Utah’s Wildfire Activity
For the Week of July 19 to 25

Only One Large Fire Burning in Utah: Morgan Cyn (75%) 509 ac

Of the 84 starts between July 19 & 25, 82 of them were fully suppressed within the first day.

2021 TOTAL ACRES

21,365 Acres Human-Caused
38,659 Lightning-Caused
60,024 Acres Total

A 10-year record of only 13 human-caused fires over the week of July 24th. Credit goes to Utah residents and visitors using “Fire Sense”.

Of the 13 human-caused fires, most were preventable. Recent rainfall has only marginally improved fire danger, so wildfire prevention is as important as ever.

Monsoonal precipitation is predicted to diminish by mid-August, and then, hotter, drier weather is expected.

• Fireworks are now illegal to discharge statewide.
• Never shoot into a backstop with rocks and dry grass.
• Campfire restrictions are widely in place throughout the state, check utahfireinfo.gov
• Don’t use exploding targets or steel ammo/targets.

During this period:
- There was 1 injury resulting in lost time
- No Structures were destroyed
- 82 of the 84 fires were stopped before reaching 10 acres

For the period of July 19-25

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Firefighters have responded to 732 wildfires so far in 2021 and thanks to their efforts, 668 of them (91%) were extinguished before reaching 10 acres.

Outlook:

ERC Percentile:
- ERC percentiles are in an improvement trend in Central and southern Utah.
- Lightning activity has increased markedly throughout Utah and hold-over fires are likely.
- Human-caused fires are still in a downward trend. Smoke from outside Utah will continue to have negative air quality impacts.