



# EVACUATION ORDER

## Heading Creek FSR Wildfire #R21250 (Old Man Lake) EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED July 21, 2023 at 0130 hours

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, an Evacuation Order has been issued by the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako effective due to a wildfire.

Because of the **danger to life and health** the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako has issued an Evacuation Order for the Heading Creek (Old Man Lake) Wildfire, **for the following addresses accessed off the Heading Creek Forest Service Road: 9840, 11304, and 13532.**

### YOU MUST LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY

**Persons who disregard this Evacuation Order and remain in the Evacuation Order area do so at their own risk. The Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako may be unable to assist anyone who remains in the Evacuation Order area.**

- If you need transportation assistance from the area, please advise the individual providing this notice or call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-1553**.
- 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 a leash.
- Do not use more vehicles than you must.
- If you require assistance for livestock, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-1553**.

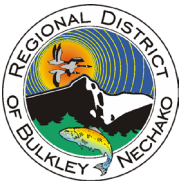
### Evacuees:

- Emergency Support Services can provide assistance for food, accommodation (hotel or staying with friends and family), clothing, emotional support, and family reunification.
- Register at the Houston Fire Department at 3382 11<sup>th</sup> Street.

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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