



Northern Rockies Regional Municipality

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EVACUATION ORDER

Helmut Area

July 9, 2023 @ 1130 hrs

Pursuant to Section 12 (1) of the *Emergency Program Act* an **Evacuation ORDER** has been issued by the Northern Rockies Regional Municipality due to immediate danger to life safety caused by wildfires in the Helmut Area in the northeast corner of the Northern Rockies Regional Municipality.

The **Evacuation ORDER** area is shown in the attached map (in RED) and is bounded by:

- 121.3459° W/59.6558° N in the northwest corner
- 120.8450° W/59.6585° N in the northeast corner
- 120.8381° W/59.4743° N in the southeast corner
- 121.3057° W/59.4701° N in the southwest corner

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

- **YOU MUST LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY**
- Call 9-1-1 if you are in immediate danger
- Close all windows and doors
- Shut off all gas and electrical appliances, other than refrigerators and freezers
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock
- Gather your family/co-workers and ensure everyone is accounted for: take a neighbour or someone who needs help
- Take critical items (medicine, purse, wallet, and keys) only if they are immediately available. Take pets in pet kennels or on leash.
- Do not use more vehicles than you have to.
- Do not use the telephone unless you need emergency service.

For up-to-date information visit www.NorthernRockies.ca.

The Northern Rockies Regional Municipality Emergency Operations Centre, open 8:30am to 4:30 PM Monday to Friday, can be contacted at 250-774-2541.

Danny Soles, Acting Mayor
Northern Rockies Regional Municipality

Evacuation Order Area Map (shown in Red)

