

## INFORMATION BULLETIN

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Regional District of Central Kootenay  
Emergency Operations Centre

### UPDATE - SLOCAN VALLEY EVACUATION ALERT

NELSON -An evacuation alert remains in effect for residents of Passmore.

The alert covers residences in the following areas:

- All homes in the vicinity of Slocan Park, including all ODD numbered properties from 2347 to 3167 Highway 6;
- All EVEN numbered properties from 2310 to 2794 Highway 6; and
- All properties on Cunningham Road, Storbo Heights Road and Hart Road.

The Evacuation Alert covers approximately 98 residences.

The alert has been lifted for other areas.

Local authorities have gone door to door, notifying residents that they may be asked to leave their homes on very short notice and travel to the reception centre.

A reception centre will be re-opened if required. For information, contact the Passmore Fire Hall, located at 3725 Highway 6 at (250) 226-7219 or (250) 226-6971.

A toll-free public information line is open at the Regional District of Central Kootenay Emergency Operations Centre at 1-800-268-7325 between the hours of 7:00am and 10:00pm. Information is also available to local callers at 250-352-6665.

Should residents be required to leave, detailed evacuation instructions will be provided directly to them by local emergency personnel.

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Contact:           Emergency Operations Centre  
                          (250) 352-6665