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## *Wolf Den Fire*

### **Vernal, Utah—**

Location: Four miles north of Big Park, UT

Current Size: 16,865 acres

Estimated Containment Date: Aug 1, 2012

Containment: 85 percent

The Wolf Den Fire is 16,865 acres in size and is estimated to be contained on August 1. It is currently 85 percent contained. The southeast corner is currently the only unlined portion of the fire. The terrain is very steep and rocky and it is a safety concern to put firefighters in the area. This area of the fire borders where the Augusi Fire burned in 2010 which has helped hold this southeast portion of the fire line. Firefighters are monitoring this area daily, and have not found any active behavior during the past couple of days. Management of this fire will be transitioning to a type four incident on July 11 at 6:00 a.m. There are no road closures in the area.