

EVACUATION ALERT AMENDMENT



FRASER LAKE
BRITISH COLUMBIA



NECHAKO SOUTHEAST AREA FIRES EVACUATION ALERT AMENDMENT July 19, 2023 at 1030 hours

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the Evacuation Alert Expansion issued by Saik'uz First Nation, the Village of Fraser Lake, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC on July 15, 2023 at 0900 hours is amended for the following area:

All lands and properties from the intersection between Dahlgren & Nithi Roads, northeast to the hydro line right of way. It follows the hydro ROW East for approximately 22.5km to the unnamed creek feeding Leg Lake. It follows the watercourse southeast, then continues southeast to the Nechako River. It follows the Nechako south for approx. 6.5km, then shifts southeast hitting the intersection between Kenney Dam and Greer Valley Rd, as well as the south-west corners of the CORKSCREW CREEK 9 and 10 reserves (Saik'uz First Nation), continuing until the Bobtail and Bobtail Connector FSR intersection, as shown on the attached map.

The Evacuation Order issued July 14, 2023 at 2000 for the Finger Lake Wildfire (#G41195) remains in place.

The Evacuation Order issued July 16, 2023 at 1530 for the Lucas Lake Wildfire (#G41380) remains in place.

An Evacuation Alert has been issued to prepare you to evacuate your premises or property should it be found necessary. Residents will be given as much advance notice as possible prior to evacuation, however, you may receive limited notice due to changing conditions.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO WHILE THIS ALERT IS IN EFFECT

Be prepared for an Evacuation Order:

- Locate all family members or co-workers and plan to meet outside the evacuation area, should an evacuation be called while separated.
- Gather essential items such as medications, eyeglasses, valuable papers (i.e., insurance), immediate care needs for dependents and, if you choose, keepsakes (photographs, etc.), and have these items readily available for quick departure.
- Prepare to move any persons with mobility challenges and/or children.
- Move pets and livestock to a safe area. If you require assistance, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako.
- Arrange to transport your household members or co-workers in the event of an evacuation order. If you are asked to evacuate and need transportation assistance from the area, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako.
- Arrange accommodation for your family if possible.



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In the event of an Evacuation Order, a Reception Centre will be opened if required, and evacuation routes specified.

Monitor your local radio station and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako website, www.rdbn.bc.ca for information on this Evacuation Alert and/or any changes to the situation.

For more information contact: Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-1553**

Please sign up for Bulkley Nechako Emergency & Public Alerts at:

<https://www.rdbn.bc.ca/departments/protective-services/bulkley-nechako-emergency-public-alerts>

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