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### **Wildfire Fact Sheet – Wildflower Fire**

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Start Date: June 28, 2013 (holdover discovered on June 29).

Location: West of Vernon, Utah, in the Simpson Mountains of Tooele County.

Jurisdiction: BLM, State of Utah, and private lands.

Fire Size: 493 acres

Cause: Lightning

Fire Behavior: Calmed down from previous day's running, spotting, torching.

Closures: No closures in effect.

Structures: The James Ranch is located 3 miles north of the fire and is considered threatened given potential of the fire.

Percent Contained: 8pm tonight (6/30). No containment percentage given.

Fuels: Juniper, sagebrush, grass.

Fire Crews/Resources: 1 Helicopter, 8 Smokejumpers, 2 single-engine air tankers, 4 engines and 3 handcrews are assigned. Total personnel: 100.

Evacuations: No evacuations have been ordered.

Injuries: No injuries have been reported.

Summary: Full containment is expected tonight (6/30) by 8pm. Afternoon thunderstorms could hamper containment and fuel extreme fire behavior. Sage grouse habitat is threatened. The Wildflower Fire incident management is also supporting suppression on small fire called Indian Peak in the Simpson Mountains.

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