

FIREWISE EVACUATION PLAN 2020

Please refer to the following procedures when a wildfire evacuation is ordered by Civil Defense:

THE PROTECTION OF LIFE IS THE NUMBER ONE PRIORITY...PROPERTY IS SECOND.

If the HI County Civil Defense orders a fire evacuation (a declared emergency), the main entrance gate on Hokulele Dr. should be used as the primary exit. When exiting through the main entrance gate do not block or obstruct either side of the entrance/exit so that emergency vehicles can enter. If that exit is blocked by emergency crews and/or equipment, use the emergency exit gate at the ocean side of the cul-de-sac on Laninui.

The padlock combination was previously provided to all owners.

Please note the emergency exit gate should only be opened in the event of a verified evacuation emergency. Use the main entrance gate if the emergency exit gate is inaccessible.

If you have time

Shut off the main valve by your propane gas tank(s).

Close all windows, doors, blinds and drapes to your home.

Turn off all circuit breakers (except for the one that controls your irrigation clock)

Take pets with you to reduce risks to fire department personnel and your pet's safety.

If fire is imminent, wear protective clothing. Cotton/woolen long pants and long-sleeved shirt, gloves and a handkerchief to protect your face.

Remove as many vehicles as possible from your property when leaving the community.

Remember to close your door.

Evacuation Tips

Every member of each household should know what needs to be done in case an evacuation is ordered.

A list of assignments can be made up ahead of time and left in a convenient place.

Know where things are ahead of time, and how they work. Gas tank valves, circuit breakers, medications, fire extinguishers, irreplaceable items, etc.

Important documents should be stored off-site in a safe deposit box or at home in a fireproof safe or portable file for easy evacuation.

Have portable cages or leashes as well as travel food for your pets.

Have a ladder, shovel, rake and long water hose available.

If your roof can burn, wet it down with a hose.

Keeping your yard clean and all dry grass and other flammable debris well away from your property will help avoid the spread of wildfires.

Always be Firewise.

This plan is brought to you by your concerned neighbors and the KBTS Firewise Committee