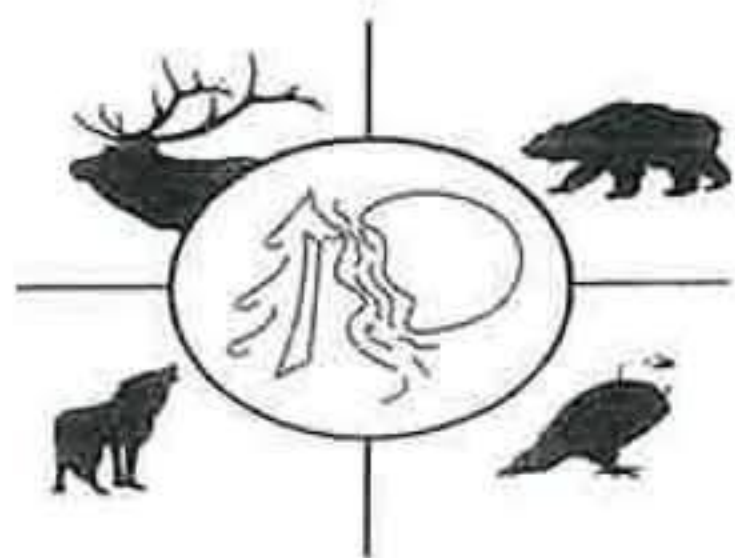




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COLDWATER INDIAN BAND EVACUATION ORDER NOTICE

Date Issued: August 7, 2026

Affected Area

Paul's Basin IR No. 2

Affected House Numbers:

- 2010 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2020 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2030 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2032 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2035 1000th Street, Merritt BC
- 2040 1100th Street, Merritt BC
- 2050 1500th Street, Merritt BC
- 2060 1600th Street, Merritt BC
- 2070 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2080 Patchett Road, Merritt BC
- 2090 2000th Street, Merritt BC
- 2100 2000th Street, Merritt BC

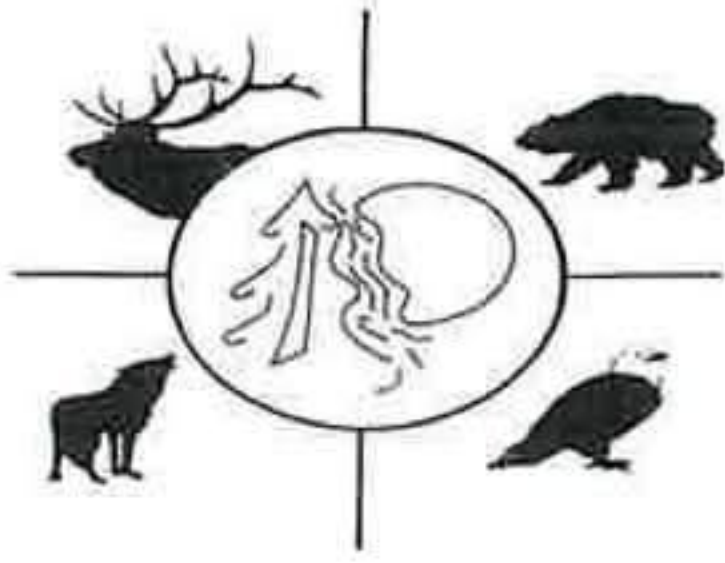
Please refer to the attached map identifying the affected area.

EVACUATION ORDER

Pursuant to the authority of the **Coldwater Indian Band Emergency Operations Centre** and Band Council Resolution No. 02-005-2026/27, an **Evacuation Order** has been issued for the area identified above due to an immediate threat to life safety.

ALL RESIDENTS MUST LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY.

Because of the potential danger to life and safety, all persons within the affected area are required to evacuate immediately.



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This Order has been issued to protect the health, safety, and welfare of residents.

YOU MUST:

- ☒ Leave the affected area immediately.
- ☒ Follow directions provided by emergency personnel.
- ☒ Take your family members and household occupants with you.
- ☒ Take pets and essential supplies if it is safe to do so.
- ☒ Bring:
 - Government-issued identification
 - Prescription medications and medical supplies
 - Essential clothing and personal items
 - Important financial, legal, and insurance documents
 - Items required for infants, children, elders, and persons with disabilities
- ☒ Ensure your property is secured before leaving, if time permits.
- ☒ Check on neighbours who may require assistance, only if it is safe to do so.

ESS RECEPTION CENTRE

Emergency Support Services (ESS) Location:

Location: Merritt Airport – Building will have an “EOC” sign.

Address: 4476 Airport Road Merritt BC

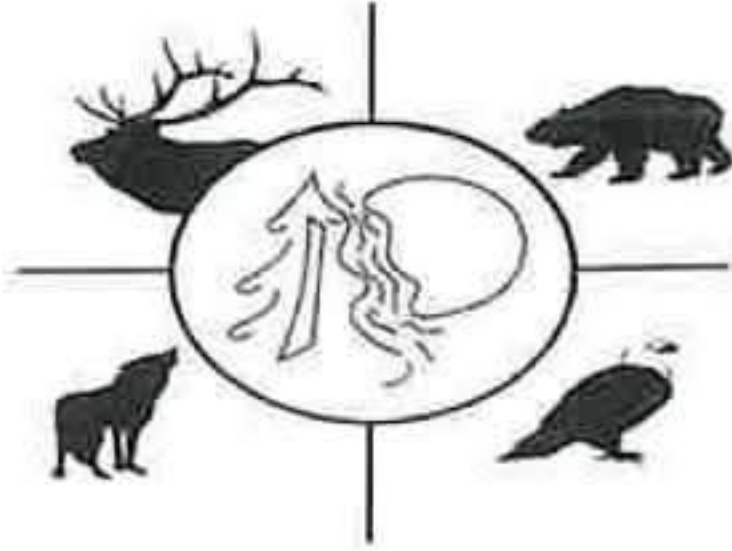
All evacuees requiring accommodation, food services, clothing, incidentals, or other supports should report to the ESS Reception Centre upon arrival.

TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE

Residents requiring transportation assistance should contact:

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Phone: (250) 378-6174



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ROAD ACCESS

Do not enter the evacuation area until the Evacuation Order has been rescinded and an official re-entry notice has been issued.

STAY INFORMED

Continue monitoring updates from:

- Coldwater Indian Band
- Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD)
- BC Wildfire Service
- Local emergency notification channels

CONTACT INFORMATION

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AUTHORIZATION

Issued By: Coldwater Indian Band Emergency Operations Centre by way of Band Council Resolution No. 02-005-2026/27.

Authorized By:

Name: Jordan Collins

Title: Emergency Operations Centre Director

Signature: 

Date: August 7, 2026

Time: 8:45 AM

Paul's Basin IR No.2

Legend
Patchett Road

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