



COMMUNICATION BULLETIN

Consistent community updates regarding the status of the Tremont Cr. Wildfire will be as follows:

- Daily updates Monday - Friday by 1:30 pm on the Village Facebook Page, Website and poster at Post Office.
- After hours or weekend updates will only be posted when emergent information is received and must be communicated immediately to the public.
- Voyent Alerts will be sent for critical information only, not for daily fire status updates.

July 28, 2021 – UPDATE TREMONT CREEK (K218490)

- The Mesa subdivision, Barnes Street, Evans Road and properties along the east side of HWY 97C between Barnes Street and the Mesa remain on Evacuation Alert;
- In the downtown core west of Hwy 97C and North Ashcroft, Evacuation Alerts have been rescinded;
- The current threat to Ashcroft remains minimal;
- Updated estimated size is 19,772 hectares;
- Resources actioning the fire include: 52 firefighters 8 helicopters and 32 pieces of heavy equipment. Additional assistance as needed from local First Nations, Ashcroft Fire Dept. and ranchers;
- The fire continues to be extremely active on the southeast flank and will most likely continue to increase in size;
- Crews and equipment had to withdraw to defensible ground and are evaluating best course of action;
- Yesterday's objective was to complete the planned ignition between the fire and the guard near Barnes Lake and Highway 97C;
- Today, crews are working with heavy equipment and helicopters to build machine guard around the areas of growth;
- Follow this link to the BC Wildfires Daily Update:
<http://bcfireinfo.for.gov.bc.ca/hprScripts/WildfireNews/OneFire.asp?ID=843>
- Village approach remains the same, to plan, be prepared, stay informed and share information to our residents.

NEXT UPDATE – THURSDAY, July 29, 2021

For more information:

BC Wildfire Service at: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status/wildfire-situation>

Thompson Nicola Regional District at: <https://www.tnrd.ca/>

Village of Ashcroft at: <https://ashcroftbc.ca/>

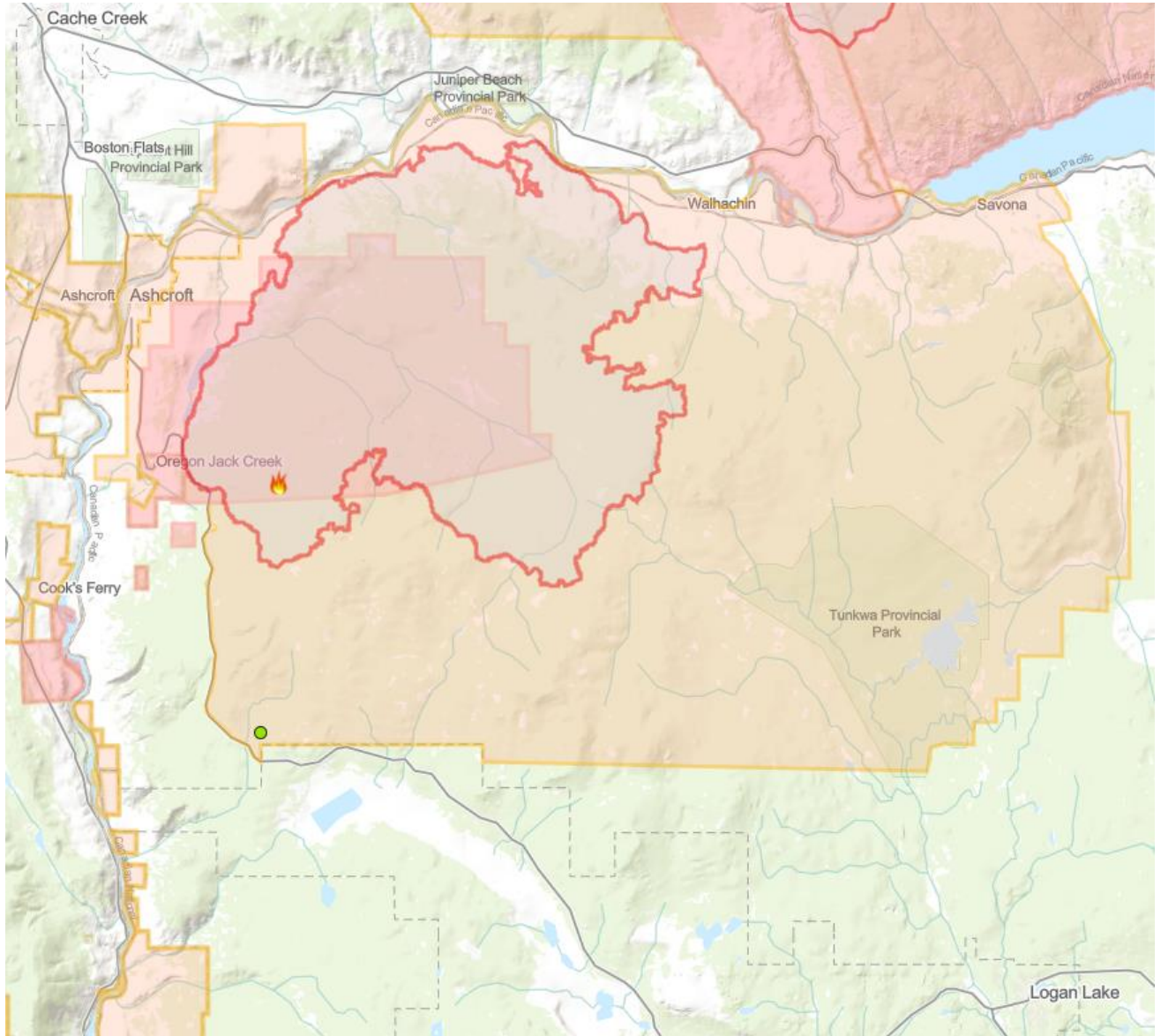
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Screen shot of BC Wildfire map indicating the perimeter of the Tremont Creek Fire July 28, 2021

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