

The California Bureau of Land Management is again using goats to knock down dry weeds, brush and grass in an effort to reduce fire hazards. The goats arrived last October and will be working through Spring, 2021. This is the fourth year that goats have been used and the BLM Central Coast Field Office at Fort Ord National Monument (FONM) is hosting these bands of goats. The first 600 goats arrived at the Monument in October, and another 1,400 joined them shortly thereafter. The goats started their work adjacent to residential neighborhoods along State Route 68 on the Monument.

