EVACUATION ALERT RESCINDED





WELLS CREEK WILDFIRE #R11387 EVACUATION ALERT RESCINDED October 4, 2023 at 1200 hours

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the Evacuation Alert issued on **September 5**, **2023 at 1700 hours** by Cheslatta Carrier Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako has been rescinded in its entirety, **as shown on the attached map**.

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

Be aware that the wildfire situation can change at any time.

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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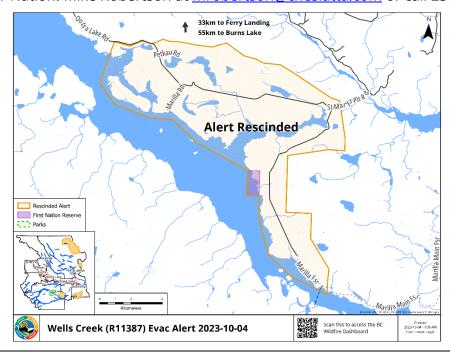
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EVACUATION ORDER RESCINDED ALERT ISSUED IN PLACE

WELLS CREEK WILDFIRE #R11387 EVACUATION ORDER RESCINDED EVACUATION ALERT ISSUED IN PLACE September 5, 2023 at 1700 hours

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the **Evacuation Order** issued by Cheslatta Carrier Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako on September 2, 2023 at 2030 hours for the Wells Creek Wildfire **has been rescinded, and is replaced by:**

The **Evacuation Alert** issued by Cheslatta Carrier Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako on September 5, 2023 at 1700 hours for the Wells Creek Wildfire, **for all properties, lands, and dwellings** along Ootsa Lake Road including Petkau Road, Marilla Road, St. Marys Pit Road, to the Marilla Main FSR, including IR 1, Parcel 11 (East Ootsa Charlie Reserve), 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 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.

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, <u>www.rdbn.bc.ca</u> for information on this Evacuation Alert and/or any changes to the situation.

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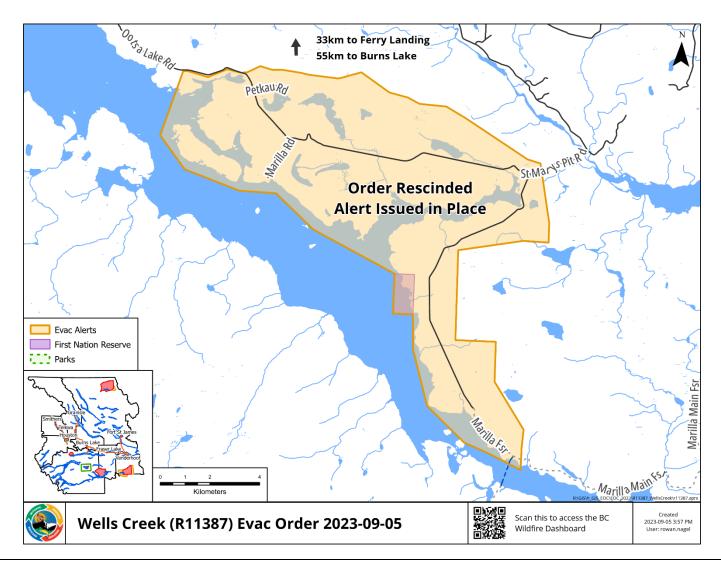
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EVACUATION ORDER

WELLS CREEK WILDFIRE #R11387 EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED SEPTEMBER 2, 2023 at 2030 hours

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

Because of the potential **danger to life and health**, Cheslatta Carrier Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako have issued an Evacuation Order for the Wells Creek Wildfire, **for all properties**, **lands**, **and dwellings along Ootsa Lake Road including Petkau Road**, **Marilla Road**, **St. Marys Pit Road**, **to the Marilla Main FSR**, **including IR 1**, **Parcel 11 (East Ootsa Charlie Reserve)**, **as shown on the attached map**.

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:

- ➤ If Emergency Support Services are required please go to the ESS Reception Centre in Houston at the Houston Community Hall at 2302 Butler Road, or call 250-844-1404.
- Emergency Support Services can provide assistance for food, accommodation (hotel or staying with friends and family), clothing, emotional support, and family reunification.
- ➤ Contact the RDBN Emergency Operations Centre at 250-692-1553.

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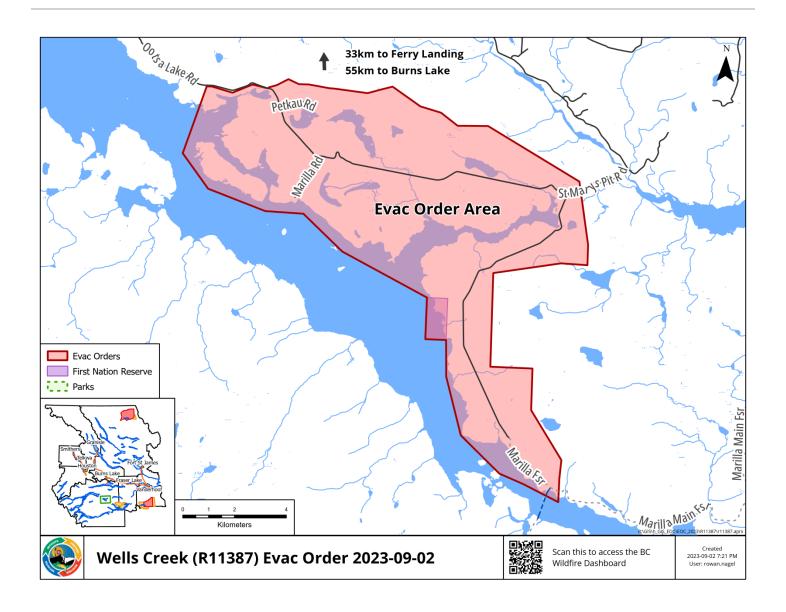
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Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the Evacuation Alert issued on **September 2, 2023 at 1800 hours** by the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako has been rescinded and replaced by the **Evacuation Order issued by Cheslatta Carrier Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako on September 2, 2023 at 2030 hours, as shown on the attached map.**

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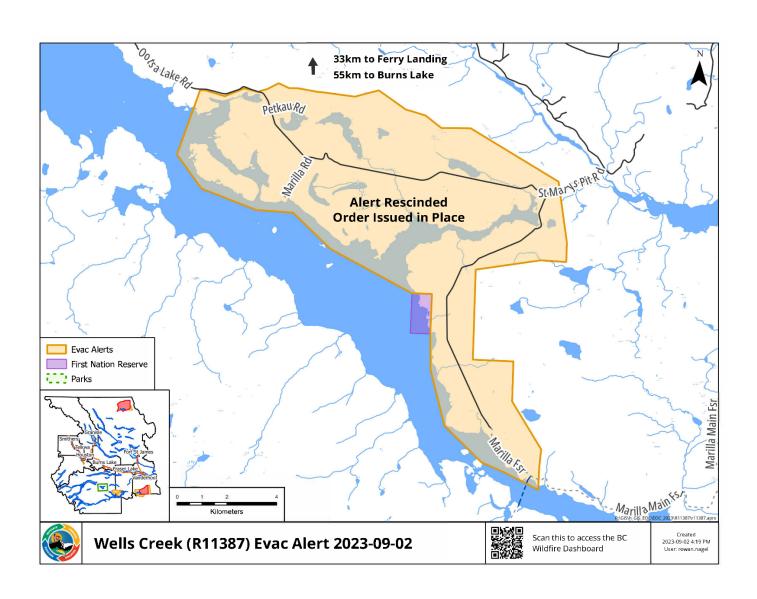
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Wells Creek Wildfire #R11387 EVACUATION ALERT ISSUED September 2, 2023 at 1800 hours

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