

## Dump Fire Update ~ June 24, 2012

**Contact:**  
Fire Information  
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**Name of Fire:** Dump Fire

**Start Date:** June 21, 11:30 a.m.

**Location:** 1.5 Miles Southwest of Saratoga Springs, Utah

**Fire Size:** 6,023 acres

**Cause:** Human-Under Investigation

**Fire Behavior:** Extreme fire behavior with rapid downhill growth- Active fire overnight.

**Structures Threatened:** Communications sites on top of Lake Mountains.

**Contained:** 40%

**Estimated Containment:** June 26, 2012

**Fuels:** grass, brush, juniper and timber

**Fire Crews/Resources:** 390 people.

12 handcrews, 7 helicopters, 10 engines, 3 water tenders.

**Evacuations:** None. All evacuations have been lifted for Saratoga Springs, Eagle Mountain and surrounding areas.

### **Additional Information:**

Firefighters on the Dump Fire made good progress with containment efforts over the past 24 hours. Today, fire crews will continue to construct fire line with aerial support in the Israel Canyon drainage. In addition, firefighters will monitor and improve existing containment lines around homes in the Kiowa, Eagle Hills and Saratoga Springs communities. Yesterday afternoon, all evacuations in the Dump Fire area were lifted and residents were allowed to return to their homes.

For status of evacuations and fire information go to [www.inciweb.org](http://www.inciweb.org) and search for the "Dump Fire." Follow us on Twitter at #UtahWildfire. You can also call (801) 935-0593.

**Forecasted Weather:** A Red Flag Warning is in effect until tomorrow at 9 p.m. for high wind, low humidity, and high temperatures.

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