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Wildfire Fact Sheet

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Start Date: August 10, 2013

Location: Two miles NW of Terra. In Skull Valley East of the Goshute Indian Reservation (Lat. 40 20 29, Long 112 40 12)

Jurisdiction: BLM

Fire Size: 6300 acres

Cause: Lightning

Fire Behavior: Group torching with spreading

Closures: Roads and trails in the fire area are closed, but Skull Valley Road remains open.

Structures Threatened: Residence, outbuildings and commercial property for the town of Terra and the Indian Reservation

Percent Contained: 5% Containment

Fuels: Time, brush, grass

Fire Crews/Resources: Evacuations: 8 engines, 2 20-person handcrews, water tender, helicopter, dozer and air attack – 90 personnel

Injuries: none

Summary: The Patch Springs Fire was mapped today with better acreage estimates. More firefighters will be assisting tomorrow including an additional 5 engines and 4 20-person handcrews. The fire is now 5% contained.

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