



## EVACUATION ALERT VILLAGE OF CHASE

(08/06/2021) 08:30

An Evacuation Alert has been issued by the Village of Chase Emergency Operations Centre (EOC).

**This is not an order to leave your home. The threat posed by both the fire, smoke, fumes, and risk of explosion have created a potential threat to homes, livestock, and structures in the area.**

Because of the potential danger to life and health, the Village of Chase has issued an **EVACUATION ALERT** for the **VILLAGE OF CHASE**.

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.

### **Evacuation Routes, Distances and Time Considerations:**

**Kamloops** - Highway 1 West - 55 km, 40 minutes. Alternate route via Kamloops along Kamloops-Shuswap Road

**Salmon Arm** - Highway 1 East - 53 km, 43 minutes

### **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 & 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).
- Transportation assistance will be organized if and when it becomes necessary.
- Arrange accommodation for all members of the residence, if possible.
- Wait for an Evacuation Order to be issued before evacuating. Monitor the Village of Chase website at [chasebc.ca](http://chasebc.ca) and Twitter, the TNRD at [tnrd.ca/emergency-services](http://tnrd.ca/emergency-services), or [bcwifdfire.ca](http://bcwifdfire.ca) for information on evacuation orders and location of Reception Centres and hours of operation.

Further information will be issued at **(08/06/2021) 12:00**, or visit the Village of Chase website/Twitter/Facebook or phone Village of Chase Emergency Operations Centre at 250-679-3238 for more information.

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Village of Chase

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