

IF YOU BECOME TRAPPED

In your home

- Stay inside until the fire passes.
- Close all windows.
- Keep all doors closed, but unlocked.
- Keep family together and remain calm.
- Remember, if it gets hot inside your house, it will be much hotter outside.

In your car

- Park away from vegetation.
- Roll up windows.
- Cover mouth with dry cloth to protect airway.
- Cover yourself with a blanket or jacket.
- Stay in the car until the fire passes.
- If the vehicle catches on fire, exit **ONLY** after the wildfire has passed.

On foot

- Find an area away from vegetation
- Lie face down.
- Cover mouth with dry cloth to protect airway.

After the fire passes

- Check the roof and exterior of your home, extinguish all embers.
- Check your attic for hidden embers.
- Check your yard for burning wood piles, trees, fence posts or other materials.

Returning to your home

- Emergency personnel will decide when it is safe to return.
- Information will be available via the media, social media, SMC Alerts and at the arrival point.

**PROVIDED BY:
CAL FIRE-SAN MATEO COUNTY
FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**[HTTPS://WWW.SMCGOV.ORG/SA
N-MATEO-COUNTY-FIRE](https://www.smcgov.org/san-mateo-county-fire)**

100' DEFENSIBLE SPACE MAKE YOUR HOME FIRE SAFE



PALOMAR PARK

EMERGENCY EVACUATION PLAN



SMC Alert
San Mateo County Alert System

New & Improved SMCAlert System
Serving ALL the Communities in San Mateo County

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[www.ready.gov](#)

REGISTER TODAY!
We can't reach you if you don't register!

- email accounts
- cell phones, smartphones, tablets
- voice messages to landline phones (home & work)

SMC ALERT is an alert notification system used to immediately contact you during urgent or emergency situations. You can set alerts to send emergency and non-emergency text and voice messages to your:

SMC ALERT is free. (Your carrier may charge you a fee to receive alerts on your wireless device). SMC ALERT is available in all cities and towns in San

**SIGN UP FOR FREE EMERGENCY
ALERTS AT:
[HTTP://WWW.SMCALETT.INFO/](http://www.smcalert.info/)**

IN COOPERATION WITH



EVACUATION PROCEDURES

In the event of an emergency...

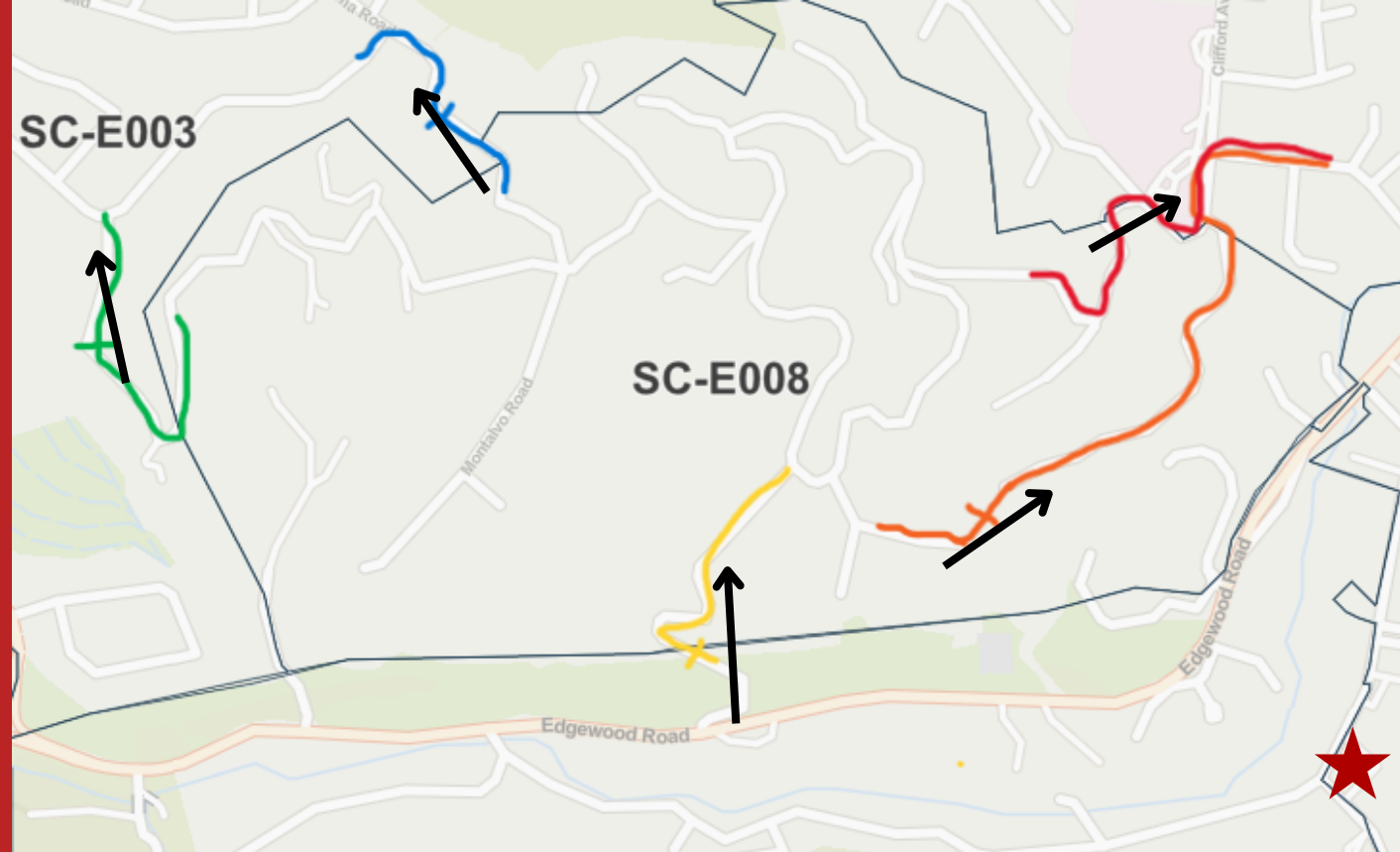
- Citizens may be notified by emergency personnel if evacuation is necessary, or by a phone call, email or text from the San Mateo County Office of Emergency Services & Homeland Security (Reverse 911 System)

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- Safely make your way out of the area using the pre-designated exit routes, or as directed by emergency services personnel.
- If evacuations are ordered, and you have no other place to go, an arrival point will be set up.

**PROCEED TO:
ST. MATTHIAS CATHOLIC
CHURCH
1685 CORDILLERAS RD**

- If evacuated, contact the Red Cross, or an emergency worker at the evacuation center to provide information about your status so that family or friends can be informed.
American Red Cross # 415-427-8000
- After an area has been evacuated, the area will remain closed until the threat has passed.
- MOST IMPORTANTLY, if you feel unsafe, don't wait. Follow the evacuation procedures and get out.
- A representative from the command post will keep you informed at the evacuation center.



Exit Routes

***Palomar Dr. to Scenic Dr.**

***Loma Rd, through gate, left on La Mesa to Crestview Dr.
(Foot Traffic ONLY)**

***Palomar Dr, through gate on to Pebble Dr, left on La Mesa to Crestview Dr. (code 0911)**

***Duggan Rd through gate to Belle Roche turn right on Palomar, right on Scenic (Code 0911)**

Access for Fire Department

***Cervantes Rd to S. Palomar (FD KNOX key to control gate)**



**Arrival Point- St. Matthias Catholic Church
1685 Cordilleras Rd.**

**KNOW YOUR
ZONE!!**

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SC-E003**

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