

News Release

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Evacuation order issued for properties on Allenby Road south of Duncan

DUNCAN, BC – An [Evacuation Order](#) has been issued by Cowichan Valley Regional District (CVRD) for a number of properties on Allenby Road immediately south of Duncan, BC.

Several properties on Allenby Road along the Cowichan River are subject to the [evacuation order](#). The evacuation order was issued due to immediate danger to life safety caused by extremely high river flows causing flooding. Debris in fast moving water may cause damage and pose a threat to life and property.

Those under Evacuation Order should:

- Follow the safest travel route available
- Self-register online: Emergency Support Services (ESS) at <https://ess.gov.bc.ca/> to report that you have safely left the area. If you are unable to register online, proceed to the Cowichan Community Centre on James Street in Duncan to register in person
- If you need transportation assistance from the area, advise the person providing this notice or call 778-403-4040
- Shut off all gas and electrical appliances, other than refrigerators and freezers
- Close all windows and doors
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock
- Gather your family and, if you have room, take a neighbour or someone needing transportation. Do not use more vehicles than you have to
- Take critical items (medicine, purse, wallet, and keys) only if they are immediately available. Take pets in pet kennels or on leash
- Take COVID-19 precautions: bring masks and sanitizer and maintain social distancing

Updates on flooding situations across the region will be available on the CVRD website at www.cvrld.bc.ca and on CVRD social media channels. For updated road closure information residents should check the [DriveBC website](#).

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EVACUATION ORDER

Allenby Road, Duncan BC

11/15/2021 – 1530hrs

Pursuant to Section 12 (1) of the BC Emergency Program Act an **Evacuation Order** has been issued by Cowichan Valley Regional District due to immediate danger to life safety caused by: extremely high river flows causing flooding.

The Evacuation Order is in effect for the following areas:

Civic Address	PID
3065 ALLENBY ROAD	000-415-863
3041 ALLENBY ROAD	003-867-391
	004-548-671
3045 ALLENBY ROAD	004-553-381
3047 ALLENBY ROAD	004-547-594
3051 ALLENBY ROAD	000-415-871

See map on next page.

YOU MUST LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

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Further information will be issued as it becomes available. Stay updated by accessing CVRD's website at www.cvrld.ca.



EOC Director

