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Wildfire Fact Sheet- DI Ranch

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(Use hashtag #DIRanchFire)

Summary: A lightning caused fire is threatening 10 structures near the DI Ranch, in Washington County Utah. Aircraft and firefighters are working to suppress the fire while protecting structures at risk approximately 1 mile away.

Start Date: Thursday, August 9, 2012 8:27 p.m.

Location: Located near the DI Ranch, west of Utah Hill in Washington County, Utah

Jurisdiction: Bureau of Land Management.

Fire Size: Approximately 300 acres. (Note: one acre is equivalent to one football field).

Cause: Lightning.

Fire Behavior: The fire is currently active and making short runs.

Closures: No closures.

Structures: 10 structures are threatened. One of these structures is a residential home. The remaining 9 are out buildings, sheds, and/or stables.

Percent Contained: 0%

Fuels: Cheatgrass and brush.

Fire Crews/Resources: 7 Fire Engines, 1 Hand Crew, 2 Single Engine Air Tankers (SEATS), 1 Air Attack Platform, and Various Overhead. Approximately 65 personnel are assigned to the fire.

Evacuations: No evacuations are currently in effect.

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

For more information on fires across the country, visit www.incweb.org.

