



Slocan Lake Complex Wildfire Update

July 31, 2024 at 12 p.m.

The cooler, wetter weather the past couple of days has allowed crews to build and strengthen guards on the fires. We are preparing for warmer, drier weather which is forecast for later in the week. Crews and support personnel are operating out of a fire camp in Winlaw, just south of the Slocan Lake Complex.

Wilson Creek wildfire (N51614)

Resources: 19 firefighters, 3 tree fallers

Crews have surrounded the fire with control lines and set-up sprinklers along the west side of the fire. They are now directly applying water to the edge of the fire and moving toward the center. On July 30, the status of the fire was changed to Under Control. This means suppression efforts have ensured the wildfire will not spread beyond the current perimeter.

Nemo Creek wildfire (N51103)

Resources: Firefighters and operational single resources

Firefighters continue cutting handlines through the moss around structures and using thermal imaging to look for hot spots and extinguish them. Personnel are also assessing locations on the northern flank of the fire for guard construction.

Aylwin Creek wildfire (N51065)

Resources: 63 firefighters, 7 tree fallers and 9 faller support personnel, and 17 pieces of heavy equipment are responding to Aylwin Creek wildfire (N51065) and Komonko Creek wildfire (N51210).

Crews have constructed a guard at the north end of the fire, by Bannock Point. They will continue working on the east side of the fire along highway 6, removing fuel, building and strengthening control lines and directly attacking the fire. Tree fallers will be supporting them and making the worksite safe.

Komonko Creek wildfire (N51210)

Resources: 63 firefighters, 7 tree fallers and 9 faller support personnel, and 17 pieces of heavy equipment are responding to Aylwin Creek wildfire (N51065) and Komonko Creek wildfire (N51210).

Crews continue to strengthen existing control lines and assess locations for additional lines. Tree fallers continue to work alongside crews to make the worksite safe.

Mulvey Creek wildfire (N51117)

Resources: 17 firefighters, 2 tree fallers, 1 single operational resource, 9 pieces of heavy equipment

Crews and heavy equipment operators continue to strengthen existing control lines by removing excess fuel and assess locations for additional lines. They will also be establishing and testing a water delivery system.

Ponderosa FSR (N51069)

Resources: 24 firefighters, 2 tree fallers, 2 operational single resources, 3 pieces of heavy equipment

Firefighters and heavy equipment continue to work on completing and consolidating a control line between the fire and properties below, with support from fallers to assess for danger trees, ensuring the area is safe for crews. Crews are also working on establishing a water delivery system to the control lines.

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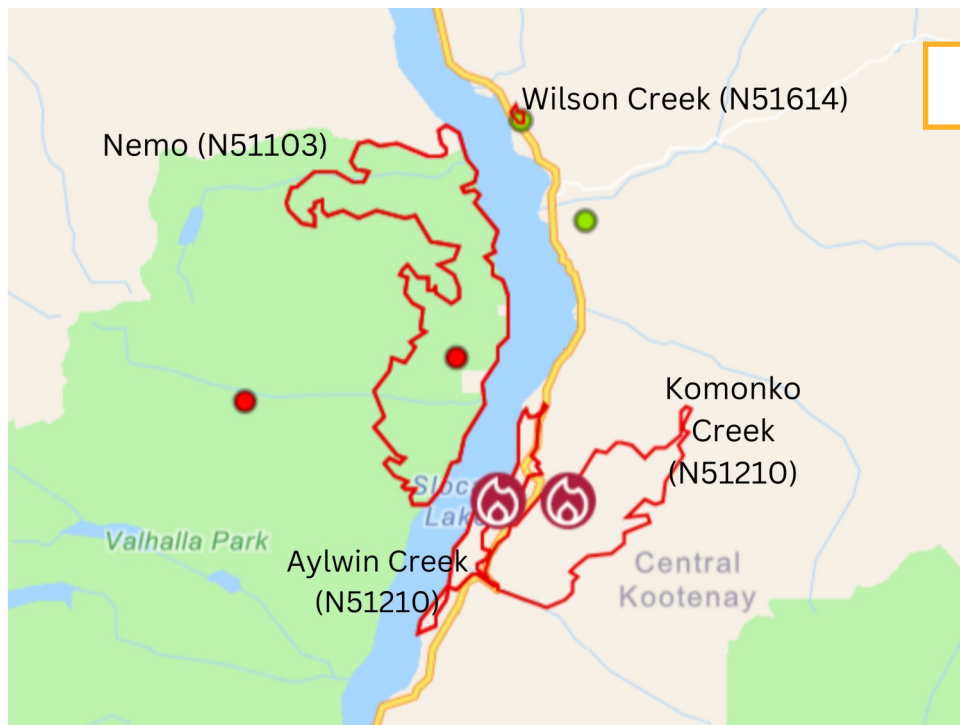
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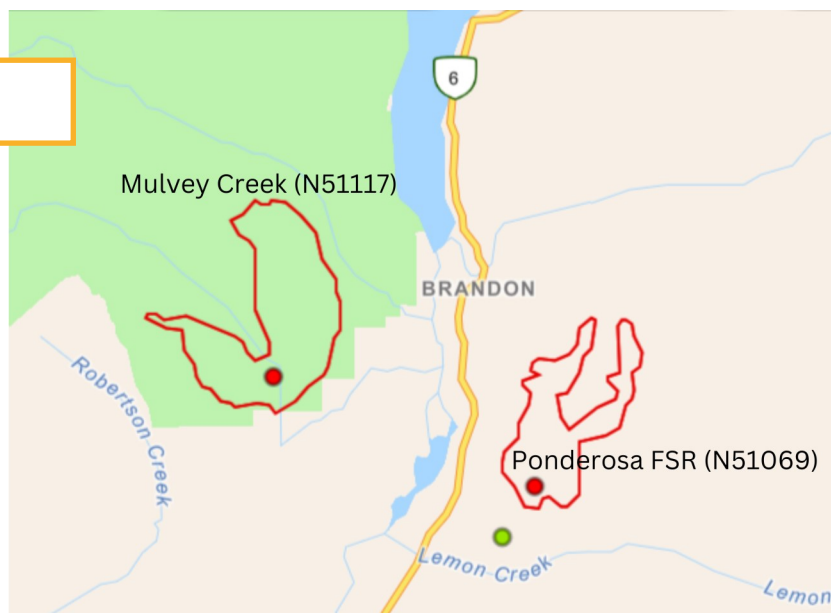
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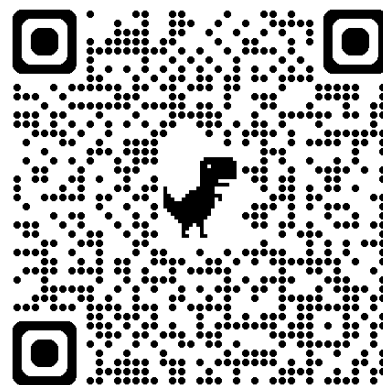
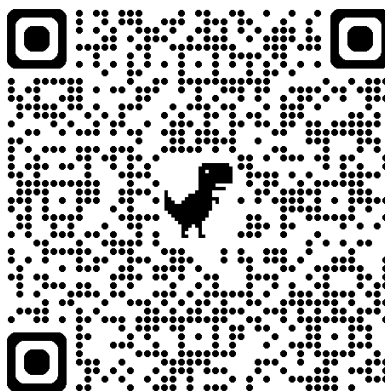
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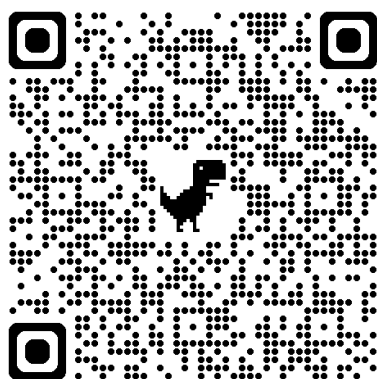
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