EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE (EOC)



EVACUATION ORDER <u>August 4, 2022, 1830 hrs.</u> South of Olalla

Pursuant to Section 13 (1) of the BC Emergency Program Act an **Evacuation Order** has been issued by <u>Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen</u> to protect the health, safety or welfare of a person or to limit damage to property due to: The Keremeos Creek Wildfire.

Members of the RCMP and other agencies under the direction of RCMP will be expediting this action.

The **Evacuation Order** is in effect for the following areas:

South of Olalla up to Liddicoat Road

Visit the RDOS EOC website for resource links and information updates: https://emergency.rdos.bc.ca/resources/

Link to Latest Updates

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Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen

Schedule 1 – List of Properties

2796 BARCELO RD	1220 HIGHWAY 3A	1395 HIGHWAY 3A
2810 BARCELO RD	1221 HIGHWAY 3A	2744 LIDDICOAT RD
1100 HIGHWAY 3A	1301 HIGHWAY 3A	2748 LIDDICOAT RD
1124 HIGHWAY 3A	1331 HIGHWAY 3A	2755 LIDDICOAT RD
1200 HIGHWAY 3A	1335 HIGHWAY 3A	2778 LIDDICOAT RD
1216 HIGHWAY 3A	1337 HIGHWAY 3A	2788 LIDDICOAT RD
1217 HIGHWAY 3A	1339 HIGHWAY 3A	

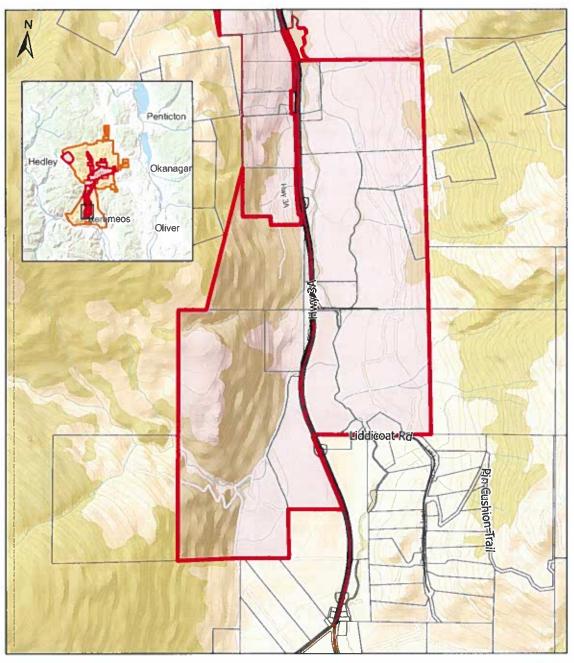
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Schedule 2 - Evacuation Order Map



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Fire: K50863 Keremeos Creek wildfire Evacuation Order South of Olalla 08/04/2022 @ 1830



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WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

- You must leave the area immediately.
- Follow directions of emergency responders and travel designated or safest route available.
- Register online at ess.gov.bc.ca
- A reception centre is set up at Princess Margaret Secondary, 120 Green Ave, Penticton if you require immediate assistance
 - Hours: 8am -5pm
 - Due to a shortage of commercial/hotel accommodation, consider making arrangements to stay with family or friends if possible.
 - Take pets with you if you can.
 - To access Emergency Support Services (ESS), call 250-328-8749
- If you need transportation assistance, call RDOS EOC: 250-490-4225
- Gather your family; if you have room, take a neighbor or someone needing transportation.
 - Do not use more vehicles than you have to.
- Do not turn off your natural gas. FortisBC will turn off natural gas service as needed.
- Store your Firearms in accordance with Section 118 of the Firearms Act.
- Close all windows and doors.
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock.

WHAT TO TAKE:

- Critical items only if they are immediately available:
 - government-issued ID
 - medications
 - eyeglasses
 - valuable papers (e.g. insurance, credit, and mortgage information)
 - immediate care needs for dependents
- Pets in pet kennels or on leash.
 - Pet owners and hobby farmers with concerns for their animals may contact:
 - Animal Emergency Response Team (ALERT): 250-809-7152
 - Commercial Farmers who require assistance may contact:
 - RDOS EOC: 250-490-4225

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At the Reception Centre – Emergency Support Service (ESS) volunteers are able to assist you to meet your basic needs by providing service for up to 72 hours. This may include coordinating food, clothing, lodging and transportation.

- If you are not able to attend the reception center and require support, call 250-328-8749.
- An ESS volunteer will return your call.

ESS is a safety net program available when alternatives such as family, friends, and insurance cannot be accessed. ESS is not offered if insurance is accessible. In situations where insurance exits, but cannot be immediately accessed, interim support may be provided.