

BRIEFLY



A handful of people who live close to a riverbed must stay away because of their homes' proximity to the

A 60-acre fire erupted in a palm grove in the desert town of Thermal, 135 miles southeast of Los Angeles. By late afternoon, it had

Brian Schaeffer with the Spokane Fire Department says that air and ground crews got the less than 150-acre blaze halfway contained, Spokane news station KHQ-TV reported.

"We need to ensure a market that in the long term is stable, competitive and ensures pricing that is much closer to the cost of delivering health care," said Pat Allen, director of the state Department of Consumer and Business Services, which oversees the Insurance Division.

Interested landowners should apply to their local USDA Service Center. The office in Umatilla County can be reached at 541-278-8049, and in Morrow County at 541-676-9011.

Bend Republican Rep. Knute Buehler said the two measures combined allow Oregon women to have the easiest access to birth control in the nation.

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TODAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
Mostly sunny, breezy and nice	Mostly sunny and nice	Partly sunny	Breezy and nice with sunshine	Partly sunny and pleasant

PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST

81°	52°	82°	52°	87°	57°	86°	53°	83°	53°
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HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST

83°	51°	85°	50°	89°	57°	89°	55°	88°	54°
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PENDLETON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	89°	55°
Normals	79°	53°
Records	100° (1961)	38° (1902)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	0.05"
Normal month to date	0.86"
Year to date	4.99"
Last year to date	6.94"
Normal year to date	7.37"

HERMISTON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	92°	57°
Normals	80°	54°
Records	108° (1961)	40° (2010)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	Trace
Normal month to date	0.41"
Year to date	3.14"
Last year to date	4.03"
Normal year to date	5.52"

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today	5:05 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:48 p.m.
Moonrise today	8:27 a.m.
Moonset today	10:52 p.m.

First	Full	Last	New
June 24	July 1	July 8	July 15

Shown is today's weather. Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.

REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon:

CLOUDS giving way to some sun today, except variable cloudiness across the north.

Eastern Washington:

Times of clouds and sun today, but sunnier across the south and in central sections.

Eastern and Central Oregon:

Mostly sunny and comfortable today; not as hot in the upper Treasure Valley.

Cascades:

Mostly sunny today; pleasant. Clear to partly cloudy tonight. Mostly sunny tomorrow.

Western Washington:

A passing shower in the morning, but any in central parts today.

Northern California:

Windy at the coast today; plenty of sunshine in the interior mountains.

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Weather (W): *s*-sunny, *pc*-partly cloudy, *c*-cloudy, *sh*-showers, *t*-thunderstorms, *r*-rain, *sf*-snow flurries, *sn*-snow, *i*-ice.