



## REGIONAL DISTRICT OF BULKLEY-NECHAKO

# CHESLATTA LAKE WILDFIRE (N side of Nechako Lakes) EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED August 18, 2018, at 1300 hrs

Pursuant to Section 12 (1) of the *Emergency Program Act*, and the Provincial Declaration of State of Local Emergency for the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, an Expanded Evacuation Order has been issued by the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako due to immediate danger to **life safety** due to a wildland interface fire.

The Expanded Evacuation Order is in effect for:

**East of Cheslatta Lake and west of the Nechako River (see attached map).**

### Evacuees Please:

- If you have accommodations with friends and family register at the ESS reception centre at the Burns Lake College of New Caledonia located at 545 Hwy 16 W, 9 am – 4 pm.
- After hours in regard to Emergency Social Services (ESS) please contact the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-3195** or **1-800-320-3339** or Emergency Management BC at 1-800-663-3456.
- Emergency Social Services can provide assistance for food, lodging, clothing, emotional support and family reunification.

If you are a farm business and require assistance in regard to livestock please contact the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako (RDBN) at **250-692-3195** or **1-800-320-3339**.

### WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

- You must leave the area **immediately**.
- If you need transportation assistance from the area please advise the individual providing this notice or call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at 250-692-3195 or Emergency Management BC at 1-800-663-3456.
- Close all windows and doors.
- Shut off all gas and electrical appliances, other than refrigerators and freezers
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock.
- Gather your family: take a neighbour or someone who needs help.
- Take critical items (medicine, purse, wallet, and keys) only if they are immediately available. Take pets in pet kennels or on leash.

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**For media inquiry, please contact:**

**Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako**

250-692-3195 or 1-800-320-3339

**Bill Miller**

Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako Board Chair

250-692-9940

**For public inquiry, please contact:**

**Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako**

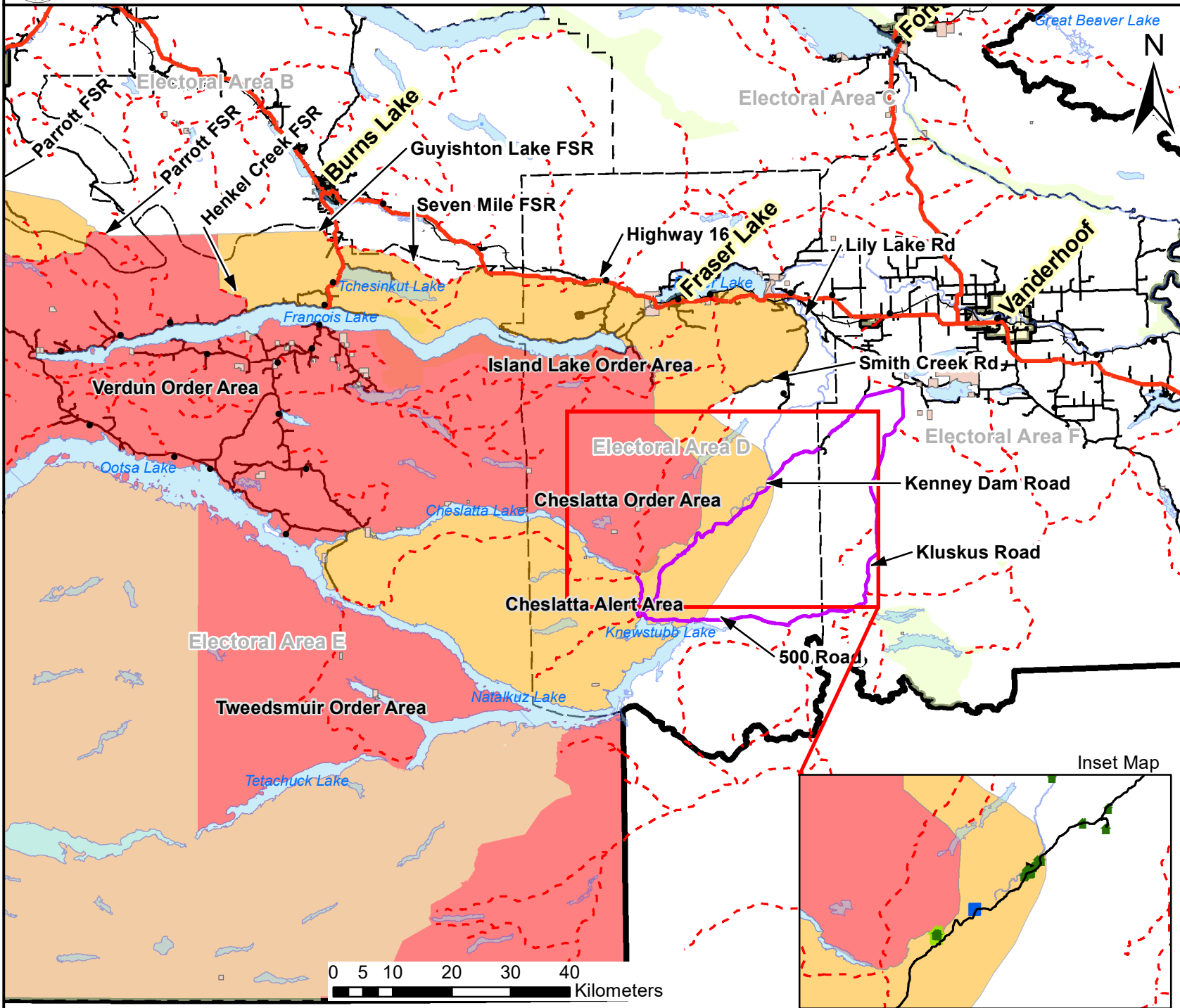
at [www.rdbn.bc.ca](http://www.rdbn.bc.ca) or call 250-692-3195 or 1-800-320-3339

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Bill Miller, Chair  
Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako



# Cheslatta Lake Fire Evacuation Order and Alert Area - 18 Aug 2018 1300h



**Legend**

- LakeNames
- Community\_Locations

**CLASS**

- Evacuation Route
- Forest Service Road
- Highway
- Indian Reserve
- Order Area
- Alert Area
- Minor Road
- Municipal Boundary
- Parks

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