

EVACUATION ALERT

July 20, 2024 - 20:45 hrs

Beaver River Wildfire - G31220

Electoral Area 'H'

The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George is issuing an evacuation alert due to an active wildland interface fire located near the Beaver River, east of McBride. The evacuation alert is in effect for the area shown on the attached map.

Conditions may unexpectedly change and make it necessary for the Regional District of Fraser-Fort George to require immediate evacuation to ensure the personal safety of our residents and front line responders.

You are asked to prepare yourself in the event that an evacuation is required and immediately take the following actions to help prevent damage to your home, property and to prepare for your personal safety:

- Gather important papers and move valuables to alternate locations;
- Make arrangements for pets to be moved to a safe location;
- If you have livestock or hobby farm animals begin making arrangements for them to go to a safe alternative location in case an evacuation order is issued; and
- Prepare a 72-hour personal emergency kit for you and your family; remember to include any necessary medications in your kit.

The next 24 hour period is critical in the on-going assessment and planning for wildland interface fire response. For more information on the wildfire go to the BC Wildfire Management Branch at bcwildfire.ca.

The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George's Emergency Operations Centre is activated.

The public is asked to visit the RDFFG website at <u>rdffg.ca</u> for updated information or to call our Emergency Operations Centre at the following numbers for assistance.

1-250-960-4400

(Tall Free 1-800-667-1959)

Chris Calder, Director

Emergency Operations Centre

Regional District of Fraser-Fort George



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