



## CFSC NewSpark – August 14, 2022

### *Active Fires & Air Quality Updates:*

#### [Cal Fire Incidents]

- Current emergency incidents and ongoing emergency responses in California, including all 10+ acre wildfires.

#### [InciWeb]

- InciWeb is an interagency all-risk incident information management system. A number of supporting systems automate the delivery of incident information to remote sources. This ensures that the information regarding active incidents is consistent, and the delivery is timely.

#### [Fire and Smoke Map]

- The Interagency Wildland Fire Air Quality Response Program (IWFAQRP) was created to directly assess, communicate, and address risks posed by wildland fire smoke to the public as well as fire personnel. The program depends on four primary components: specially trained personnel called Air Resource Advisors, air quality monitoring, smoke concentration and dispersion modeling, and coordination and cooperation with agency partners.

## ***IN THE NEWS:***

### ***CFSC/Fire Safe Councils:***

Paradise parks district celebrates big anniversary in ‘oasis’ of greenery [\[Enterprise-Record\]](#)

Defueling California’s Wildfires with Sheep [\[New Security Beat\]](#)

EPIC-FSC Launches Emergency Preparedness & Safety Resources Website [\[Big Red Guide\]](#)

California invests in wildfire prevention: Northstate counties to receive millions for community protection projects [\[KRCR\]](#)

Northern California fire districts, mitigation get \$18 million boost from state, including millions for Sonoma, Mendocino counties [\[The Press Democrat\]](#)

San Benito County gets \$758K for wildfire resilience [\[SanBenito.com\]](#)

Sen. McGuire announces millions in funding for Mendocino County fire departments and wildfire prevention [\[Mendocino Voice\]](#)

### ***Across the State:***

They lost everything in the Paradise fire. Now they're reliving their grief as fires rage in Hawaii [\[SM Daily Journal\]](#)

1.2 million homes face wildfire risk in California [\[Housing Wire\]](#)

Pilot Project Converts Dead Trees into Green Fuel [\[Sun Gazette\]](#)

What Caused Maui’s Devastating Wildfires? [\[Scientific American\]](#)

Fighting Fire with Fire [\[UNESCO\]](#)

Model charts map of a wildfire’s likely path in a community [\[KUNC\]](#)

Life with Fire Podcast Ep. 55—Humble Fire and Traditional Ecological Practices with Cultural Fire Scholar, Dr. Melinda Adams [\[Life With Fire Podcast\]](#)

Prescribed Burn Associations could be the future of mitigating wildfires in Santa Cruz County [\[Good Times\]](#)

The Young People Reshaping Wildfire Policy [\[Yes! Magazine\]](#)

### ***In Case You Missed It:***

CFSC's Southern California Regional Monthly Meeting  
August 9, 2023 @ 12:00 PM

[\[Watch here\]](#)

CFSC's Central California Regional Monthly Meeting  
August 2, 2023 @ 2:00 PM

[\[Watch here\]](#)

CFSC's Quarterly Statewide Meeting  
July 19, 2023 @ 12:00 PM

[\[Watch here\]](#)

### ***Upcoming Events:***

CFSC's Northern California Regional Monthly Meeting  
August 31, 2023 @ 12:00 PM

[\[Register here\]](#)

CFSC's Central California Regional Monthly Meeting  
September 6, 2023 @ 2:00 PM

[\[Register here\]](#)

CFSC's Southern California Regional Monthly Meeting  
September 13, 2023 @ 12:00 PM

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### ***CFSC/Fire Safe Councils:***

Mayacamas Volunteer Fire Foundation set to host Starlight Dinner and Auction [\[Sonoma Index-Tribune\]](#)

Santa Margarita fire station trains volunteer firefighters amid storm damage and funding challenges [\[KCBX\]](#)

Nonprofits help Sonoma residents prep for wildfire season [\[CBS\]](#)

Ukiah Library to host Fire Preparedness with Mendocino County Fire Safe Council [\[Ukiah Daily Journal\]](#)

### ***Across the State:***

California's wet winter lowered the risk of big fires, experts say [\[CapRadio\]](#)

California Dept. of Insurance Consumer Report on Preparing for Wildfires [\[CDI\]](#)

Why California wineries are embracing fire to avoid disaster [\[Sonoma Sun\]](#)

Wild Cam: In the face of megafire, some animals prove resilient [\[The Wildlife Society\]](#)

Press Release: BLM announces ambitious approach to reduce wildfire risk in California, NW Nevada [\[BLM\]](#)

Wildfire watch: Forest fuel mapping and drones represent the next wave of firefighting [\[Tahoe Daily Tribune\]](#)

The Future of Forests Webinar Recording [\[The Nature Conservancy\]](#)

Lightning-Caused Wildfires are 80 Percent More Likely Under Dry Vegetation [\[EOS\]](#)

# CFSC NewSpark – August 1, 2023

## ***IN THE NEWS:***

### ***CFSC/Fire Safe Councils:***

Insuring Napa County property against wildfires [\[Napa Valley Register\]](#)

State announces \$113 million in wildfire prevention grants for projects state-wide [\[KEYT\]](#)

Disaster preparedness and fire safety community event is coming to Wildomar [\[My Valley News\]](#)

EMCFSC to Perform Hazard Fuels Reduction Roadwork [\[Sierra News Online\]](#)

Opinion: Preventing the next catastrophic wildfire in Berkeley [\[Berkleyside\]](#)

Community Protection Project Meeting in Milford with LFSC and Plumas NF [\[Sierra Daily News\]](#)

Fire season prep now year-round in San Mateo County [\[Daily Journal\]](#)

Group seeks input from Tuolumne County residents on wildfire plan [\[Union Democrat\]](#)

### ***Across the State:***

Tribe fights to preserve California coastline — and its own culture [\[Washington Post\]](#)

Today's Headlines: The first big fire of the year is here, scorching the Mojave Desert [\[LA Times\]](#)

Berkeley Talks transcript: Jessica Morse on how we can live with fire [\[Berkley Talks\]](#)

FCWG Forest Climate Lab: Wildfire + Climate [\[MSU\]](#)

Liberty Mutual to Stop Selling Business Insurance Product in California [\[Times of San Diego\]](#)

2023 California Wildfire Preparedness Guide: What to know and how to stay safe [\[KCRA\]](#)

New AI technology helps detect wildfires in California [\[CBS8\]](#)

Why California is having its best wildfire season in 25 years [\[East Bay Times\]](#)

Biden-Harris Administration Announces New Round of Investments in Wildfire Protection through Community Wildfire Defense Grants [\[USDA\]](#)

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