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## *Wildfire Update for the BLM Arizona Strip District*

**St. George, Utah** — Fire managers for the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Arizona Strip District are continuing to manage the Wolf Hole and Sand Cove Fires.

### **Wildfire Fact Sheet June 18, 2015**

<b>Fire</b>	<b>Wolf Hole Fire</b>	<b>Sand Cove Fire</b>
<b>Start Date</b>	<b>Observed from Black Rock Lookout on June 16</b>	<b>Observed from Black Rock Lookout on June 15</b>
<b>Location</b>	<b>10 miles south of St. George, UT near Hodgets Canyon</b>	<b>30 miles SW of St. George, UT on Grand Canyon Parashant National Monument/Paiute Wilderness</b>
<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>BLM Arizona Strip District</b>	<b>BLM Arizona Strip District</b>
<b>Fire Size</b>	<b>7 acres</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>Cause</b>	<b>Lightning</b>	<b>Lightning</b>
<b>Fire Behavior</b>	<b>No smoke, mop up phase</b>	<b>Smoldering, creeping</b>
<b>Closures</b>	<b>None Use caution when traveling in the area</b>	<b>None Use caution when traveling in the area</b>
<b>Structures</b>	<b>None</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>Percent contained</b>	<b>100% Contained</b>	<b>Managing for multiple objectives</b>
<b>Fuels</b>	<b>Brush, Pinyon, Juniper</b>	<b>Brush, Pinyon, Juniper</b>
<b>Fire crews/Resources</b>	<b>1 Hot shot crew 1 Type 3 helicopter 1 Type 4 Engine</b>	<b>2 Engine modules</b>
<b>Evacuations</b>	<b>None</b>	<b>None</b>

For more information on fires in Arizona visit <https://twitter.com/BLMAZFire>  
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