

EVACUATION ALERT

Wesley Ridge Wildfire

Date: August 2, 2025 Time: 15:30 Hrs.

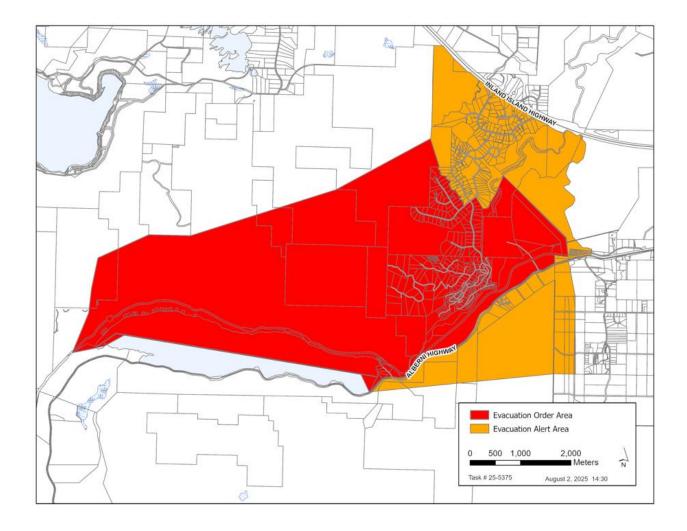
This Evacuation Alert is by Regional District of Nanaimo due to Wesley Ridge Wildfire.

Because of the potential threats to health, safety, and the welfare of persons, this **Evacuation Alert** is issued for the following areas:

Electoral Area F, G, H

Addresses on Alert note:

From	То	Road
3959	4138	ALBERNI HIGHWAY
1650	1740	ASHLING RD
970	1240	CORCAN RD
4150	4165	ELD RD
1700	1897	GALVIN PL
1030	1045	KOEN RD
1000	1098	KOSKIMO RD
1131	1410	MEADOWOOD WAY
3805	3927	MELROSE RD
1714	1820	SETTLER RD
1905	1940	TIMBERLAKE PL
995	1025	WILDFLOWER PL



This evacuation alert is issued to prepare you to evacuate your premises or property should an evacuation order be made. Residents will be given as much advance notice as possible before evacuation is ordered; however, you may receive limited notice due to changing conditions.

Further information will be issued later today. You can also visit **www.rdn.bc.ca/current-alerts** or www.EmergencyInfoBC.ca for more information.

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WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

- Locate all family members and designate a meeting area outside the evacuation alert area,
 should an evacuation order be made while family members are separated.
- Pack essential items such as government-issued ID, medications, important documents (e.g., insurance, and mortgage / tenancy information), and immediate care needs for dependents.
- Prepare to evacuate disabled persons, children, and/or neighbours if assistance is needed.
- Prepare to take pets with you and move livestock to a safe area (if possible).
- Arrange transportation for all your household members. Fill the gas tanks of personal vehicles that will be used in the evacuation. If transportation assistance will be needed to evacuate, call (250) 390-6538.
- Review your home or tenant insurance policy to understand what coverage you may have for lodging and food in the event of being evacuated. Most basic insurance policies cover living expenses during an evacuation.
- Arrange accommodation for all members of the residence. If possible, plan to stay with family or friends as accommodations may be in short supply.
- If you will require government assistance to meet your basic needs if evacuated, like lodging and food, Emergency Support Services will be available. Create a profile at ess.gov.bc.ca.
 - Wait for an evacuation order to be issued before evacuating. If you evacuate before being directed or authorized, you may not yet qualify for Emergency Support Services should you need it, as resources will be focused on those who have been ordered to evacuate.
- Monitor <u>Homepage | RDN</u> for information on evacuation orders and the location of reception centre(s). If you can meet your own basic needs if evacuated, you do not need to go to a reception centre.