



**News Release** – For Immediate Release Thursday, May 23, 2013

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## **Fire update: Grass fires on Emerson Trail and Range Road 61 now under control**

Two grass fires covering approximately 10.12 hectares located on the corner of Emerson Trail and Range Road 61 have been contained. County Fire Crews from Clairmont, Sexsmith, Teepee Creek, and LaGlance, including one helicopter, responded to the fires earlier this afternoon.

County Fire Crews will remain on scene over the next few days to check for hot spots.

Expect to see light smoke in the area over the weekend or until smoke clears. Motorists are advised to drive with caution in the area.

The fire is believed to have been caused by downed power lines and posed no threat to structures in the area.

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