



Fishlake National Forest

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Little North Creek Prescribed Fire Up-date Sheet

- Project Name:** Little North Creek Prescribed Burn
Fishlake National Forest, Beaver Ranger District
- Project Type:** Prescribed Fire
- Project Location:** 20 miles North of Beaver, Utah in Beaver County. Along I-15 corridor
- Project Start Date:** May 16th, 2013 – May 24th, 2013
- Project Activity:** Hand burning with drip torches
- Total Acres:** Approximately 500
- Benefits/Objectives:** Reduce hazardous fuel loadings, increase herbaceous forage production for wildlife, improve range habitat and return fire to its natural role on the landscape.
- Vegetation/Fuels:** Gamble Oak, Mixed Conifer, and Aspen fuel types
- Time Frames:** This project is expected to continue through the spring of 2013.

Any other information:

- **No issues with smoke:** The requirements of the division of Air Quality, Smoke Management will be met, which is a clearing index of 500. Informational and warning signs will be placed in strategic locations to inform the public of possible smoke impacts and hazards.
- **Travel Restrictions:** Possible travel restrictions could include temporary road closures during ignition phases of the project or until the area is safe for travel.

For information on Prescribed Fire and Fuel Projects and Wildland fires in Utah visit utahfireinfo.gov, for information on fires burning in other areas, go to inciweb.org.