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Firefighters Quench Blaze at Diamond Point Airport

On August 11, 2025, at 11:09 AM, firefighters from Fire District #3's Station 5 responded to a fast-moving brush fire along the runway. A local community work party using propane torches to repair cracks on the asphalt touched off blazes that were contained at 2.0 acres and 0.2 acres respectively.

Engine 35 established Diamond Point Command and requested an additional engine from Blyn and a brush engine from Station 34 in Sequim. Battalion Chief 3 also responded to support the crew's firefighting efforts. A wet line was created around both fires as the wind began to gust to 11 mph.

FD3 has responded to 56 vegetation fires in 2025, accounting for 51.9% of our total fire calls. As we celebrated Smokey Bear's 81st birthday this past Saturday, let's remember him in that, "Only You can prevent Wildfires."

FD3 reminds our community that on July 14, 2025, County Fire Marshal George Bailey issued a **FULL BURN BAN** in unincorporated Clallam County. For more information visit www.ccf3.org.

Questions may be directed to Battalion Chief, Chris Turner at (360) 683-4242. Ext. 132.

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