



Modoc National Forest
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Forest Prescribed Burning Announced

The Devil's Garden/Warner Mountain and Doublehead Ranger Districts are planning this spring to prescribed burn up to nearly 3,400 acres as weather and conditions permit. Prescribed Fire will be used to reduce hazardous fuel loadings, improve wildlife habitat, and improve overall forest health. Projects with all environmental work and prescriptions ready to burn are:

Stateline Prescribed Fire (600 acres)

- Located northwest of the Crowder Guard Station along the Oregon border, north of Wildhorse Reservoir on Forest Service Road 48N11 – T41N, R10E, Secs. 20, 21, 28, 29
- Part of the Crowder Block Wildlife Habitat Improvement Project

Pull-Plug Prescribed Fire (600 acres)

- Located north of Jess Valley along Forest Service Road 5 (West Warner Road) – T40N, R14E, Secs. 11-14
- Part of the Pull-Plug Forest Health Project

Hackamore Prescribed Fire (200 acres)

- Located along County Road 91 (Lookout Road) near its intersection with Highway 139 – T43N, R7E, Secs. 34 and 35
- Part of the Hackamore Ecosystem Restoration Project

Tournquist Prescribed Fire (150 acres)

- Located along Forest Service Road 73 (South Main Road) east of Crowder Guard Station – T47N, R11E, Secs 28 and 29
- Part of the Devil's Garden Fuels Management Project

Bolan Prescribed Fire (180 acres)

- Located in Joseph Creek Basin along Forest Service Road 30 (46N30) – T44N, R14E, Secs 34 and 35
- Part of the Bolan Insect Salvage Sale and Connected Activities

Bench Phase 1 Prescribed Fire (1666 acres)

- Located 5 Miles southwest of Tionesta, Ca. along Forest Service Road 44N28 and 44N26- T44N, R5E, Sec's 33, 34, 35 and T43N, R5E, Sec's 3, 4, 10, 11 and 14
- Part of the Doublehead R.D. Fuels management Project.,

Burning will occur on days when the wind, relative humidity, and fuel moistures are just right during the remainder of this month. Burning will continue to burn through May as field conditions and access allows.

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