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~~Public and firefighter safety is the highest priority in fighting all wildland fires.~~

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FIRE UPDATE

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Central Idaho Dispatch reports three small lightning caused fires continue to burn in Custer and Lemhi Counties. The Peach Fire is burning in the Peach Creek drainage 3 miles north of Snyder Springs in the Challis-Yankee Fork District. Two helicopters and 20 firefighters from the Sawtooth Hotshots are working on the fire. The Bohannon Fire is located ten miles east of Salmon on lands managed by the Salmon Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. Two firefighters are at the fire. The Hawley Fire is located near the mouth of Hawley Creek nine miles east of Leadore. Two rappellers have contained the fire and expect have it controlled today. Both the Bohannon and the Hawley fires have burned less than one acre.

The Birch, Camp (both Salmon-Cobalt District), and Granite (North Fork) fires were all controlled yesterday.