

# News *fire information*

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## Hurricane Assist 2 Wildfire

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**Summary:** *Firefighters made good progress again today aided by helicopter water drops. The fire is currently showing minimal activity with little smoke. Threats to structures have been reduced as firefighters secured the areas around them. Containment and mop-up efforts will continue tonight and tomorrow. The fire is being managed by a local Type 3 Incident Management Team.*

**Start Date:** Tuesday, May 22 @ 5:30 p.m.

**Location:** Just to the SE of Hurricane, UT, south of SR 59

**Jurisdiction:** Bureau of Land Management, State of Utah and private

**Fire Size:** Approximately 2,200 acres

**Percent Contained:** 85-90% by end of shift tonight

**Cause:** Human (No specific cause at this time. Investigation ongoing)

**Closures:** None

**Evacuations:** None

**Structures:** No structures lost or threatened

**Fuels:** Brush and cheatgrass

**Fire Crews/resources:** 12 wildland fire engines, 2 water tenders, a helicopter and approximately 75 firefighters including a Type I Firefighting Crew.

**For More Information:** *For more information on fires in Utah visit [www.utahfireinfo.gov](http://www.utahfireinfo.gov). For more information on fires across the country, visit [www.inciweb.org](http://www.inciweb.org).*