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## South Fork of Quitchupah Monitoring

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We attempted to visit South Fork on May 17 & 18, however due to snowfall and muddy roads we were unable to access the creek. When we attempted access on May 24 we were turned back by Forest Service personnel who were blocking the road due to a prescribed burn at South Fork. They had started fires on the ground and were also dropping incineration devices from a helicopter. On May 25, the North Duncan Flat Pond was approximately 50% full, the North Duncan Pond was dry and the Middle Pond was approximately 10% full. The creek was flowing above and below the road, however the Forest Service had dammed flow above the road for potential fire control. The flow was therefore impacted but measured at approximately 30 mph. Flow was observed above and below the rockfall and at the confluence of the North and South Forks of Quitchupah Creek. Please contact us at this e-mail address with questions or if you need additional information. Regards, Vicky

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