

## Forest Service

### Sawtooth Berry Field Burn Tomorrow

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The Mt. Adams Ranger District and the Gifford Pinchot National Forest are planning a prescribed burn tomorrow, Friday, Sept. 23, 2011 on the Sawtooth Berry Fields to the north of Indian Heaven Wilderness along Forest Road 30.

Forest Service Fire staff plan on lighting the unit of about 160 acres around noon. If the unit needs more work, burning will continue on Saturday. Smoke is expected to move northward over unpopulated areas. An air-quality plan has been submitted to the state of Washington for approval.

This burn is planned in conjunction with the Yakama Tribe to enhance huckleberry production in the area. Tribal fire personnel will be involved with the burn.

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