



**REGIONAL DISTRICT**  
of Fraser-Fort George

**August 19, 2016**  
**3:15 pm**

# **MEDIA RELEASE**

## **Evacuation Alert for Norman Lake Area**

The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George has issued an evacuation alert in the Norman Lake area as a result of a wildland interface fire in the area. (see attached map)

The fire was reported this afternoon at 1:30 pm. Crews from BC Wildfire are on scene.

Residents in the alert area are asked to prepare themselves in the event that an evacuation is required and immediately take the following actions to help prevent damage to home, property and to prepare for personal safety:

- gather important papers and move valuables to alternate locations;
- make arrangements for pets to be moved to a safe location;
- make arrangements for livestock for a safe alternative location in case an evacuation order is issued
- prepare a 72-hour personal emergency kit for you and your family; remember to include any necessary medications in your kit.

The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George's Emergency Operations Centre is open and will provide resources and/or assistance to residents regarding wildland interface fire awareness and preparedness.

The public is asked to visit the RDFFG website [www.rdffg.bc.ca](http://www.rdffg.bc.ca) and Facebook page for updated information.

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## EVACUATION ALERT MAP

