



Wildfire Ready Tip : Create a Go-Bag

Some of you have been thinking about making your emergency Go-Bag for months, and now is the perfect time to do it. A Go-Bag is an evacuation bag that contains a three day supply of items you would need to safely evacuate your home. These bags are prepared in advance, before an emergency, and are kept in an easily accessible place.

Add Your Personal items:

- Fire Resistant Clothing: eye protection, leather gloves, long sleeve shirt and pants (cotton or wool), boots & cotton hat
- Respirator (N95 Rated)
- Eye Drops
- First Aid Kit (compact)
- Sanitation Items: toilet paper, feminine hygiene, wipes/diapers, garbage bags
- Extra Eyeglasses or Contact Lenses
- Wool Blanket
- Prescription Medications.



Add Food, Water & Pet Supplies:

- Water Bottle
- Water: 1 gallon day per person and 1 gallon per day per animal
- Non-Perishable or Canned Food for 2 days
- Pet Supplies: food leashes, medication
- Paper Cups, Plates & Utensils, Paper Towels & Can Opener

Add Evacuation Route Map

- Map Marked with Two Evacuation Routes (if possible)

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Add Important Equipment:

- Flashlight & Headlamp with Spare Batteries
- Cell Phone Charger
- Whistle to Signal for Help
- Pocket knife

Print this checklist off for reference:

[Wildfire Evacuation Checklist](#)

WILDFIRE EVACUATION CHECKLIST

If evacuation is anticipated and time allows, follow this checklist to help your family evacuate. Practice ahead to make sure you're prepared.

ARE YOU WILDFIRE READY?

BEFORE A WILDFIRE THREATENS

PERSONAL ITEMS

- Fire Resistant Clothing: goggles, leather gloves, long shirt & pants (cotton or wool), boots & cotton hat – two days worth of clothes
- Respirator (N95 Rated)
- Eye Drops
- First Aid Kit (compact)
- Sanitation: toilet paper, feline hygiene, wipes/diapers, garbage bags
- Extra Eyeglasses or Contact Lenses
- Wool Blanket
- Prescription Medications

EQUIPMENT:

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FOOD, WATER & PET SUPPLIES

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EVACUATION ROUTE MAP

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TIP: Put Your "Go Bag" in Your Car on Red Flag Days

EVACUATION NOTIFICATIONS & INFORMATION
Monitor Official Fire Information Sources

CodedRED You MUST register in advance to get alerts and evacuation notices. www.jeffco.us/473/Emergency-Notifications	Twitter Feeds JeffCo Sheriff @jeffcosheriffco Elk Creek Fire @elkcreekfire Evergreen Fire & Rescue @efr_co Foothills Fire & Rescue @firefoothills	Local News Radio FM KCFR (90.1) KOA-AM (94.1) KLZ-AM(100.7) AM KLZ (560) KHOW (630) KNUS(710) KOA (850) KGNU (1390)	InciWeb Interagency all-risk fire incident information www.inciweb.nwc.gov
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Thank you for reading this tip, and we hope you feel more prepared for wildfire !

[Learn More about Becoming Wildfire Ready](#)

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