



## SOUTHWEST INCIDENT MANAGEMENT TEAM #3

### Mangum Fire Wednesday, June 17, 2020

**Public Information:** (602) 345-0469  
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**Size:** 47,561 acres  
**Location:** 30 Miles SE of Fredonia at Mangum Springs  
**Total Personnel:** 532  
Incident Commander: Dave Gesser

**Containment:** 3%

**Cause:** Under Investigation

### Wind and Red Flag Conditions Push Mangum Fire Northward

Firefighters continued point protection efforts and worked to hold anchor points around the fire. Red flag weather and high winds combined to push the Mangum fire northward towards the Kaibab National Forest boundary. It has crossed onto Bureau of Land Management lands.

Today's weather forecast predicts Southwest wind gusting to 25 mph. The fire has transitioned into piñon-juniper type fuels and ultimately into sage-grassland fuels. We expect another very active day of fire behavior. Firefighters will continue point protection, maintain anchor points on the perimeter, and construct new lines where needed to the north.

**Closures:** Highway 89A is closed from Marble Canyon to Fredonia. Highway 67 from Jacob Lake to the Grand Canyon National Park is also closed. Due to the road closures, the North Rim of the Grand Canyon National Park is presently inaccessible. The U.S. Forest Service has closed the North Kaibab Ranger District. The Bureau of Land Management has also closed its lands east of Fredonia, both closures are for public safety.

**Restrictions:** Kaibab National Forest has implemented Stage 2 Fire Restrictions. For a full list of prohibitions, please visit <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/kaibab/alerts-notice/?aid=58061>

**Temporary Flight Restrictions:** Temporary flight restrictions (TFR) are in effect around the entire fire area. Remember, that temporary flight restrictions also apply to unmanned aircraft systems (drones). **If you fly, we can't!**

For further information, please visit the following links:

**Inciweb:** <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov>

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/MangumFire/>

**Twitter:** [@MangumFire](https://twitter.com/MangumFire)

**Smoke Outlooks:** <https://fires.airfire.org/outlooks/NorthCentralArizona>

**CDC Wildfire Smoke and COVID-19:** <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/smoke-faq.html>

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