

CAL FIRE NEWS RELEASE

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RELEASE DATE: August 26, 2021
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WHAT: Update to Evacuation Orders, Warnings, and Road Closures

WHEN: **Effective Immediately**

WHERE: **El Dorado and Alpine Counties**

Road Closures:

- The Highway 50 closure has been extended East to Meyers (Highway 50 and Highway 89 junction).

Evacuation Routes:

- Residents evacuating the area should use Highway 50 East.

Evacuation Order:

El Dorado County

- From Twin Bridges east to Echo Summit
- From Highway 50 South to Amador/Alpine County line
- From Highway 50 North to Flag Pole Peak.

Evacuation Warnings:

El Dorado County

- Christmas Valley from Highway 89 West to Echo Summit
- Highway 89 due West to Watershed Ridge and South to the Amador/El Dorado County line.

Alpine County

- Highway 89 South from Luther Pass Road to the Pickets Junction (Highway 88).
- West on Highway 88 to Kirkwood.

Evacuation Shelter:

Nevada

- A Red Cross Shelter is open for those evacuating from the area at the Douglas County Community Center, 1329 Waterloo Lane, Gardnerville, NV.