

CAL FIRE NEWS RELEASE

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RELEASE DATE: September 16, 2021
1:00 p.m.

WHAT: Evacuation Orders Downgraded

WHEN: Effective Immediately

WHERE: El Dorado County

Evacuation Order Update:

The following Evacuation warnings have been lifted in El Dorado County:

East zone:

Washoe Meadows area including all residences accessed from North Upper Truckee Road, Tahoe Mountain Road, Lake Tahoe Boulevard, west of Tahoe Mountain Road and Chiapa Drive.

REMINDER: There is still a temporary Emergency Closure in effect for the Eldorado National Forest through the end of September. This closure includes all National Forest Service lands, roads (including Mormon Emigrant Trail) and trails within the Eldorado National Forest. See Forest Order [03-21-14](#) for more information. To request access to private lands and recreational residences accessible via closed Forest Service roads, please contact your local Forest Service District Office.

The Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit closure order [19-21-05](#) remains in effect for the following backcountry areas: Desolation Wilderness, Meiss Country, Barker Pass and McKinney/Rubicon through September 19, 2021.

Repopulation consists of complex coordination between fire, law enforcement, public works, and utilities to ensure the safety of residents and fire responders alike.

The public is reminded to stay vigilant on current fire conditions. Please continue to adhere to road closures and any evacuation orders and warnings. A reminder to drive slowly and yield to emergency personnel in the area. **There will be smoke in the respective areas as firefighters continue firefighting operations.** If at any time you feel unsafe, please call 911. For tips on returning home after wildfire visit: [Returning Home Checklist - Ready for Wildfire](#).

For more specific information and resources from your local utility company visit the links below:

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Sacramento Municipal Utility District
El Dorado Irrigation District
Grizzly Flats CSD:
Liberty Utilities:
ATT:
Comcast:

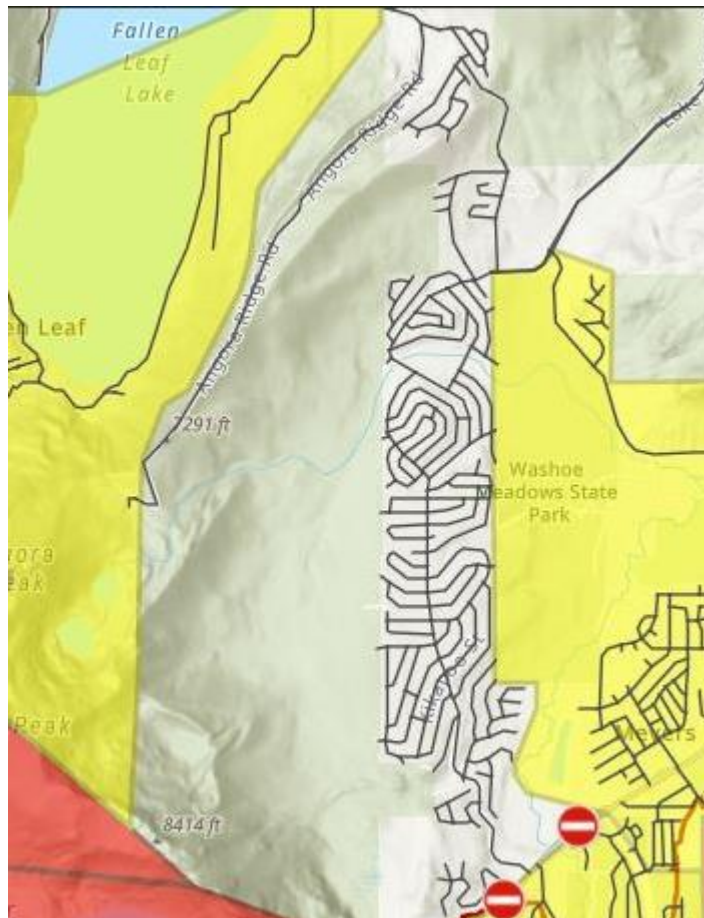
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Please go to: www.tinyurl.com/EDSOEVAC for an online evacuation map.

All previous evacuation orders and warnings remain in effect.



For additional information regarding the Caldor Fire, scan the QR code above or visit <https://linktr.ee/imt6>



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