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Red Flag Warning

URGENT - FIRE WEATHER MESSAGE
National Weather Service Sacramento CA
230 PM PDT Sun Oct 10 2021

...Red Flag Warning late this evening into Tuesday evening for the Valley, Coast Range, and the foothills and lower elevations of the southern Cascades...and Monday afternoon into Tuesday evening across the northern Sierra foothills...

.Gusty north to northeast winds will develop late tonight and continue through Tuesday across much of interior Northern California. The strongest, most impactful, winds are expected on Monday across the Valley and foothills of the Coast Range. These winds combined with low humidity and dry fuels will lead to critical fire weather conditions into Tuesday evening.

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Southern Motherlode From 1000 to 3000 Ft. Includes portions of Calaveras-Tuolumne Unit-
Northern Motherlode From 1000 to 3000 Ft. Includes portions of Nevada-Yuba-Placer-Amador and ElDorado Units-
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...RED FLAG WARNING REMAINS IN EFFECT FROM 11 AM MONDAY TO 7 PM PDT TUESDAY FOR GUSTY WINDS AND LOW HUMIDITY FOR FIRE WEATHER ZONES 220 AND 267...

- * AFFECTED AREA...Foothills of the western slopes of the northern Sierra Nevada, including fire weather zones 220 and 267.
- * WIND...North to northeast wind gusts of 25 to 40 mph, locally higher near favored gaps and canyons. Strong winds will develop Monday and continue Tuesday.
- * HUMIDITY...Minimum humidity 15 to 20 percent. Overnight recovery 30 to 45 percent.
- * IMPACTS...Any fires that develop will likely spread rapidly. Outdoor burning is not recommended.

PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS...

A Red Flag Warning means that critical fire weather conditions are either occurring now, or will shortly. A combination of

strong winds, low relative humidity, and warm temperatures can contribute to extreme fire behavior.

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