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Baldwin Fire

July 21, 2016

Location:

- Black Mesa Ranger District
- 4-5 miles south of Heber-Overgaard

Discovery Date: July 20, 2016

Size: Approximately 6.5 acres in size in light to medium fuels **Percent Contained:** 0%

Location: The fire is bound by FR 50, 50A, 166, 487

Cause: Lightening

Resources Assigned: Engine 623

Summary: The Baldwin Fire is not a threat to the communities of Heber and Overgaard. However, smoke from the fire may be visible from the community at times, and smoke may drift into the communities of Heber and Overgaard. The fire is bound by major Forest Service System roads at this time.

Smoke is also coming from a small fire on the Fort Apache Reservation (Chuck Box Fire). This fire is due south and below the Mogollon Rim. Smoke from this fire may also impact the Heber and Overgaard communities. If you have any further questions please contact the Black Mesa Ranger District at (928) 535-7300.

Fire Information: Further information on this incident is available on 311 via your mobile device, landline 928.333.3412, https://twitter.com/A_SNFs and <https://www.facebook.com/apachesitgreavesnfs>