

Evacuation...

...means the movement of people to safety to avoid a dangerous situation.

Leaving your home protects you from getting hurt or killed, if wildfire threatens. It also improves the chance for firefighters to save your home and property.

How to Prepare



1. Well in advance of wildfire season, take time to make a **list** of what's important to take with you during an evacuation.
2. Think **"PIP"** – **P**recious, **I**rreplaceable, **P**ortable. Items like photo albums, a laptop, prescriptions, jewelry and eyeglasses. Store this list in an easy to find location.
3. Assemble an **emergency supplies kit**. This should include adequate bottled water, non perishable food, a change of clothing and shoes, hygiene items, a flashlight and extra set of car keys.
4. Keep extra **cash**. A rule of thumb is 2½ times what it costs to fill your gas tank.
5. Take **pictures** and make an inventory of household furniture and important belongings. Store this with other valuable documents



like birth certificates and insurance papers in a safe deposit box.

6. If you have **pets**, arrange in advance for a place to take your animals during evacuation. Organize what you'll need when you leave. Evacuate with pets in appropriate carriers and remember a leash, food, water, and cat litter.



7. Become familiar with the designated **emergency exits**. The primary way out will always be Roxborough Drive. Additionally, 3 other routes are now marked with circular blue and white signs. Roxborough Drive North and Fox Paw Trail lead to two evacuation routes through Ravenna. The third evacuation route is across Arrowhead Golf course accessed from Moss Rock Run/Rain Dance Trail (See Enclosed Maps).

Evacuation Routes

- 1 MAIN: **Roxborough Drive** via Main Gate
- 2 GOLF COURSE: **Moss Rock Run/Rain Dance Trail** via Arrowhead Golf Course
- 3 NORTHWEST: **Roxborough Drive North** via Ravenna
- 4 NORTHEAST: **Fox Paw Trail** via Ravenna





into your vehicle along with your emergency supplies and any pets.

Inside: Close all doors and windows. Lower all mini-blinds and remove fabric curtains from windows (to avoid ignition from radiant heat).

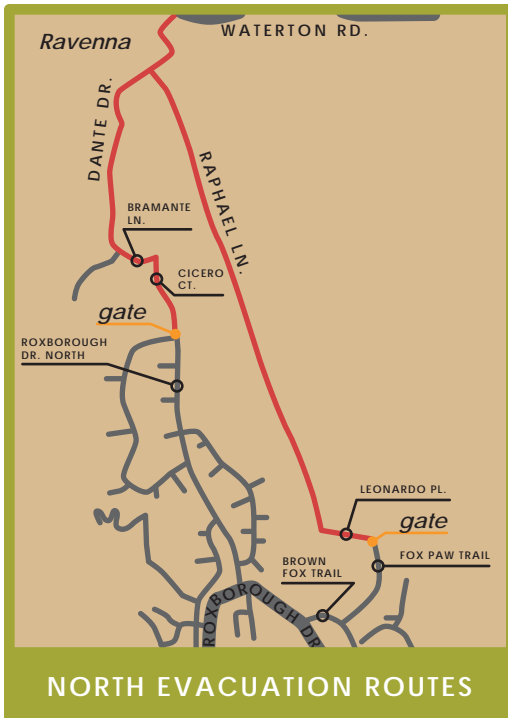
Outdoors: Attach nozzles to garden hose and leave water turned off. Put unneeded vehicles in garage. Don't wait for an evacuation order. If fire appears to threaten your residence, lock up the house and leave.

When You Go

Protect yourself from heat and smoke by wearing sturdy shoes, a long sleeve shirt and pants. You might consider wearing gloves, even goggles or a dust mask.

Turn on your headlights, keep the windows rolled up. Be aware of incoming emergency vehicles and pull over to let them pass.

Look for the circular blue and white evacuation signs and follow them out. Keep an eye on the wind. If smoke and fire starts blowing in a different direction, you may need to pick an alternate route to safety.



Roxborough Park WILDFIRE EVACUATION GUIDE

Getting Ready to Leave

If wildfire is coming towards your home, pack the **PIP** items and load

Tune to Radio Station KOA/850 during an emergency.

A non-emergency phone number is 303.660.7589, if you have questions.

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