

**NEWS RELEASE**  
**Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest**  
**Spanish Fork Ranger District**  
**44 West 400 North**  
**Spanish Fork, Utah 84660**

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**WILLOW CREEK FIRE BURNING IN MT. NEBO WILDERNESS**

Spanish Fork, Utah, August 16, 2010 – The Willow Creek fire was reported at approximately 3:00 p.m. this afternoon and is burning in very steep and rugged terrain in the Mt. Nebo Wilderness, 30 miles south of Spanish Fork. The lightning-caused fire is burning at 9500 feet in brush and timber. There are no structures threatened and one engine and a four-person squad are monitoring the six-acre blaze. Due to the steep, hazardous terrain, firefighters will not be able to access the fire safely tonight.

The fire is very visible to travelers along the I-15 corridor.

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