

EMERGENCY EVACUATION – ITEMS TO GATHER

No. of vehicles _____ Drivers _____ Trailers _____ Motorcycles _____

15-minute warning:

1. Wallet, purse, keys, glasses
2. Cell phone(s), charger(s)
3. Emergency cash, credit card
4. Pets, carriers, leashes, meds
5. Clothes, shoes, hats for season
6. Hearing aids, medications
7. Flashlights, extra batteries
8. Safety deposit box key(s)
9. Checkbooks, bills to pay
10. _____
11. _____

30-minute warning:

(The above, plus):

1. Pillows, sleeping bags, blankets
2. Address book, phone list
3. Jewelry & most-valuable personal possessions
4. Personal hygiene items
5. Other meds, supplements
6. First aid kit, medical items
7. Pet food, dishes, bedding, litter
8. Children's items, toys, books
9. Battery radio, extra batteries
10. Toilet paper, hand wipes, soap
11. Clothing for 3 days, shoes
12. Computer, monitor, laptop
13. Gal. jugs of drinking water
14. _____
15. _____

1-hour warning:

1. Take or safeguard guns, ammo
2. Ice cooler w/ice, food, drinks
3. Genealogy records, files
4. 3 days food, special diet items
5. Gloves, dust mask for smoke
6. Paper plates, cups, utensils
7. School items, homework, pen, pencil, books, calculator, paper
8. Licenses, vehicle titles, deeds
9. Insurance, financial, medical data; Wills, Powers of Atty.
10. Personal property list, photos & appraisals, documentation
11. _____
12. _____

2-hour+ warning:

1. Albums, photos, home videos
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3. Family photos on display
4. Military decorations, records, mementoes, plaques
5. Luggage (packed)
6. Valuable items, cameras
7. Heirlooms, art, collections
8. Primary cosmetics
9. Secondary vehicles, RV
10. Camping equipment, tent
11. Journals, diaries, letters
12. _____

EVACUATION TO-DO LIST

15-minute warning:

1. Gather family members, pets
2. Load available vehicles, RV
3. Turn off lights, fans, heaters, a/c, furnace, computers
4. Turn off hoses, sprinklers
5. Leave note on door telling firemen that you've evacuated
6. Lock doors, garage, take keys
7. Tell absent family where to meet and where to shelter

30-minute warning:

(The above, plus):

1. Alert family, friends to danger & where you will go (be brief)
2. Turn off automatic sprinklers
3. Load or release livestock, pets
4. Turn on porch light (helps find house in smoke or at night)
5. _____

1-hour warning:

1. Bring porch flammables inside (chairs, cushions, toys, gas grill)
2. Move outdoor flammables away from house (mower, ATV, motorcycles, propane tanks, awnings, umbrellas, furniture)
3. Move gasoline cans to gravel or concrete area far from house
4. Open or remove flammable shades, blinds & curtains. Close nonflammable blinds, windows

5. Chill key foods, meds in icepack
6. Alert neighbors to rescue your pets if you are absent. Make notes on pet feeding, meds
7. _____

2-hour+ warning:

1. Connect, load trailer if desired
2. Move or protect other vehicles, ATVs, motorcycles, bicycles
3. Shut off gas, but not electricity or water (helps firemen).
4. Remove plastic screens from windows near trees & bushes
5. Clear lumber, woodpile, leaves, flammable debris around home
6. Remember important items in basement, sheds, garage
7. Take or protect gas canisters & materials hazardous to firemen
8. Obtain cash for only few days needs (others will be doing the same). Get more elsewhere.
9. Move flammable interior furniture away from windows, glass doors, & outside walls
10. Fill vehicles with gas
11. _____

Evacuation route, meet at/time: