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HERITAGE RANCH MAJOR INCIDENT RESPONSE PLAN

In 2013, an updated Major Emergency Incident Response Plan (PLAN) was adopted by the Heritage Ranch Owners Association, the Heritage Ranch Community Services District and the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection/SLO County Fire Department.

The Heritage Ranch Major Incident Response Plan addresses the Community's response to extraordinary emergency situations associated with natural or man- made disasters <u>where the</u> <u>Community is isolated from normal public service response provided for in the San Luis Obispo</u> <u>(SLO) County Emergency Response Plan.</u> It does not address day-to-day emergencies.

When the PLAN is activated, the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection/SLO County Fire Department (CAL FIRE/SLO County Fire Department) and the Heritage Ranch Community Services District (HRCSD) will form a Unified Command and the Heritage Ranch Owners' Association (HROA) will participate in a support role to the Unified Command.

The geographical location of Heritage Ranch exposes the Ranch to the threat of wildfires, winter storms and earthquakes, as identified in the SLO County Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

A wildfire is an uncontrolled fire spreading through vegetative fuels, posing danger and destruction to property. The pre-dominate dangers from wildfire are injury or loss of life to people living or recreating in the affected area and the destruction of vegetation, property and wildlife. A winter storm can bring with it heavy rainfall, high winds and even hailstorms and snowfall. Winter storms can have devastating effects in terms of property damage, injuries and even loss of life. The danger is multiplied by the risks of downed power lines, localized flooding and landslides/mudslides. The Community of Heritage Ranch is located in very close proximity to the Nacimiento – Sur Fault which is considered an active strike – slip fault; within 15 miles of the Rinconada Fault; within 20 miles of the San Simeon Fault; and within 35 miles of the San Andreas Fault. Therefore, if a major earthquake, a serious wildfire or severe winter storm were to occur, there is the probability that roads leading to Heritage Ranch could become impassable and the Community could become isolated.

It is strongly recommended that each Heritage Ranch resident review this PLAN and be prepared to be self-sufficient for one week after an emergency. Ways to prepare for these types of emergencies can be found on the HROA website, under the Emergency Services Committee website. In addition, residents that want to help their community during an emergency should be familiar with the PLAN and sign up with the Emergency Services Committee.

The purpose of the Major Emergency Incident Response Plan is to establish the Community's response organization, responsibilities, functions, and interactions to mitigate the immediate effects of a moderate or high intensity earthquake, wildfire or severe winter storm affecting the Community of Heritage Ranch until such time as additional resources arrive. The first priority of the PLAN shall be to minimize the loss of life.

The PLAN is intended to unify Community based public agencies and the HROA under the Incident Command System (ICS) to maximize resource availability in order to effectively minimize damage to life and property caused by the immediate effects of the emergency. It is intended to identify resources available from the three entities located within the Community and from the Community itself which may be used, in the absence of outside resources, to mitigate specific needs relative to responsibilities identified in the PLAN which may be outside of the normal roles of the three entities here on the Ranch.

The PLAN is primarily intended to serve as a contingency response plan for all effects associated with a major incident or disaster affecting the Community of Heritage Ranch. Procedures within this PLAN solely address emergency response and short term recovery until such time as appropriate jurisdictional agencies arrive to assume management of the emergency activities. The procedures within the PLAN apply to the personnel, equipment, facilities and other resources under the direct control of the CAL FIRE/SLO County Fire, the HRCSD, the HROA, or any other agency, group, or individual who adopts a role in emergency response which is consistent with an element of the PLAN.

The PLAN will be activated by the on-duty Company Officer of CAL FIRE/SLO County Fire Station #33, who operates as the initial Incident Commander, after consulting with the General Managers (or their next in commands) from the HRCSD and HROA. When activated, the initial Incident Commander along with the General Manager (or next in command) from HRCSD will transition to a Unified Command and the General Manager (or next in command) from HROA will become the HROA Branch Director and support Unified Command as needed.

The Unified Command Post is located at the Fire Station and the Support Control Center is located at the Heritage Ranch Community Services District office.

When a disaster strikes, it is important to remember that the number one priority of each of us is to take care of our families and look out for our neighbors. You can do so by preplanning to insure you have a plan to reach and keep in contact with family members. Make sure you have adequate food and water to last at least a week.

When the disaster happens:

A. Conduct a welfare check on family, your residence and that of your neighbors,

- B. Report emergencies to 911; treat the injured and attempt to control small fires without endangering yourself,
- C. Check on propane, electrical and water and securing each when needed,
- D. Once the welfare of family members and neighbors has been assured, each HROA employee should report to their designated location shown in the PLAN and residents who wish to help should report to the Support Control Center at the Heritage Ranch CSD office.

For additional information on preparing for an emergency, check out these sources:

- Heritage Ranch Owner's Association Emergency Services Website <u>www.hroa.us</u>
- American Red Cross <u>www.redcross.org</u>
- Cal Fire/San Luis Obispo County Fire Department <u>www.calfireslo.org</u>
- San Luis Obispo County Office of Emergency Services <u>www.slocounty.ca.gov/oes</u>
- Department of Homeland Security www.ready.gov

During an emergency, check out these sources of information:

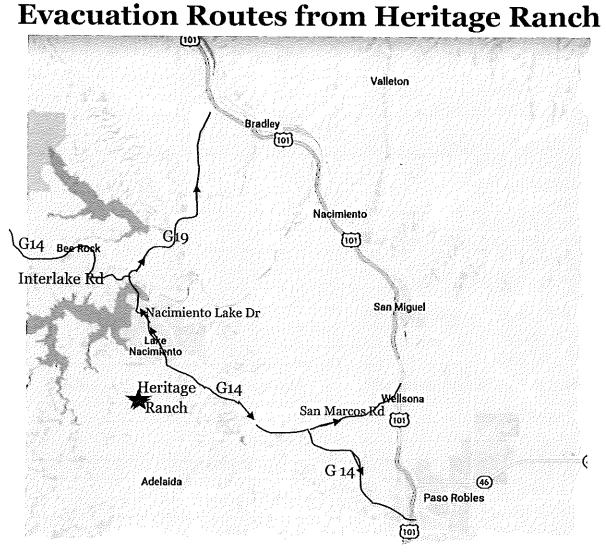
- Tune into radio stations that have coverage in our area:
 - o AM 1180 and 1230 FM 95.3, 96.7, 98.1, 102.7, 104.5 and 105.9
- American Red Cross website www.redcross.org
 - On your smart phone, download the Wildland Fire and Earthquake APP. These APPs and their directions and connection to the Cal Fire "Incident Information" reports can be obtained in four quick taps on your smartphone
- CAL FIRE/San Luis Obispo County Fire -receive radio transmissions with your scanner
 - o Dispatch Frequency 151.325 County Command 4 Frequency 151.055
- PG&E 24 hr. phone line to inquire about power outages 1-800-743-5002
- Several Scänner Apps are available to be downloaded on your smart phone. Check the HROA Website's Emergency Services section for a "how to" on downloading these APPs.

If you wish to help during a disaster, fill out the form below and return to the HROA Office.

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Volunteer Sign-up	
Name	Email
Address	
	Cell Phone Number
Please list any skills and/or abilities	

Emergency Evacuation Grab & Go List Plan, Prepare, be Ready!

Ø	Level 3 ~ 5 Min Evacuation	Floor	Location
	72 Hour Backpack	·	
	Car, House and RV Keys		
	Cash		
	Cell Phones & Chargers		
	Emergency Folder		
	External Hard Drive		
	Glasses		
	Laptop & Charger		
	Medical Devices (CPAP, Cane, Etc)		
	Medications		λ
	Passport, Birth Certificates		
	Pets		
	Proof of Residency/Ins Cards, Utility Bills		
	Shoes & Jacket		
	Wallet or Purse		
Ø	Level 2 ~ 15 Min Evacuation	Floor	Location
	Case Bottled Water		
	Cash		
	Family Photos		
	First Aid Kit		
	Photo Containers		
	Several changes of clothes		
	Sleeping bags and pads		
Ø	Level 2.5 ~ 30 Min Evacuation	Floor	Location
	Battery Powered Radio		· · ·
	Blankets/Quilts		
	Cash		
	Cooler with Snacks		
	Extra Batteries	÷	
	Flashlights		
	Journals		
	Porta Potty		
	Tent		
Ø	Level 1 ~ 1 Hour Evacuation	Floor	Location
	Air Mattress	<i>j</i> ,	
	Camp Stove		
	Cash		
	Fire Extinguisher		
	Shovel		



North to Highway 101

- Exit Gateway Dr. or Loop Road
- Left on Nacimiento Lake Road (G14)
- At approx 2.5 miles keep right and continue on G19 for 10 miles to Highway 101

South to Paso Robles

- Exit Gateway Dr or Loop Road
- Right on Nacimiento Lake Road (G14)
- Turn left at Chimney Rock and continue on G14
- 7 miles to Paso Robles
- Alternate route to 101 G14 to San Marcos Rd









Reverse 911

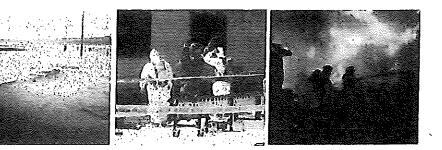
Public Alert and Notification

Reverse 911 provides emergency officials the ability to send a recorded emergency message to San Luis Obispo County residents and businesses. It can be utilized for emergencies where public health and safety is a concern such as evacuation orders, missing person notifications, and much more.

To increase the effectiveness of the system, residents are encouraged to register their wireless devices, digital or VoIP phones, as only conventional (hard/land line) phone lines are automatically entered into the system.

To learn more, or to register your wireless device visit: www.slosheriff.org/reverse_911.php

For Questions Contact SLO County OES: (805)781-5011



Office of Emergency Services County of San Luis Obispo County Government Center 1055 Monterey St, Room D430

Please contact Jennifer for assistance in getting registered. 805-781-5678

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Welfare Check of Residents with Special Needs

As with every community there is a portion of our residents that may have special health care needs, impaired mobility, or lack of transportation.

The ESC is working in conjunction with SLO County Office of Emergency Services for evacuation assistance. If you will require assistance during an emergency utilize the link titled "Wellness Check Form – Signup". The link can be found on the HROA website under the Emergency Information and Planning.

The Heritage Ranch Major Incident Response Plan provides that, when necessary, emergency shelters can be established at the HR Rec Barn and the Living Waters Church. The scope and magnitude of any disaster will dictate further actions as decided by the Unified Command of CAL FIRE, HR-CSD and HROA.

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Your Welfare Matters!

If you have special medical needs, or have limited mobility, and believe you will require assistance during a *major incident*, we would like to help.

The HR Emergency Services Committee is compiling a list of residents who have mobility problems or other special needs. In case of a *major earthquake or* wildfire, you may be at greater risk due to ambulatory restrictions. If you would like to have someone, check on your welfare after a *major incident*, please register with us. Your information will be kept confidential and will only be used during a major disaster.

Fill out the information below, and your information will be kept in file by the CSD and HROA until needed. You may change your information at any time to accommodate your needs.

The information may be returned to the HROA office. Help us serve you to build a better community. Don't be left alone when you need help.

Name	Lot/Track	
Address		
Phone	Do you live alone? Yes	No 🗌
Do you have a medical condition that requires	s electricity? Ye s 🗌 No 🗌	
Brief description of special needs or mobility	problem:	
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How many people at this address require assis	stance?	
Relationship:		
Phone number of emergency contact:		
nformation must be updated annually. I	Please contact the HROA Office.	
Signature:	Date:	