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S Douglas FSR Wildfire Information

The S Douglas FSR Wildfire burning south of the community of Rosswood and north of Kitsumkalum Lake was actioned by BC Wildfire Ground Crews and air support on August 8th, 9th, and continuning on August 10th. The weather has cooperated and allowed the BC Wilfire Crew time to do their work. At this time there are no Alerts or Orders in place.

For latest information visit the BC Wildfire Service online at https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status?utm-campaign=20220406 GCPE IP WFP LEARN ADW BCGOV EN BC TEXT

Emergency Management B.C.

- The Province of BC has information for all residents on how to be prepared, stay safe during an
 event and recovery. https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-management/preparedbc/know-your-hazards/wildfires
- Emergency Management BC also has a wildfire preparedness guide available online.
 https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/public-safety-and-emergency-services/emergency-preparedness-response-recovery/embc/preparedbc/preparedbc-guides/wildfire_preparedness_guide.pdf

Emergency Support Services (RDKS) Skeena Valley

- If you are displaced from your home due to an emergency event, we are here to help.
- 24 hr hotline is available by calling: 250-641-2443

Important terms:

Here are some important terms to note in the event of a wildfire:

- Evacuation Alert: Be ready to leave on short notice
- Evacuation Order: You are at risk. Leave the area immediately
- Evacuation Rescinded: All is currently safe and you can return home

Regional District Contact

Address: 4545 Lazelle Ave- Suite 300 Monday to Friday 8:30 to 4:30pm Phone Number: 250-615-6100

Email: info@rdks.bc.ca

For more information on RDKS Fire preparedness, or general information, please visit our website at: **www.rdks.bc.ca**

