

Ready, Set, Go Program was developed by Co Emergency Management and the Fire Chiefs Assoc to raise awareness on Evacuation Procedures & Current Emergency situations.

We are currently in the heart of an Extreme Wildfire Season – Red Flag Warnings, Smoke & fires surrounding us. Now is the time to be SET.

Wildfires move fast, you may not have time to think about what to do...you will just have to act.

CJ- Krauss Lane fire is a good example, there wasn't time for Ready, Set – only Go!

We have been fortunate, that there are great resources available. It takes a great Collaborative Effort to combat a fire. We want our Citizens to be part of that effort by understanding the Ready, Set, Go program.

READY – Be prepared. Have an Evacuation Plan

SET – Significant Danger – Stay informed. Be ready to leave in a moment's notice

GO – Leave immediately. Follow your evacuation plan & stay informed

Too much information can be confusing with social media, TV & News stories and general conversations can be overwhelming.....For accurate information...Please visit RVEM.org

To Stay Informed – consider Citizens Alert- to provide critical information quickly & in a variety of situations. The mass notification system is designed to allow you to Opt in.

This county system lets you manage how to be informed and on what areas. Registering in this system will automatically register you for evacuation notices.

Another critical way to stay informed is to become part of a neighborhood phone tree. These are set up within a neighborhood, ideally 10 -20 homes. A lead contact stays informed through the fire agency & the fire command during an incident that directly relates to their area. Successful use in the Applegate gives people time to consider what to do.

Staying informed gives you time to make decisions and put your Family Evacuation Plans to work.

Other links found on RVEM.org; Look under Hazards/Fire.

ODF's -SWOFire for fire updates on fires in our region.

Inciweb – accurate fire information on the status of Large fires Nationwide; acres, crews, maps.

Wildfires move fast – there may not be time to wait for information or for someone to knock on your door. You need to stay informed. It reduces panic and increases survivability.

Please visit RVEM.org & have all the resources available in order to make a good decision when the time comes.

Thank you for your support. When you are prepared, Firefighters can concentrate on the fire.

Life safety always comes first – Be safe, Be prepared.