

## PEACE RIVER REGIONAL DISTRICT EVACUATION ALERT

## **EVACUATION ALERT #6**

### **Stoddart Creek Wildfire**

May 23, 2023 @ 18:00

An Evacuation Alert has been issued by Peace River Regional District\_at the Emergency Operations Centre (EOC). BC Wildfire service has recommended an evacuation alert as a result of the Stoddart Creek wildfire (G80223). Evacuation Alert #6 replaces Evacuation Order #4. Because of the potential danger to life and health, the Peace River Regional District has issued an **Evacuation Alert** for the following areas:

The communities of Buick Creek, Murdale and Mile 70

The Evacuation Alert area includes:

- Properties north of 254 road on both sides of the Alaska Highway to the top of East Cache Creek
- Properties on the West side of the Alaska Highway and the Mile 98 Road
- Properties on the West side of Prespatou Road, Whispering Pine Lake and Umbach Creek
- Properties south of Triad Road and,
- All properties on the Beatton Airport Road from the Alaska Highway to Triad Road.

Please see map on the following page

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:

- Locate all family members and designate a meeting area outside the evacuation area, should an Evacuation Order be called while separated.
- Pack essential items such as government-issued ID, medications, eyeglasses, valuable papers (e.g. insurance, credit, and mortgage information), immediate care needs for dependents, cell phone and charger and, if time and space permits, keepsakes for quick departure.
- Prepare to move disabled persons, children and/or neighbours, if assistance is needed.
- Prepare to take pets with you including pet care items (leash, carrier, food) and move livestock to a safe area (if possible).
- Arrange transportation for all your household members. Fill the gas tanks of personal vehicles. If transportation assistance is needed, call 1-800-670-7773.
- Arrange accommodation for all members of the residence, if possible.
- Wait for an Evacuation Order to be issued before evacuating. Monitor <a href="www.prrd.bc.ca">www.prrd.bc.ca</a> and Emergency Info BC for information on evacuation orders and location of Reception Centres and hours of operation.

Further information about evacuation alerts and orders will be issued at <a href="https://www.prrd.bc.ca">www.prrd.bc.ca</a> and wildfire updates are posted at <a href="https://www.prrd.bc.ca">bcwildfire.ca</a>.



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