

Emergency Preparedness is EVERYONE's Responsibility

Quadra Island Emergency Program

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Wildfire Response Matrix

Phase	DOC	ESS	NEPP	Public
 Pre-Alert Wildfire confirmed No Evacuation Alert or Orders Yet Issues 	 Obtain & disseminate situation info to teams and public Confirm availability of resource and place on standby as required 	 Monitor situation Confirm availability of resources and place on standby as required 	 Monitor situation Notify residents Begin collecting current neighbourhood situation information 	 Monitor situation Begin preparations to evacuate if required Priority actions on your property in the event evacuation is required; e.g. FireSmart
Evacuation Alert • Issued for one or more neighbourhoods	 Activate DOC Establish contact EOC Provide direction to teams Provide situation info to teams and public 	 Monitor situation Put appropriate ESS teams on standby Prepare to activate ESS facilities. 	 <u>Affected Neighbourhood</u> Identify residents who would need assistance to evacuate Establish contact with DOC; provide situation info Prepare to evacuate <u>Unaffected Neighbourhood</u> Monitor situation; keep neighbourhood apprised 	 Affected Neighbourhood Prepare to evacuate Be prepared to assist neighbours in evacuating Continue monitoring situation Unaffected Neighbourhood Continue monitoring situation
 Evacuation Order Issued for one or more neighbourhoods 	 Work with EOC to effect evacuation Provide direction to teams Provide situation info to teams and public 	 Primary Activate ESS facilities Continue monitoring situation Secondary Support neighbourh'd evacuation activities if able and as tasked 	 <u>Affected Neighbourhood</u> Evacuate <u>Unaffected Neighbourhood</u> Monitor situation; keep neighbourhood apprised 	 <u>Affected Neighbourhood</u> Evacuate <u>Unaffected Neighbourhood</u> Continue monitoring situation
Evacuation Order Rescinded	 Work with EOC to effect return of evacuees Provide direction to teams Provide situation info to teams and public 	 Demobilize ESS facilities Continue monitoring situation 	 Return from evacuation Continue monitoring situation 	 Return from evacuation Continue monitoring situation