



REGIONAL DISTRICT OF BULKLEY-NECHAKO EVACUATION ALERT

Bulkley Lake Wildfire EVACUATION ALERT ISSUED July 7, 2021 at 2200 hours

An Evacuation Alert has been issued by the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako effective July 7, 2021 at 2200 hours due to a wildfire.

Because of the potential **danger to life and health** the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako has issued an Evacuation Alert for the area Bulkley Lake area, **East of Taman Creek Rd. to West of Broman Lake FSR, not including Highway 16 or CN rail line, as shown on the attached map.**

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 dependants and, if you choose, keepsakes (photographs, etc). Have these items readily available for quick departure;
- prepare to move any persons with mobility challenges and/or children.
- moving pets and livestock to a safe area, if you require assistance please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako;
- arranging 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.

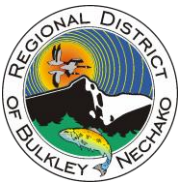
An **Evacuation Order** is in place for the adjacent area and a Reception Centre has been opened at the Tom Forsyth Arena in Burns Lake.

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 1-800-320-3339 or 250-692-3195 Monday to Friday from 0830 – 1630 or contacting Emergency Management BC at 1-800-663-3456 after hours.

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Gerry Thiessen
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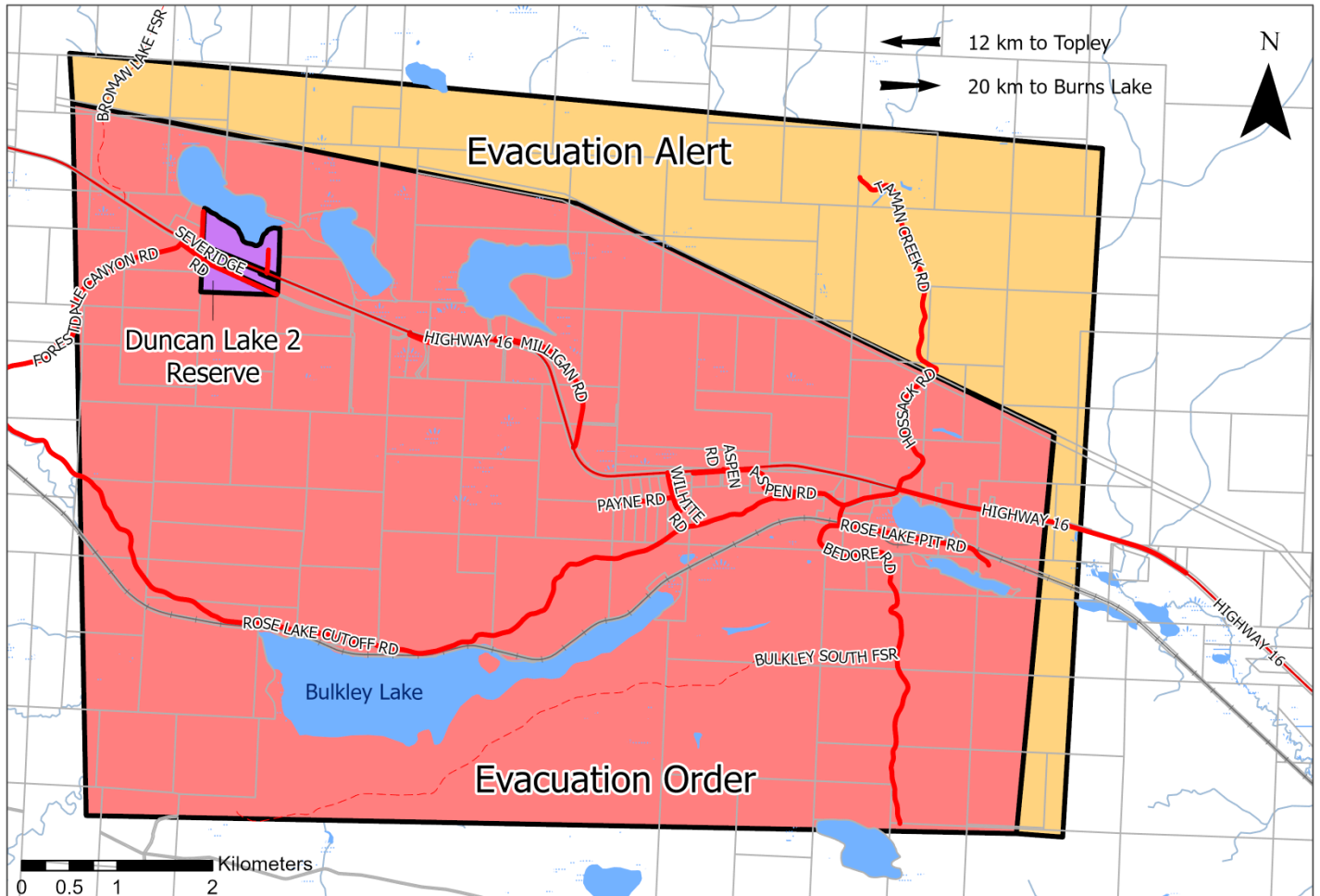
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For public inquiry, please contact:

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