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Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks

February 16, 1998

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Prescribed Natural Fires (PNF)- Lightning cause

Lightning caused, and actively managed to maintain natural ecosystem processes. Includes the *Sugarloaf II Fire* (272 acres), and five other

small (less than 10 acres) ignitions (1 acre total).

Suppressed Lightning Fires - Lightning-caused fires, suppressed due to factors such as proximity to

park boundary, unacceptable smoke impacts, unacceptable weather conditions, or competition for firefighting resources regionally or

nationally. Includes 7 small fires (7 acres total).

Human-Caused Wildfires - Unplanned and unwanted fires that were aggressively

suppressed. These include 4 small fires (1 acre total) and the

Amphitheater Point Wildfire (see comment in MIPF).

Management-Ignited Prescribed

Fires (MIPF)

Fires planned and set by NPS staff in designated areas to reduce hazardous fuels and/or restore natural conditions. The *Amphitheater Point Burn*, was declared a wildfire after 5 acres, burning a total of 242 acres.

<u>Accomplished</u>	-	Ash Mountain grass burns	22 acres
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Hospital Rock grass burns	2 acres
Pinewood (Giant Forest)	26 acres
Huckleberry (Giant Forest)	125 acres
Cedar Grove Segment 18	49 acres
Copper Cr. (Cedar Grove)	284 acres
Sheep Creek (Cedar Grove)	413 acres
Mineral King Segment 10	470 acres*
Wuksachi	580 acres*
Redwood (MK Segment 4)	455 acres*
Hercules (Giant Forest)	25 acres*
Sunset (Grant Grove)	250 acres*
Lewis Cr. (Cerdar Grove)	297 acres*

Not ignited unacceptable burning conditions

Wuksachi	2020 acres*
Hercules (Giant Forest)	153 acres*
Mineral King Segment 10	2530 acres*
Mineral King Segment 2	1550 acres
Cedar Grove Maintenance	129 acres
Lewis Creek	103 acres*
Roaring River	92 acres
Bubbs Creek	11 acres
Round Meadow	328 acres
Sunset	240 acres*
Redwood (MK Segment 4)	45 acres*

^{*} Partially burned units.