



Media Release

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Evacuation Alert rescinded due to Nemo Creek wildfire

Nelson, BC: On the recommendation of the BC Wildfire Service (BCWS), the Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) has rescinded the Evacuation Alert for residents impacted by the Nemo Creek wildfire, part of the Slocan Lake Complex in Electoral Area H. The area includes one address and 18 parcel identifiers (PIDs) along the west shore on the northern end of Slocan Lake in Electoral Area H. This area was on Evacuation Order starting July 19 through August 12 when the Evacuation Order was downgraded to an Evacuation Alert.

EVACUATION ALERT RESCIND ADDRESS ELECTORAL AREA H (1):

600 SLOCAN LAKE

EVACUATION ALERT RESCIND PIDs ELECTORAL AREA H (18):

031-885-551	014-040-859	017-493-536	014-040-590	017-493-552	007-700-326
005-896-215	008-541-612	014-039-877	024-636-002	014-040-484	014-040-638
007-629-966	017-493-544	014-040-646	014-040-620	012-162-850	014-039-923

As of August 3, the Aylwin Creek and Komonko Creek wildfires merged at Enterprise Creek and moving forward are referred under the Komonko Creek wildfire, part of the Slocan Lake Complex. The Slocan Lake Complex includes the Aylwin Creek wildfire, Komonko Creek wildfire, Mulvey Creek wildfire, Nemo Creek wildfire, and Ponderosa wildfire. A complex is created when multiple wildfires are managed by a single Incident Management Team, and resources and equipment are shared between all incidents in the complex.

Updates or changes to the Evacuation Alert or Order will be provided via the [RDCK website](#), [Facebook](#), and [X](#) 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 or 1.866.522.7701 (toll free).

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](#)

Incorporated in 1965, the Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) is a local government that serves 60,000 residents in 11 electoral areas and nine member municipalities. The RDCK provides more than 160 services, including community facilities, fire protection and emergency services, grants, planning and land use, regional parks, resource recovery and handling, transit, water services and much more. For more information about the RDCK, visit www.rdck.ca.

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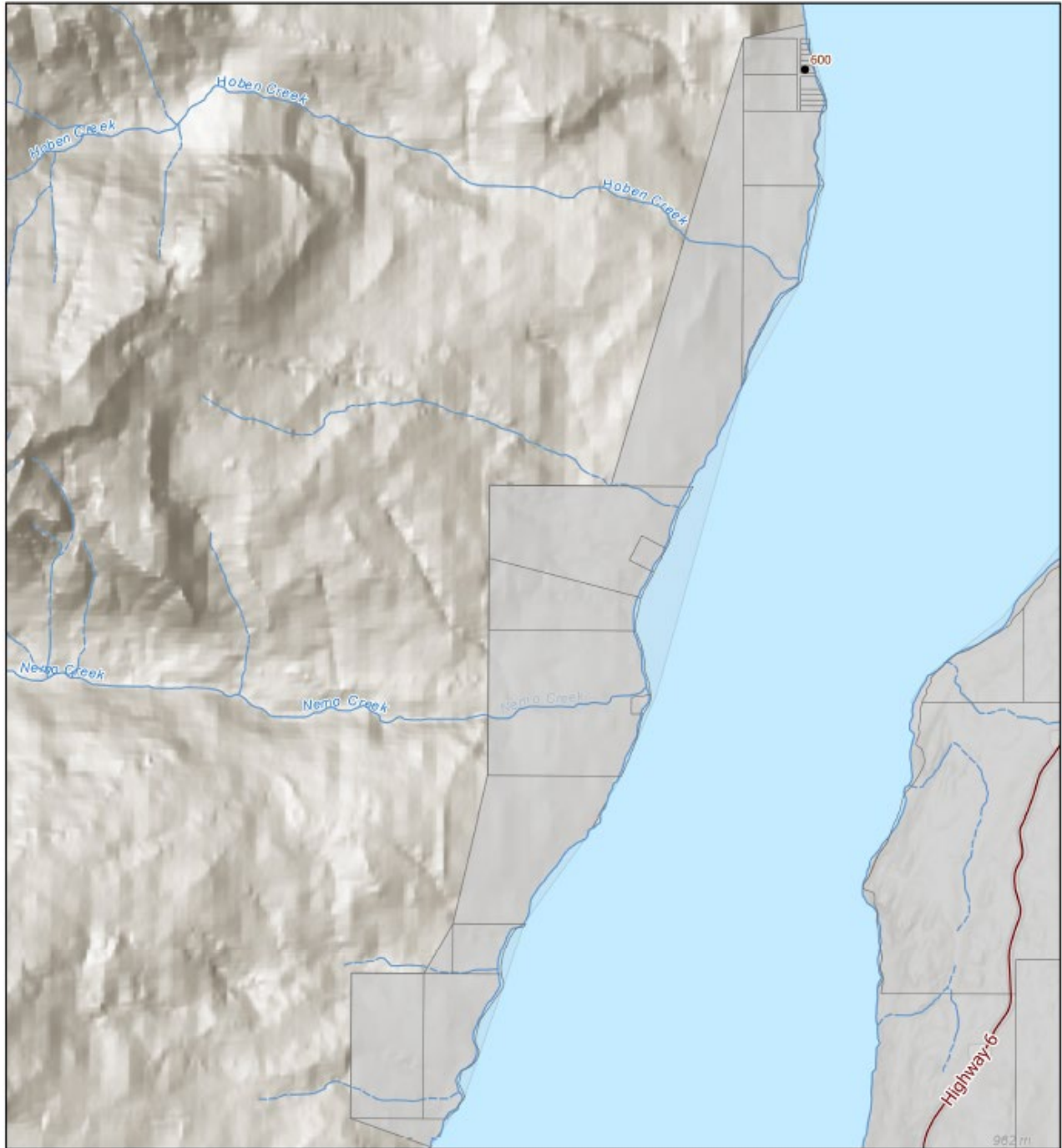
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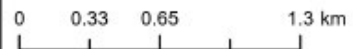
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CENTRAL KOOTENAY
EMERGENCY
OPERATIONS CENTRE**

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 Current Emergency Information:
rdck.ca/EOCinfo
 Register to receive emergency notifications:
rdck.ca/notifications
 To report a flood, landslide, spill or other hazards:
 1-800-663-3456

Nemo Creek Wildfire Evacuation Alert Rescind

-  Streets
-  Addresses
-  Legal Parcels
-  Evacuation Rescind

Map Scale: 1:28,294



The mapping information shown are approximate representations and should only be used for reference purposes. The Regional District of Central Kootenay is not responsible for any errors or omissions on this map.