

2022 FNSB Wildland Fire Emergency Evacuation Guide

Level 1: **READY**

- **Level 1** means **BE READY** for potential evacuation. There is a fire in your local area.
- Prepare for family member(s) with special needs, mobile property (boats/trailers/ATV), and pets or livestock.
- Monitor social media, news and radio for information.
- Emergency Personnel may contact you via an emergency notification system.

BEFORE & DURING FIRE SEASON:

- Enroll and create a user profile at www.Smart911.com.
- **Opt-in** for text messages by texting **FNSBWildFire2022** to **67283**. *
- Create at least 30 feet of defensible space around your home.
- Make a list of your **6 “P’s”**.
- Prepare a 7-day kit.
- Know alternate ways out of your neighborhood.
- Know the evacuation plans for family members in assisted living and child care facilities.
- Designate an “out of area contact” who can relay information.
- Plan how you transport your pets, sled dogs and livestock.
- Keep your vehicle fuel tank at least half full.

Level 2: **SET**

- **Level 2** means **BE SET** to evacuate. You must be prepared to leave at a moment’s notice.
- **Level 2 signifies that there is a significant danger in your area.** Load your **6P’s and 7-day** kit into your vehicle.
- Relocate to a specified shelter (if activated) or with your family/friends outside of the affected area.
- You **MAY** have time to gather necessary items, but **REMEMBER** - you must be prepared to leave at a moment’s notice.
- If you have time, when leaving your home, write **EVACUATED on a pillow case & hang it at the end of your driveway.**
- **THIS MAY BE THE ONLY NOTICE YOU WILL RECEIVE TO EVACUATE!**

During an evacuation, roads become congested with vehicles, dust and smoke, making an evacuation a slow process.

GO EARLY

Also, remember the 6 “P’s”:
People, Pets, Pills, Photos, Personal Computer back-up info, important Papers

Level 3: **GO!**

- **Level 3 means GO**, evacuate NOW. Leave immediately.
- The danger in your area is **current and you should evacuate immediately.**
- **DO NOT delay leaving** to gather any belongings or make efforts to protect your home.
- Drive calmly and with special attention to emergency vehicles.
- Do not block access to roadways for Emergency vehicles or other evacuees.
- **THIS WILL BE THE LAST NOTICE YOU WILL RECEIVE AFTER EVACUATION.**
- “**Check in**” at an emergency shelter. Whether you stay there or not; “**checking in**” will help others know that **you are safe.**
- Take pets to a **PET** Evacuation Shelter.
- **DO NOT** call 9-1-1 for non-emergencies.
- Do not attempt to re-enter the fire area until it is declared safe to do so.**

This is the CALL CENTER number for additional information (WHEN ACTIVATED):
(907) 459-1308



* If you have problems “opting in” to wildfire alerts, please email your name, phone number and phone carrier to emergencyoperations@fnsb.gov

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