

Public Advisory



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PÕHAKULOA TRAINING AREA FIRE UPDATE

The PTA fire is at approximately 300-500 acres and at 60 percent containment. There is no danger to the surrounding communities.

PTA firefighters and Public Works continue efforts to apply wet lines and create firebreaks to manage the flow of the fire. Wet lining is the tactic to saturate unburned areas with water to prevent the fire spreading. Firefighters work closely with the PTA environmental section to identify areas with natural and cultural items.

The 25th Infantry Division Army helicopters are supporting with bucket drops.

PTA appreciates the continued partnership with the 25th Infantry Division and the Hawai'i County Fire Department.

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