

For More Information:

As with all emergencies, Evergreen Fire Rescue will keep the public we serve informed through our twitter feeds, websites, and with the sheriff offices of Jefferson and Clear Creek County. These websites can provide additional useful information.

Evergreen Fire Rescue
www.evergreenfirerescue.com
http://twitter.com/efr_co

Jefferson County Sheriff
www.jeffcosheriff.com
http://jeffcosheriff.blogspot.com
http://twitter.com/jeffcolorado
For access to Code Red Reverse 911 notification, visit www.jeffcosheriff.com

Clear Creek Sheriff
www.clearcreeksheriff.us
For access to Code Red Reverse 911 notification, visit www.clearcreeksheriff.us

Ready, Set, Go! Personal Wildfire Action Plan
www.firesafetyeducators.org/lessonplans/
ReadySetGoColorado.pdf

Smart911
www.smart911.com

www.firewise.org

U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Preparedness Website
www.ready.gov

The Red Cross Disaster Family Plan
www.redcross.org/services/disaster/beprepared/
familyplan.html

Colorado Division of Emergency Management
www.dola.state.co.us/oem/oemindex.htm

Colorado Water Conservation Board
www.cwcb.state.co.us/flood_watch

National Wildland/Urban Interface Fire Program
www.firewise.org

U.S. Geological Survey
www.usgs.gov

National Weather Service
www.nws.noaa.gov

The Urban Drainage and Flood Control District
www.udfcd.org

Mitigation Resources:

www.FederalGrants.com

www.fs.fed.us

www.state.co.us/gov_dir/leg_dir/olls/sl2008a/sl_334.htm

www.kunc.org/post/tax-breaks-grant-money-available-colorado-wildfire-mitigation



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If it is an emergency, please dial 911

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What can you do to be prepared for evacuation?

Now is the time to take action.

Living in the mountains, and in wildfire areas, you should already be prepared to evacuate at a moment's notice.

Get an evacuation plan together and go over it with family and friends that you have close contact with.

When You Must Evacuate:

If you are instructed to evacuate immediately, gather your household and go. When possible, take one car per household preferably a high clearance vehicle such as a SUV. This will keep you together and reduce traffic congestion and delay. In other cases, you may have time to follow these steps:

1. Follow the Fire Department or Sheriff's Office recommended evacuation routes. **DO NOT TAKE SHORT-CUTS.** They may be blocked. Be alert for bridges. Stay away from downed power lines. Disaster situations can be intense, stressful and confusing.
2. Gather water, food, clothing, medicines, emergency supplies, insurance and financial records.
3. Wear sturdy shoes and clothing that provides some protection, such as long pants, long-sleeved shirts, cap and jacket.
4. Secure your home. Close and lock doors and windows. Unplug appliances. If a hard freeze is likely during your absence, take actions needed to prevent damage to water pipes by freezing temperatures.
5. Turn off the main switch on electricity panel, if instructed to do so.
6. Let others know where you are going, leave a note or call.
7. Leave early enough to avoid being trapped.



Your Go Kit:

- Battery powered radio / emergency radio
- Flashlights and extra batteries
- First aid kit
- Whistle for signaling
- Dust masks
- Wrenches and pliers for shutting down utilities
- Food with can opener
- Spare eyeglasses, shoes, coats, spare clothing
- Animal carriers ready at the front of the house
- Escape route plan and emergency numbers for friends, family, and neighbors
- Insurance, medical, prescriptions, and family information you may need.
- Spare keys.

All of these items should be kept by your door and ready to go at a moment's notice!

