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Prather, Calif., August 6, 2020 – The Trimmer Fire started Tuesday August 4, 2020 at about 1245 and is burning North of Pine Flat Lake in steep and rugged terrain. Firefighters have made good progress, strengthening lines, continuing to mop-up where possible and strengthening control lines.

Threats exist to cultural resources around Sacata Ridge, as well as threats to transmission lines.

The fire is currently estimated at 600 acres, with 15 percent contained.

There are approximately 164 personnel assigned to the incident. Firefighting resources include, engines, ground crews, and fixed and rotor winged aircraft. The public is reminded firefighting equipment will be traveling on the roads going into the Trimmer Fire area.

Remember: One Less Spark – One Less Wildfire. For more information about wildfire prevention please visit: http://www.preventwildfireca.org/OneLessSpark/

The communities within close proximity can expect to be potentially impacted by varying degrees of smoke for the next couple days. You can learn more about air quality, and daily smoke forecasts by visiting either www.airnow.gov or <u>www.valleyair.org</u>.

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