



JOSEPHINE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE **PRESS RELEASE**

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Release Date: 7/18/18

INCIDENT: Taylor Creek Fire Evacuation Notices

INCIDENT DATE AND TIME: 7/18/18 @ 1500

REPORTING DEPUTY: Sheriff Dave Daniel

DETAILS:

Based on recommendations from the Oregon Department of Forestry the residences and businesses are being placed on a **LEVEL 2 "Be SET" Evacuation Notice:**

- ***Pickett Creek Road***
- ***West Pickett Creek Road***
- ***Green Tree Loop***
- ***Bickford Drive***
- ***Sanders Creek***
- ***Paradise Garden Road***
- ***Sallsten Road***
- ***Hussey Lane***
- ***Steelhead Lane***
- ***Cliffside Drive***
- ***Bartlett Lane***

A **LEVEL 2 "BE SET"** evacuation notice means that you must be prepared to leave at a moment's notice.

This level indicates there is significant danger to your area, and residents should either voluntarily relocate to a shelter or with family/friends outside of the affected area, or if choosing to remain, be ready to evacuate at a moment's notice.

Residents **MAY** have time to gather necessary items, but doing so is at their own risk.

THIS MAY BE THE ONLY NOTICE THAT YOU RECEIVE

Emergency services cannot guarantee that they will be able to notify you if conditions rapidly deteriorate. Area media services will be asked to broadcast periodic updates.

A **LEVEL 1 "Be Ready"** evacuation notice is also being issued to the residents of **SHAN CREEK ROAD.**

A **LEVEL 1 “Be Ready”** evacuation notice means residents should be aware of the danger that exists in their area, monitor emergency services websites and local media outlets for information.

This is the time for preparation and precautionary movement of persons with special needs, mobile property and (under certain circumstances) pets and livestock.

If conditions worsen, emergency services personnel WILL MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT TO CONTACT YOU. YOU may BE CONTACTED via an emergency notification system.

If you have not signed up for Josephine County Citizen’s Alert, Josephine County’s emergency notification system, you can sign up on line at www.rvem.org.

These evacuation notices are based on fire activity from the Taylor Creek Fire.