

# Lake Almanor Peninsula

# ARE YOU READY?

## Wildfire Evacuation Routes

### When do you evacuate?

**Leave as soon as evacuation is recommended by fire officials to avoid being caught in fire, smoke or road congestion.** Evacuating early also helps firefighters keep roads clear of congestion, and lets them move more freely to do their job. In an intense wildfire, they may not have time to knock on every door.

- Officials will determine the areas to be evacuated and escape route to use depending upon the fire's location, behavior, winds, terrain, etc.
- Law enforcement and emergency response agencies are typically responsible for advising residents of an evacuation order. Follow their directions promptly.
- You will be advised of potential evacuations as early as possible. You must take the initiative to stay informed and aware. Listen to your radio for announcements from law enforcement and emergency personnel.

**Are you prepared? The map inside shows suggested primary and secondary evacuation routes out of your community. Depending on the type of emergency, there may be more than one route out of the area.**

**Please familiarize yourself with your surrounding neighborhood and listen for instructions from emergency personnel when asked to evacuate.**

To be sure you are notified in an emergency, register for CodeRED® – the county's emergency notification service.

This system can distribute emergency messages via automated telephone calls to targeted areas or the entire county.

You can receive the alerts on landline phones, at unlisted numbers, on cell phones, with VOIP numbers and even via email.



- **Registration is confidential, free, and easy.** Sign up at [www.plumascounty.us](http://www.plumascounty.us).
- By registering, **you'll be added to the emergency call list.** This service can be used in case of fires, chemical spills, evacuations, lock downs, downed power lines, lost individuals, natural disasters, abductions, water system problems, bomb threats, or other emergencies.

- Many listed phone numbers are already in the CodeRED® system. However, you should **update your contact information annually** to make sure it is current.
- Calls can be geographically targeted for localized messaging. **You will only be notified of an emergency that affects your area.**

### Find the information you need:

**Local wildfire information:**  
<http://inciweb.nwcg.gov>  
[PlumasCounty.us](http://PlumasCounty.us)

**Wildfire preparation tips:**  
[ReadyForWildfire.org](http://ReadyForWildfire.org)



**QR code:**  
Link to regional evacuation maps



### Know the law; be ready to evacuate!

California Law authorizes officers to restrict access to any area where a menace to the public health or safety exists due to calamity such as flood, storm, fire, earthquake, explosion, accident or other disaster. Refusal to comply is a misdemeanor. (Penal Code 409.5)