



MEDIA RELEASE

Initial assessment of fire affected areas – Update 6

As at 3pm 15 February 2017

The NSW Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) is continuing its assessment of areas affected by bush fires at the weekend.

At this stage, a total of 41 homes have been confirmed destroyed, with nine others damaged.

A total of 128 outbuildings have been destroyed, with 30 others damaged.

The following locations have been assessed:

Sir Ivan Fire (Warrumbungle) – Assessment continuing

31 homes destroyed (increase from 25 in previous update)

6 homes damaged

1 church destroyed

1 community hall destroyed (increase from previous update)

104 outbuildings destroyed, 30 damaged

Pappinbarra (Port Macquarie-Hastings LGA) - Complete

6 homes destroyed

3 homes damaged

11 outbuildings destroyed

Spring Hill Road Dondingalong Fire (Kempsey LGA) - Complete

2 homes destroyed (one uninhabited)

7 outbuildings destroyed

Binalong Road, Boggabri (Narrabri LGA) – Complete

1 home destroyed

2 outbuildings destroyed

White Cedars Road (Mid Western) – Complete

1 home (uninhabited)

4 outbuildings destroyed