



## Okanagan Indian Band

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### EOC Update

August 24, 2021 1000hrs

#### **Planned small scale ignition operations to commence**

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**Please be advised that BC Wildfire Service will be beginning small control line ignition operations which were scheduled for yesterday.**

This will consist of both hand and aerial ignition operations so please don't be alarmed by an increase in smoke and fire activity. The goal is to remove all unburnt fuel between the control line and the perimeter of the fire. This should allow crews to better secure access to Westside Road and allow mitigation and recovery crews safer access into affected areas.

There will be a more fulsome update later this afternoon,

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