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## Fire Update August 22, 2006 5 p.m.

Lakeview, Oregon – Fire officials are predicting full containment of the 400 acre Abert fire which was ignited by lightning on August 20, 2006. The fire is located 50 miles north of Lakeview, Oregon and north of Abert Lake on the Lakeview District Bureau of Land Management administered land. Fire officials commended the Incident Commander, Abel Harrington, for suppression actions during the evening on August 20, 2006. Crews secured the southern flank of the fire allowing crews to concentrate efforts on the most active portions of the fire yesterday. The Lakeview Interagency Fire Center was instrumental in obtaining both aerial and ground suppression fire fighting resources in containment of the fire. Today three engines continued to patrol the boundary of the fire searching for and extinguishing actively burning or smolder fuels.

The Klamath Interagency Fire Center in Klamath Falls, Oregon reported no fire activity in their dispatch area.

Additional information can be obtained at the following web site: www.fs.fed.us/r6/fremont/scofmp.