

# During Wildfires

## Take Action Immediately When Wildfire Strikes

- ✓ Review your Evacuation Plan Checklist.
- ✓ Ensure your Grab-N-Go bag is in your vehicle.
- ✓ Cover-up to protect against heat and flying embers:
  - Wear long pants, long sleeved shirt, (100% cotton preferable), heavy shoes/boots, hat, dry bandanna for face cover, N95 facemask, goggles or glasses.
- ✓ Locate your household pets and take them with you.
  - Any horses or large animals should be transported to designated areas.
  - Pierce College at Canoga Ave. & Victory Blvd.

## When to Evacuate

- Leave when evacuation is recommended by fire or law enforcement officials to avoid being caught in fire, smoke, or road congestion. **Don't wait to be ordered by the authorities to leave.**
- Officials will determine the areas to be evacuated and escape routes to use depending upon the fire's location, behavior, winds, terrain, etc. KNOW YOUR [ZONEHAVEN ZONE NUMBER](#).
- Listen to your radio/TV for announcements from law enforcement and emergency personnel.
- DO NOT return to your home until fire officials determine it is safe. Notification will be given as soon as possible considering safety and accessibility.

## When You Return Home

- Be alert for downed power lines and other hazards. NEVER touch downed power lines.
  - **If you see a downed power line, leave the area immediately and call 9-1-1, then call [Southern California Edison](#) to report at 1-800-611-1911.**
- If power is still out, DO NOT use open flame items like candles, lighters, lanterns for lighting. Use a flashlight.
- Check for any signs of leaking gas from lines and appliances.
- Check propane tanks, regulators, and lines before turning any gas source on. If you turned your gas off at the meter, [CALL SoCalGas](#) to arrange to have it turned back on.
- **DO NOT attempt to turn it back on yourself.**