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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (July 26, 2010) Firefighters from Suffolk Fire and Rescue, Holland Volunteer Fire Department, Whaleyville Volunteer Fire Department and Virginia Department of Forestry established new fire lines and are continuing to monitor this brush fire in the 6200 blk. of Trumpet Dr.

Since first reported on July 5, this fire has covered approx. 15 acres. Last night's rain had little impact on the fire.

UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (July 25, 2010) Wind gusts have caused the spread of the Trumpet Dr. fire that began on July 5, which firefighters and the Virginia Department of Forestry have battled for weeks. Firefighters were called back to the location today just before 3 p.m. after reports that the fire had jumped the fire line. Officials estimate an additional ten acres is burning.

Resources from Suffolk Fire and Rescue, the Virginia Department of Forestry and Carrsville Fire Department are currently on scene. There are no reports of structures endangered.

SUFFOLK, VA (July 6, 2010) Suffolk Fire and Rescue are currently battling a brush fire in a wooded area in the 6200 blk. of Trumpet Dr. There was a fire at this location last night. Emergency communications received notification from a citizen that it had reignited just before 1 p.m. today.

There is no report of any structures being threatened at this time.

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