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Wildfire Fact Sheet- Baboon

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(Use hashtag #BaboonFire)

Summary: The Baboon Fire is 95 percent contained with approximately 80 personnel on scene working to meet containment objectives and to secure hot spots. No fire growth has occurred today. The fire remains at 20,732 acres. Fire managers are planning to fully contain the fire by Tuesday evening.

Start Date: Friday, July 20, 2012 11:30 a.m.

Location: Six miles south of Minersville, Utah.

Jurisdiction: Bureau of Land Management, State of Utah: Division of Fire, Forestry, and State Lands.

Fire Size: Approximately 20,732 acres. (Note: one acre is equivalent to one football field).

Cause: Lightning.

Fire Behavior: Fire behavior has minimal, smoldering and creeping is being observed.

Closures: No closures.

Structures: No structures threatened.

Percent Contained: 95%

Fuels: Cheatgrass, mixed brush, and pinyon/juniper trees.

Fire Crews/Resources: 1 Type III Helicopter, 6 Fire Engines, 2 Hand Crews, 1 Water Tender with overhead. Approximately 80 personnel are assigned to the fire.

Evacuations: No evacuations are in effect.

Injuries: No injuries have been reported.

For more information on fires in Utah visit www.utahfireinfo.gov.

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