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PRESS RELEASE

Evacuation Warning for the Entire Town of Paradise

There is a wildland fire in Butte County, the North Complex Fire, which poses a potential threat to life and property. There is an **EVACUATION WARNING** for the entire Town of Paradise. Please prepare for possible evacuation by gathering personal belongings that will fit in your vehicle, make arrangements for pets and animals. Residents should be prepared to leave at a moment's notice.

Please be aware that many intersections are dark, the stop lights are out due to the PSPS. Please pay attention to the stop signs and treat dark intersections as a 4 way stop. If you feel you need to evacuate, please do so. If you feel unsafe, please take action, do not wait for a formal evacuation order.

Residents are advised to use extreme caution, drive safely and following directions of all public safety and public agency personnel and representatives.

This **EVACUATION WARNING** will remain in effect until further notice. We will continue to provide updates as events occur.

If you are relocating to another area be sure to monitor the radio and television to determine your route is open as there may be road closures in the area. Please drive carefully. Be sure you have a battery operated radio, flashlight and extra batteries.

Citizens may call Alert Bulletin Board number 833-512-5378 for information. Stay tuned to the local television stations for further updates and the Towns Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/townofparadise/>

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