

Media Release

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Evacuation Order Expanded due to the Aylwin Creek wildfire to include the Village of Silverton.

Nelson, BC: On the recommendation of the BC Wildfire Service (BCWS), the Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) has expanded the existing Evacuation Order to include the entire Village of Silverton, and 17 surrounding addresses in Electoral Area "H". See map of the Evacuation Alert area below. This Order is adding to the existing Order areas south of the Village of Silverton in the Red Mountain Road area down to the Slocan Lookout.

Evacuation Order covers the following addresses:

404 3RD ST	405 7TH ST	203 HUME LANE
127 4TH ST	111 ALPHA LANE	204 HUME ST
213 4TH ST	123 ALPHA LANE	206 HUME LANE
214 4TH ST	201 ALPHA LN	209 HUME ST
306 4TH ST	210 ALPHA ST	214 HUME ST
314 4TH ST	216 ALPHA ST	215 HUME ST
408 4TH ST	222 ALPHA ST	216 HUME LANE
512 4TH ST	305 ALPHA LANE	221 HUME ST
515 4TH ST	311 ALPHA LANE	222 HUME ST
115 5TH ST	317 ALPHA LANE	222 HUME LANE
123 5TH ST	324 ALPHA ST	303 HUME ST
207 5TH ST	410 ALPHA ST	313 HUME ST
609 5TH ST	413 ALPHA ST	318 HUME ST
210 6TH ST	415 ALPHA ST	321 HUME ST
214 6TH ST	417 ALPHA ST	322 HUME ST
215 6TH ST	418 ALPHA ST	410 HUME ST
301 6TH ST	511 ALPHA ST	411 HUME ST
313 6TH ST	512 ALPHA ST	420 HUME ST
511 6TH ST	614 ALPHA ST	611 HUME ST
512 6TH ST	623 FOUR MILE CREEK RD	615 HUME ST
513 6TH ST	22 HUME ST	618 HUME ST
313 7TH ST	124 HUME ST	622 HUME ST

701 HUME ST
704 HUME ST
709 HUME ST
710 HUME ST
710 HUME LANE
714 HUME LANE
302 HUNTER ST
303 HUNTER ST
307 HUNTER ST
314 HUNTER ST
314 HUNTER ST
322 HUNTER ST
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712 LAKE AVE
721 LAKE AVE
821 LAKE AVE
301 LEADVILLE ST
305 LEADVILLE ST
312 LEADVILLE ST
404 LEADVILLE ST
502 LEADVILLE ST
510 LEADVILLE ST
512 LEADVILLE ST
513 SILVER ST
603 SILVER ST
613 SILVER ST
624 SILVER ST
627 SILVER ST
633 SILVER ST
641 SILVER ST
645 SILVER ST
801 SILVER COVE DR
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818 SILVER COVE DR
819 SILVER COVE DR
432 STANDARD RD
455 STANDARD RD
477 STANDARD RD
413 TURNER ST
502 TURNER ST
514 TURNER ST
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521 TURNER ST
603 TURNER ST
604 TURNER ST
609 TURNER ST
610 TURNER ST
624 TURNER ST
304 VICTORIA ST
310 VICTORIA ST
312 VICTORIA ST
320 VICTORIA ST
323 VICTORIA ST
324 VICTORIA ST
325 VICTORIA ST
330 VICTORIA ST
332 VICTORIA ST
351 VICTORIA ST
406 VICTORIA ST
407 VICTORIA ST
109 WATER ST
115 WATER ST

	7840 ANDERSON PIT RD	7324 HIGHWAY 6
	7232 HARRIS RD	7332 HIGHWAY 6
	7282 HARRIS RD	7706 HIGHWAY 6
720 ALPHA ST	7294 HARRIS RD	432 STANDARD RD
730 ALPHA ST	7205 HIGHWAY 6	455 STANDARD RD
7820 ANDERSON PIT RD	7316 HIGHWAY 6	477 STANDARD RD
7830 ANDERSON PIT RD	7320 HIGHWAY 6	

Residents and Visitors are required to leave the Evacuation Order area immediately. Evacuated residents are asked to go to their pre-arranged emergency locations. Register for Emergency Support Services (ESS) in person located at the [Nakusp & District Community Complex at 200, 8 Avenue NW Nakusp](#) OR register online at <https://ess.gov.bc.ca> or by calling 1-800-387-4258. For further assistance you can call the RDCK EOC public inquiry line at 250-352-7701.

ESS may not be able to accommodate your pets, so make sure you have prepared your pets by having appropriate cages, food, water, and bowls, and ensure they are wearing identification. You may wish to arrange to have your pets cared for by family or friends.

Access to the Evacuation Order area is being controlled. You will not be permitted to return to your home during the Evacuation Order unless it is safe to do so and you have been given permission by local officials and emergency personnel.

The Aylwin Creek wildfire was first discovered on July 18, 2024 and is estimated at 400 hectares in size. The BCWS has determined the causes to be a dry lightning strike.

Updates or changes to the Evacuation Alert will be provided via the [RDCK website](#), [Facebook](#) and [X \(formerly Twitter\)](#) as more information becomes available. For details about evacuation and emergency preparedness, along with other resources, please visit www.rdck.ca/eocinfo. The RDCK EOC public inquiry line is 250-352-7701.

For up to date information on current wildfire activity, conditions and prohibitions, call 1-888-336-7378 or visit www.bcwildfire.ca.

For more information about evacuations and emergency preparedness, along with other resources:

- [Current RDCK Evacuation Alerts, Orders and Rescinds](#) or call 250-352-7701
- [Sign up for RDCK Emergency Notification System to receive notifications](#)
- [RDCK web map](#)
- [Public weather alerts for BC from Environment Canada](#)
- [BC Wildfire – Interactive Map of Current Events](#)
- [Fortis BC Outage Map](#) or call 1-866-436-7847
- [BC Hydro outage map](#) or call 1-800-224-9376
- [Nelson Hydro](#) 1-877-324-9376
- [Drive BC](#) for highway closures and road conditions
- [For BC Air Quality Health Index](#)
- [Prepared BC](#)

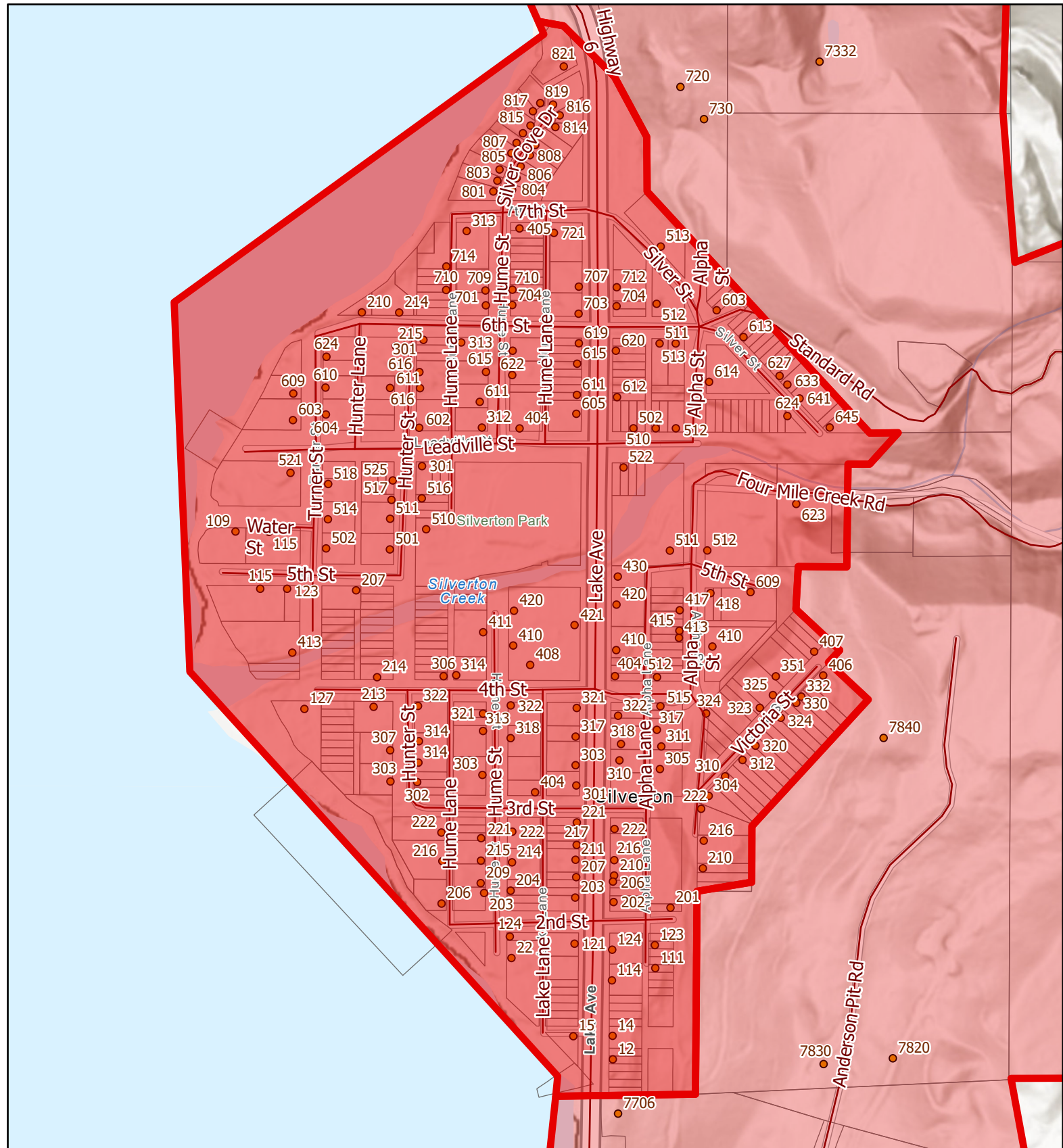
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EMERGENCY
OPERATIONS CENTRE**

EOC Phone: 250-352-7701 or 1-866-522-7701

Current Emergency Information:

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Register to receive emergency notifications:

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To report a flood, landslide, spill or other hazards:

1-800-663-3456

Alywin Creek Wildfire Evacuation Order

-  Streets
-  Addresses
-  Legal Parcels
-  Municipal Boundary
-  Evacuation Order Area

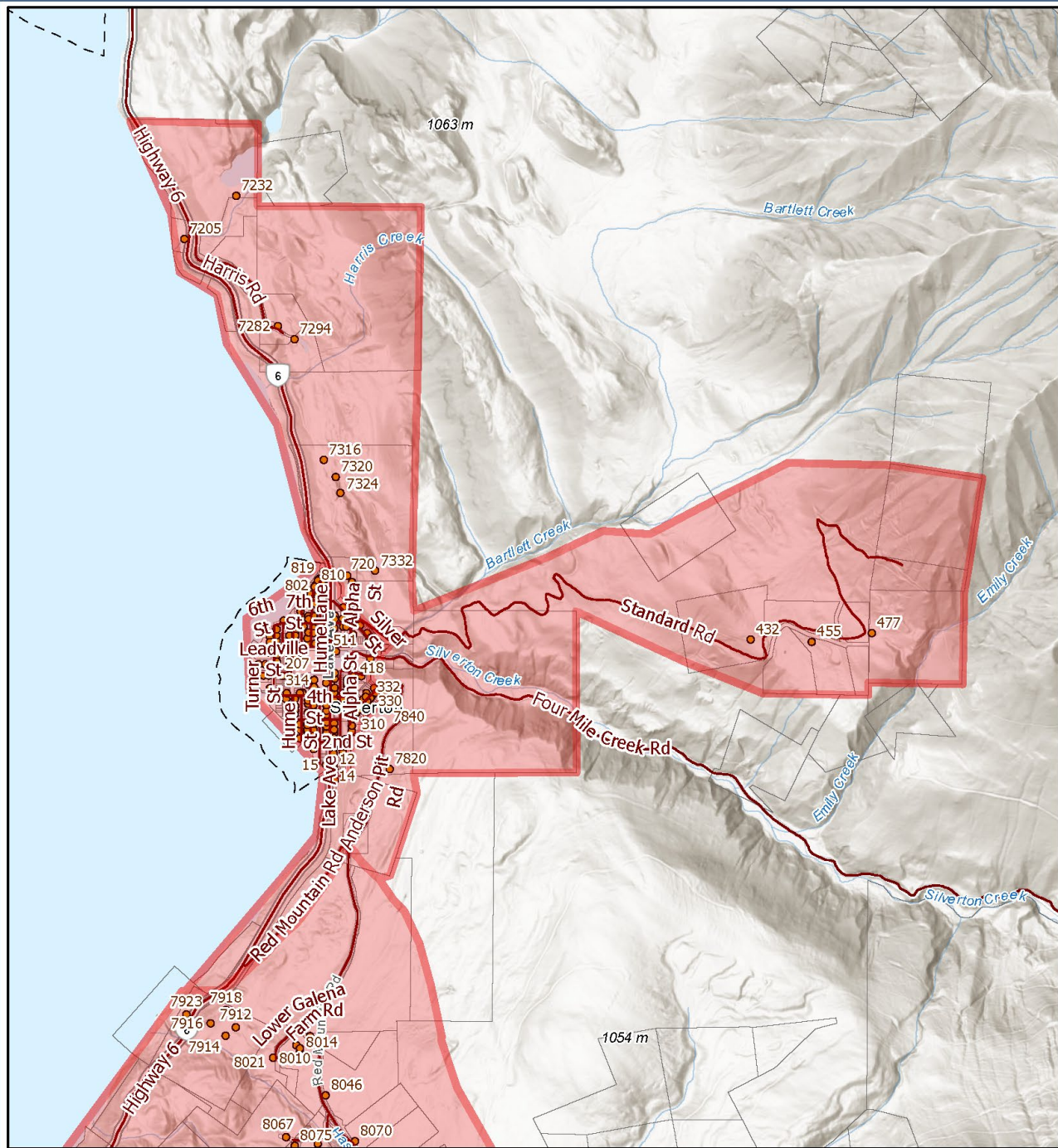
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