles and equipment. Slow down, be patient and drive safely.

Quick Facts Incident Summary	
Fire Location	3 miles SW of Olema, California
Approximate Acreage	4,920 acres
Containment	96%
Estimated Containment Date	September 25
Reported Date (Cause)	August 18, 2020 (Lightning)
Incident Commander	Erik Newell - Nevada Interagency Type 3 Team 4
Total Resources	1 hand crews and 5 engines
Total Personnel	91
Cooperating Agencies	National Park Service
Number of Injuries/Illnesses	6 (minor)
Number of structures lost	0

## Online Links

## InciWeb

https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7062

## **Facebook**

https://facebook.com/pointreyesnps

Closures and Fire Restrictions
Marin County Sheriff's Department
0415-473-7250.