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### R-14 Fires near Cear Creek

Several road side fires were started along Highway 73 between Canyon Day and Cedar Creek on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation. The fire is burning in a Pinyon Juniper Forest Type. The fire is estimated to be about 400 acres. Numerous resources are currently on the fire along with heavy air tankers. A fire investigator has been ordered to investigate the fire.

Highway 73 from Canyon Day to Carrizo Junction is closed until further noticed. More information will be forthcoming.

A pre-evacuation notice for the residents of Cedar Creek has been issued. This means that Residents need to be on stand-by in the event of an evacuation is ordered.

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