



NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE

MEDIA RELEASE

Initial assessment of fire affected areas – Northern NSW

13 August 2019

The NSW Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) has completed the assessment of areas affected by the weekend bush fires in Northern NSW. A total of four houses have been destroyed.

The following has been confirmed:

Total

4 houses destroyed
1 house damaged
29 houses untouched
9 outbuildings destroyed
2 outbuildings damaged
22 outbuildings untouched

Racing Track, Turners Flat fire (Kempsey)

1 house destroyed
1 outbuilding destroyed
1 outbuilding damaged
11 homes untouched
10 outbuildings untouched

Gilmores Gully fire (Kempsey)

1 house destroyed
5 outbuildings destroyed
1 outbuilding damaged
2 homes untouched
7 outbuildings untouched

Clearfield Road, Rappville fire (Richmond Valley)

2 houses destroyed
2 outbuildings destroyed
11 houses untouched
4 outbuildings untouched

Brewers Road, Kippenduff fire (Richmond Valley)

1 house damaged
1 outbuilding destroyed
5 houses untouched
1 outbuilding untouched

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