Cal OES Daily Situation Report

August 6, 2017

A fire place drops retardant on a home in an effort to save it from the Bryant Fire in San Bernardino County.

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National Terrorism Advisory System

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NATIONAL TERRORISM ADVISORY SYSTEM
BULLETIN

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status			
State Operations Center	**Inland Region EOC**	**Coastal Region EOC**	**Southern Region EOC**
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Pertussis Exposure, Napa County

Napa County Emergency Operations Center is virtually activated in response to patients exposed to Pertussis (Whooping Cough).

- Current Priorities are to prevent spread of respiratory exposure, identify at risk population, public messaging.
- Public Messaging will be targeting County staff and how to mitigate contacts for those who require personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Only 1 patient has been confirmed infected.
- There are no requests for state assistance.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

Governor Brown Proclaims State of Emergency in Modoc County

Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. today issued an emergency proclamation for Modoc County due to the effects of several fires which have burned tens of thousands of acres, threatened homes and critical infrastructure, including power lines, and caused the evacuation of residents.

- Please click here to view the full Proclamation

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels		
National	**Northern California**	**Southern California**
Preparedness Level 4	**Preparedness** Level 4	**Preparedness** Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	**Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2**

Island, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County
Location: 14 miles W of Etna, Marble Mountain Wilderness
Jurisdiction: FRA
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 1,468 acres, 21% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/01/17
- Minor fire activity – confine and contain strategy

Orleans Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County
Location: Ukonom Mountain and Siskiyou Wilderness
Jurisdiction: FRA
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 3,960.7 acres, 7% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/30/17
- Line construction and structure protection of Ukonom mountain lookout

Mission Tasking
2017-Coastal-37716: The California Air Resources Board (ARB) is scheduled to complete a site visit in Orleans, Humboldt County to
- ARB is moving the monitor from Quartz Valley, Siskiyou County to Orleans, Humboldt County.
- Once complete, ARB will be going to Hoopa, Humboldt County to calibrate and install a modem on the tribe's monitor.
- AQMD's monitor will be deployed to Willow Creek, Humboldt County once it is repaired

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Clear, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County
Location: Northeast of community of Goleta near Cachuma Lake
Jurisdiction: FRA
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 4,590 acres, 35% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/01/17
- Fire is burning in Timber and litter understory
- Air quality is forecasted to be unhealthy during the day and potentially very unhealthy overnight in the community of Happy Camp.

Parker 2, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County
Location: Parker Creek Rd, 12 miles E of Alturas
Jurisdiction: DPA, FRA, Modoc National Forest
Type 2 IMT
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 7,100 acres, 10% contained
- Expected Containment 08/31/17
- 415 single residences threatened
- 1 other minor structure destroyed

Deployments
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) deployed to Modoc County EOC

Evacuations
- Pepperdine Campground Evacuated
- Voluntary evacuations for the Deep Creek Canyon area, for the residents on County roads 27, 27A and 25.
- Unknown how many people who have voluntarily left their homes.

Road Closures
- County Road 25

Shelter
- Cedarville Senior Center 502 Main Street, Alturas – Overnight Population: Unk
    - On standby as of 08/05/17

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Modoc July Complex, Vegetation Fires, Modoc County
Location: Northern Modoc National Forest
Jurisdiction: FRA
Start Date: 07/24/17
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:

- 83,001 acres, 65% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/16/17
- Construct lines – mop up and hold existing lines
- Extreme fire behavior continues to challenge fire fighters when fire escapes containment lines
- Continued high temperatures, low humidity, poor humidity recovery, steep, rocky terrain, spotting and rolling material continue to present challenges

Deployments

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned
- 2 Cal OES PSC Technicians assigned

Resources Assigned

- 26 Local Government Engines
- 2 Local Government Water Tenders
- 14 Cal OES Engines

Evacuations

- No voluntary or mandatory orders exists.

Road Closures

- The roads to and from the homes in the fire area are being restricted to residents only.

Proclamation

- On 08/01/17, Modoc County proclaimed a local emergency due to multiple wildfires in the county including the July Complex. The county is requesting regional mutual aid and financial assistance through the California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA).

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Minerva 5, Vegetation Fire, Plumas County
Location: Forest Rd. 24N26, 3 miles SW of Quincy, CA
Jurisdiction: FRA
Type 2 IMT
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:

- 4,088 acres, 56% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/12/17
- 300 single residences, 20 multiple residences, 15 mixed commercial/residential, 10 nonresidential commercial property, 50 other minor structures threatened
- Complete and improve direct and secondary fire lines
- Fire is burning in timber and grass

Deployment

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

Evacuations

- All evacuations were lifted on 08/06/17 at 0800 hours.

Shelter

- The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 55 Bellamy Lane, Quincy. Midnight Count: 0

Empire, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County
Location: 1 Mile South Bridalveil Creek Campground
Jurisdiction: FRA
Type 3 IMT
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:

- 315 acres, 0% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/31/17
- Fire is burning in timber litter and understory
- No Local Government resources assigned

Missions

- 2017-Inland-37776: 2 Air Monitors for Mariposa County

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Detwiler, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County
Location: Detwiler Road x Hunters Valley Road, 2 miles east of Lake McClure
Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/05/17 at 1800 hours:
- 81,826 acres, 97% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/07/17

Deployments
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Deputy Chief assigned.
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief assigned.
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians demobilized.

Health and Medical
- The Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District has issued an air quality alert due to smoke impacts in Alpine and Mono Counties from the Detwiler Fire. More information can be found at: http://www.gbuapcd.org/healthadvisory/index.php

Recovery
- Mariposa County has opened a Free Food Waste Disposal Site at Highway 140 and Bullion Street in Mariposa behind the Chamber of Commerce. The hours of operation will be 0900 through 1500 hours. They will be open every day except Sundays. In addition, a Solid Waste Facility has been opened at 5598 Highway 49 North, Mariposa. The hours of operation are 0800 to 1600 hours daily except Sundays.
- Initial Damage Estimates (IDEs) will be ongoing.
- A second Local Assistance Center will be opened at: Greeley Hill Community Hall, 10332 Fiske Road, Coulterville, 08/02/17 at 0900 to 1900 hours

Mission Tasking
2017-SOC-37393 – Mission for air monitoring from the ARB (Tuolumne OA)
2017-Inland-37583 – DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force (Mariposa OA)
2017-Inland-37584 – CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force (Mariposa OA)

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Calgary, Vegetation Fire, Kern County
Location: Old State Rd x Dollar St, Wofford Heights
Jurisdiction: Local DPA, SRA
Time: 1316
Per Cal OES Duty Officers as of 1759 hours:

- 50-70 acres mostly grass, 0% contained
- 5 homes damaged, structure threat to Wofford Heights
- 66 kv lines threatened
- Initial power loss to the area but power has been restored to most homes, some isolated residences still affected
- Looking at an extended attack with possibly two divisions tomorrow with heavy mop up
- Retardant has surrounded current perimeter
- No divert on aircraft for life threat

Activations

- Kern County EOC is activated at Level 1.

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Assistant Chief
- 1 Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator deployed to the Kern County EOC

Health and Medical

- Kern EMS was requested to coordinate Public Health nurses if needed after 08/06/17.

Evacuations

- Per Cal OES Law Duty Officer as of 08/06/17 at 0907 hours, all evacuations have been lifted.

Shelter

- Senior Center in Lake Isabella, 6405 Lake Isabella Blvd. Midnight Population: 29
- Aging & Adult Services is operating the Department Hot Line to accept requests for evacuation transportation assistance
- Kern Regional Transit has deployed resources and driver to Senior Center, for dispatch to provide transportation assistance as needed.
- Animal Services established companion animal sheltering operations which is activated for dogs, cats and some chickens.
- Red Cross is providing nursing staff shelter through 08/06/17.
- Salvation Army is assisting response through feeding operations to shelter residents and staff.

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FIRE ACTIVITY

Calgary, Vegetation Fire, Kern County (Continued)

Road Closure
- State Route 155 is closed from Oak Knoll to Alta Sierra.

Access and Functional Needs (AFN)
- A shelter equipment trailer was deployed to the shelter to provide capability to assist persons with disabilities.

Recovery
- Kern County coordinating the deployment of a damage assessment team.

Whittier, Vegetation Fire, Santa Barbara County
Location: Lake Cachuma area, south of Hwy 154
Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Los Padres National Forest
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 18,430 acres, 87% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/30/17
- 16 single residences and 30 minor structures destroyed
- 1 residential and 6 minor structures damaged
- 1 Sheriff vehicle destroyed
- Mop up, patrol, improve existing lines

California National Guard
2017-FIRE-37368
- 1 National Guard helicopter with Medevac and rescue hoist capabilities assigned to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California

Bryant 2, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County
Location: Highway 38 at Bryant
Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/06/17 at 0706 hours:
- 325 acres, 75% contained
- Expected Containment 08/08/2017
- Minimal fire activity observed.
- Fire is burning in brush

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MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route Closures at this time.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are many non-lifeline closures throughout the state. Please visit the Caltrans Road Conditions page for the most current information.

Wildfire Closures:

- Kern County: State Route 155 closed from 14.2 mi east of Glenville /at Alta Sierra Rd/ to Wofford Blvd.
    - Estimated time of reopening: 08/06/17 at 0900 hours

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations at this time.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr

Click on the Caltrans Logo to check current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for current highway conditions.

California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

Service Interruptions:

- None Reported

Remote/Community Isolations:

- None Reported

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WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- There is an elevated potential for thunderstorms through Tuesday evening across interior locations in Northwest California. The biggest threats will include lightning strikes and gusty winds.

- **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**
- http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php - Temporarily unavailable.
- https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

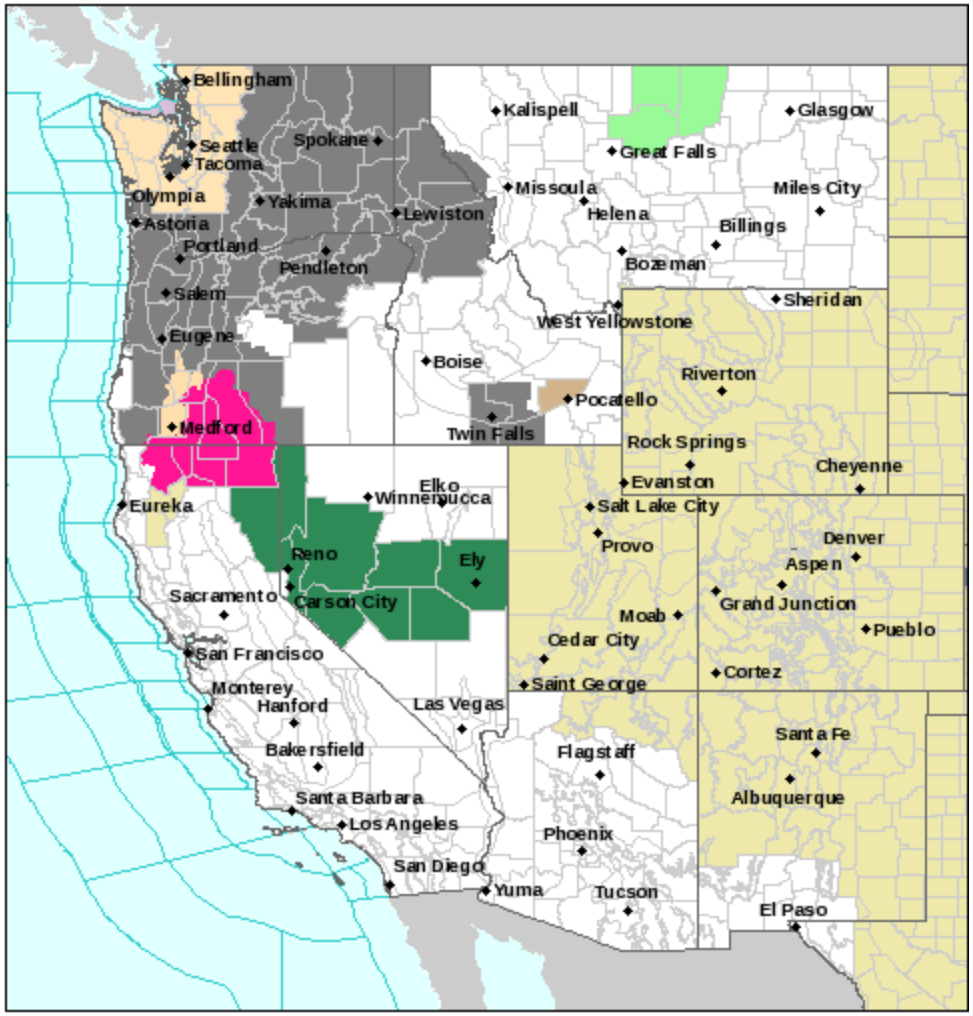
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

*** Scattered Afternoon and Evening Showers and Thunderstorms with Moderate Rainfall Over the Higher Terrain Daily through Wednesday ***
Low pressure near the northern CA coast will continue to pull moist unstable monsoon moisture northward into the North Ops region into the middle of next week. Temperatures will be near normal with fairly high humidity. Showers and thunderstorms will mainly occur near the higher terrain, from Lake County north in western areas, from northern Shasta County north in the central areas, and all areas in the east, especially from the Cascade-Sierra crest east. A direct hit from a thunderstorm could yield 0.50 inches of rainfall, but dry strikes and new ignitions are always possible. Outflow winds from any storms could reach 40-50 mph and would affect fire behavior and suppression activities on any nearby fires. This pattern will continue the active Initial Attack situation and elevation the potential for significant fires, but due to the higher RH and potential rainfall this event remains below High Risk criteria.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

There will be little change in the weather through next weekend. Low pressure off the California Coast will bring scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms to the Sierra and Northern Deserts today and then isolated afternoon showers and thunderstorms over these areas Monday through next weekend. Temperatures will be near normal, with upper 70s and 80s across the mountains and upper 80s and 90s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be above 20% today and then between 15% and 30% Monday through next weekend. Westerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will surface across the desert passes each afternoon.

WEATHER MAP



- Flash Flood Watch
- Red Flag Warning
- Dense Fog Advisory
- Small Craft Advisory
- Lake Wind Advisory
- Fire Weather Watch
- Special Weather Statement
- Air Quality Alert
- Hazardous Weather Outlook
- Short Term Forecast

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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

New/Ongoing/Closed Cal OES Law Missions

- **2017-LAW-37810, 8-5-17, 0900 hours,** AFRCC reported an ELT sounding near McClellan Airport (Lat 38 39.9 N | Long 121 23.1). The beacon had been sounding at the same location for approximately 2 hours. CSWC issued the above law# in conjunction with AFRCC Mission #17M0600. Cal OES-LAW made contact with AFRCC to confirm status and then deployed Civil Air Patrol. Maj Charles Christian accepted the mission and began to coordinate. At approximately 1532 hours the ELT was found still sounding at the airport, located in the aircraft, a Mooney M20e, ELT MFR Artex, model ELT 345. S/N 267-03616 and was deactivated at 1622 by the owner David Greene. The AFRCC confirmed the serial number was a match. At 1850 hours CAP assets were confirmed out of the field and secured. Mission Closed**. Update 8/5/17 @ 2200 hours** AFRCC reported that beacon reactivated but remained at the same location. The owner was not responding to contact and therefore the AFRCC suspended during the evening hours. Attempts of contact will resume in the am. **Mission Ongoing**

- **2017-LAW-37815, 8-5-17, 1520 hours**, AFRCC reported a PLB activation in Placer County, Lat: 39 05.6N, Long: 120 15.9W which plotted a few miles west of Lake Tahoe. Attempt contact with the Registered Owner was unsuccessful. Placer County Sheriff's Office was tasked with the mission and re-contacted at approximately 1700 hours to advise that contact had been made with the R/O whom activated the device on accident. **Mission Closed**

- **2017-LAW-37829, 8-5-17, 1527 hours**, IERCC reported an In-Reach activation in Mono County near Gem Lake, 37° 45' 10 N 119° 8' 57" W. Contact was made with Mono County Sheriff's Office and it was later determined that this was not a rescue, but instead a spot fire notification. Mono County Sheriff's Office forwarded the activation information to the United States Forrest Service. The USFS was contacted and confirmed they had the information and would be launching a helicopter for reconnaissance after a current weather cell had passed. OES-Law contacted IERCC for an update at approximately 1800 hours to check on messaging status from the In-Reach user. IERCC confirmed via text that the user was not in need of rescue but rather just reporting a fire. On Sunday morning 8-6-17 @ 0630 hours USFS advised they had deployed a helicopter to the area and did not observe anyone in need of rescue. They utilized the helicopter for fire suppression efforts and then returned. IERCC reported to USFS that the In Reach user had ceased communication at no point declared himself in need of rescue, this was a notification of fire activity only. **Mission Closed**

- **2017-LAW-37835, 1938 Hours,** IERCC reported a SPOT activation in Fresno County near Edison Lake, 37° 22' 35" N, 119° 0' 48" W. Attempt contact with the R/O and/or Emergency contacts were unsuccessful. Fresno County Sheriff's Office was tasked with coordinating a response. At approximately 2020 hours the IERCC re-contacted to advice that they had received a cancellation notice and subsequent phone contact with family members who reported the activation was accidental. **Mission Closed**

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New/Ongoing/Closed Cal OES Law Missions

- **2017-LAW-37804, 8-4-17, 2009 hours**, the WC received a PLB activation from the IERCC. The registered owner alerted being cold near the Kaweah Basin. The coordinates plotted into the Sequoia National Park near Kern Point (36.549979 N -118.509092 W). Contact with IERCC revealed that Sequoia National Parks had already been notified and were responding. Confirmation was made with Sequoia National Parks and they had already begun to deploy. No further resources were requested. CalOES will continue to monitor. **Update 8-5-17, 1524 hours:** Sequoia National Parks reported that (2) males (16 & 19 years old) had been located and were stable. They did not need immediate emergency rescue but instead needed to be warmed and directed to an alternate route of egress. NPS Rangers provided direction and assisted them out of the area which was described as a snow covered boulder field; neither party was injured and NPS advised the mission had concluded. **Mission Closed**

- **2017-LAW-37690, 07/30/17, 1400 hours,** San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD) is requesting resources to locate two missing hiker. M/Ps were reported missing on, Thursday, 07/27/17 in the Joshua Tree National Park. SBSD is requesting (20) ground searchers. Riverside, San Diego and BORSTAR are responding with requested resources. Update: 07/31/17, 1500 hrs, SBSD advised they are continuing search on 08/1/17 with current resources. Update: 08/01/17, 1400 hrs., SBSD advised they are suspending their search efforts. On 08/02/17, 1500 hrs., SBSD asked to reopen the mission. SBSD is requesting (6) Cadaver Search Dog Teams. This search will take place on Friday, August 4, 2017, at 0600 hrs. The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog team response. Update: 08/3/17 at 1500 hrs (7) Cadaver dogs arrived and per San Bernardino would remain on site for a search the following day (8-4). **Update: 08/04/17, 1500 hours,** San Bernardino contacted reporting that all K9's had been released from the search. The mission would continue on the following day, but utilizing only ground searchers. San Bernardino planned to use (31) of their ground searchers and (16) from Riverside County. It was reported that a lot of the area being searched tomorrow would be in Riverside County. **Update: 8/5/17 at 1530 hours** San Bernardino advised that they had suspended their SAR efforts without locating either of the missing hikers. No immediate plans for future operations have been decided upon. **Mission Ongoing**

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Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-SOC-36209:** Two Public Assistance (PA) Coordinators from the state of New Jersey have been assigned to California through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) system. **UPDATE:** Two PA Coordinators (Team 1) returned safely home on 07/28/17. Two PA Coordinators (Team 2) will provide support at the Sacramento JFO beginning 07/31/17.

- **2017-Cal OES-35819:** Twelve Caltrans engineers requested to conduct damage and site inspections throughout the state for impacts related to 2017 February Winter Storms. The lead engineer will report to the Joint Field Office to coordinate the response.

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