

# *Hundreds evacuated in Northern California as firefighters battle rare January wildfire*

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San Francisco, January 24 (RHC)-- In Northern California, firefighters have contained about one-third of a 1,000-acre wildfire near the coastal communities of Monterey and Big Sur.

Hundreds of residents were evacuated over the weekend. The blaze is the first 100-acre-plus wildfire in the area to burn in the month of January in over a decade, as the climate crisis and a two-decade drought

have led to extended wildfire seasons.

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