

## **READY GO - Planning for Evacuation: Your Go Bag**

***Even just a little preparation is better than none!***

Put items in back packs and/or carrier bins to put in your car in short notice.

- 72-hours of supplies, including:
  - Three gallons of water per person
  - Three-day supply of food
  - Flashlight
  - Battery-powered or hand-crank radio
  - Extra batteries
  - First Aid kit
  - Medicines (as mentioned above)
  - Sanitation and personal hygiene items
  - Change of clothing
  - Face masks
- Medical prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, and eyeglasses
  - Work with your doctor and pharmacist to secure a backup amount of any prescriptions to have for emergency evacuations (or large earthquake)
  - Medical supplies, hearing aids, syringes, etc.
  - Any over-the-counter medications that you would need
  - Extra pair of eyeglasses, reading glasses, contact lenses
  - Baby supplies, bottles, formulas, baby food, diapers
- Computer hard drive and disks, laptops, cell phones, chargers, power cords, and backup batteries
- Credit cards, ATM cards, and cash
- Purse, if applicable
- Pets: pet carriers, leashes, water bowls, pet food, pet medications

### **Also prepare the following in case you are unable to return to your home (wildfire):**

- Papers, phone numbers, and important documents
  - Scan important documents and save to the cloud or onto a thumb-drive with password protection. In particular: insurance documentation, medication list and pertinent medical information, proof of address, deed/lease to home, passports, birth certificates
  - Any documents that you are not comfortable scanning and saving digitally, such as birth certificates, social security cards, passports, etc. can go in a small portable safe to be taken with you in your vehicle
  - Family and emergency contact information (print out a copy for each person's Go Bag)
- Irreplaceable personal mementos
  - Ask each person in the family to identify any personal items you consider irreplaceable ahead of time, appropriate to age. Note where these items are currently stored (see next page "Significant Personal Items" as a suggestion).
  - Identify where irreplaceable family photos are kept (consider scanning these in digitally for permanent backup) to grab them in emergency
  - Games, activities, entertainment for young children

\* This document and all attachments were prepared with information from the OSU Extension Services Fire Program, the City of Corvallis Fire Department, the Red Cross, and other federal, state and local preparedness resources.

**Ready GO - Planning for Evacuation: Significant Personal Items**

*(Give each household member a copy of this page to make their own list.*

*Note where items are located, if necessary. Place this page in a readily accessible location.)*

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