

Wildfire Evacuation Planning & Execution

Colorado Association of Ski Towns 10/9/2025



Derby Fire Evacuation Overview



Clearly Defined Roles

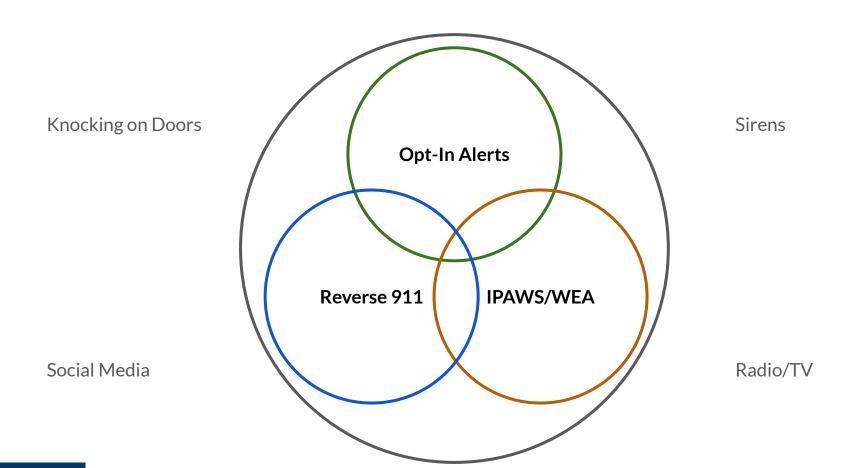
- Who has the authority to issue an evacuation?
- Who has the knowledge to prompt an evacuation?



- Who sends out emergency alerts, and through what systems?
- Who provides support for the evacuated community?

 Traffic control? Sheltering? Food? Pets & livestock support? Medical or disability needs?
- Does everyone in the system understand their role and the roles of the others?

Alert & Warning Systems



Clear Messaging

Evacuate Immediately

Area: Due to the fire, evacuate the area immediately.

Evacuation Order - Wildland Fire

Public safety officials are issuing a MANDATORY EVACUATION ORDER for Sweetwater Rd and sections of Colorado River Rd from Sweetwater to Red Dirt Creek. Derby Mesa Loop remains in pre-evacuation at this time due to a Wildland Fire. Everyone in the impacted area must leave by noon today 8/20.

- 1. Assemble all family members and pets
- Gather important documents, photos, computers and irreplaceable items
- Pack essentials such as prescriptions and eyeglasses.
 Don't forget cash and credit/debit cards

Please monitor www.ecemo.org for further information as well as local media and social media outlets for updates.

Zone-Based Evacuations & Public Information





Safety Info

Evacuation Map Watch Duty Incident Page Air Quality Health Advisories



Shelter Info

Shelters no longer activated. Please call 970-328-7400 for assistance with pets and livestock.

The Evacuation Center is virtual from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. 970-328-7400

Livestock & Large Animal Support: CSU Extension 970-328-7400

Pet & Small Animal Support: Animal Services 970-328-7400

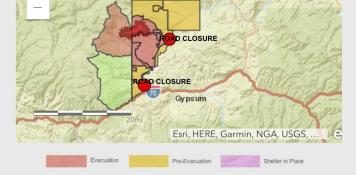


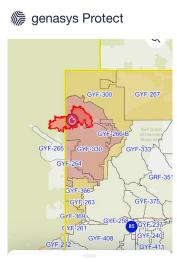
Communications Resources

Derby Fire Social Media Eagle County PIO Social Media

Emergency / Evacuation Map

Click here to view map full screen or search your address

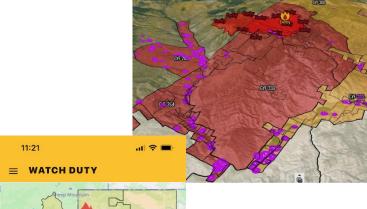




Current Location

Elam Construction Inc. 951 Fairgrounds Rd. Eagle.... Zone ID: GRF-192

✓ No Alerts



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Derby Fire 13.5 miles North of Dotsero Eagle & Garfield Counties

> ACRES CONTAINMENT STATUS 5.723.4 4% Active

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Sheltering & Community Support

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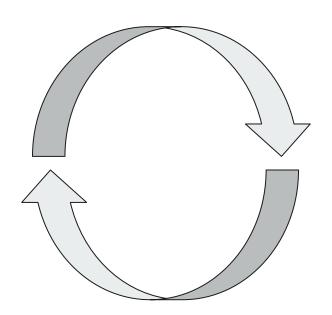
Pets

Livestock

Medical Needs

Mobility Challenges

Childcare



Connect with Resources

Language Barriers

Overnight Sheltering

Food/Clothing

Disabilities or Barriers to Accessing Resources

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