

**For Immediate Release**

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**Wildfire Fact Sheet**

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**Start Date:** August 10, 2013

**Location:** Skull Valley Indian Reservation (Lat. 40 20 29, Long 112 40 12)

**Jurisdiction:** BLM

**Fire Size:** 1000 acres

**Cause:** Lightning

**Fire Behavior:** Running

**Closures:** none

**Structures:** none threatened

**Percent Contained:** none

**Fuels:** brush, grass, juniper trees

**Fire Crews/Resources: Evacuations:** BLM and volunteer engines – 5 engines and one water tender

**Injuries:** none

**Summary:** The Patch Springs Fire started the afternoon of August 10<sup>th</sup> by lightning. Now five engines and water tender are working the fire. Additional resources have been ordered to assist. The fire is burning in brush and juniper trees and rapidly growing due to high temperatures, low humidity, and high winds.

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