

Evacuation Preplan

for

Lake Creek Resort

June 2008

Lake Creek Resort Evacuation Plan

If a fire is near this development use the following table to help decide appropriate action. Under reciprocal agreement other agencies can be called on to help monitor and decide on a course of action.

Location	Trigger Points	Action
OUTSIDE 5 MILES	WIND BLOWING TOWARDS WUI, HIGH FIRE DANGER ERC 90% OR ABOVE	Merits close attention, but will not require an evacuation unless the fire moves closer and / or conditions change Consider evacuation alert.
2 - 5 MILES	WIND BLOWING TOWARDS WUI, HIGH FIRE DANGER, FIRE RESISTING CONTROL EFFORTS	May soon require an evacuation. A change in wind speed, rate of spread or increased fire behavior could trigger an evacuation. Preparations for evacuation should be made. Start an evacuation alert.
2 MILES	HIGH FIRE DANGER, WIND BLOWING TOWARDS WUI	Evacuation is likely. The wind is or is expected to be moving the fire towards the community. An increase in wind speed or increase in fire behavior could require immediate evacuation. Start evacuation alert or an evacuation.
INSIDE 2 MILES	WIND BLOWING TOWARDS WUI, HIGH FIRE DANGER, FIRE RESISTING CONTROL EFFORTS	Immediate action should be taken. An evacuation should be ordered if time permits and evacuation route safety can be assured.

Critical contacts when considering an evacuation:

Albany County Fire Warden

Albany County Sheriff

Highway Patrol

Laramie Area Records and Communication

Casper Interagency Dispatch

EMA (Laramie Fire Department)

Rawlins Interagency Dispatch

Guidelines:

- 1) Incident Command will make the decision to start notification or to start an evacuation.
- 2) Suggested Evacuation Command Area - Confluence of Lake Creek and Douglas Creek. Assessment of where fire is and is going needs to be done.

- 3) ACSO will be primary agency to contact homeowners in coordination with the fire service.
- 4) Fire units may be used to facilitate evacuation.
- 5) Evacuation route will be FS Road 509 to FSR 512 to Highway 230.
- 6) Alternate route will be FS road 509 to FSR 512 to FSR 543 to Keystone then to Albany.
- 7) Road Closures in the area should be done as soon as practical to facilitate movement of the public and fire equipment.
- 8) Incident Command channel should be USFS - Spruce Mountain
- 9) Evacuation Coordination Channel should be AC - Jelm (May not work in some areas)
- 10) Other common non repeated work channels, FERN, Fire 2, USFS work

Evacuation Command Area:

Confluence of Lake Creek and Douglas Creek.

Fox Park Work Center USFS.

Evacuation Center:

Primary: Harmony School Secondary: Centennial School

Special Considerations:

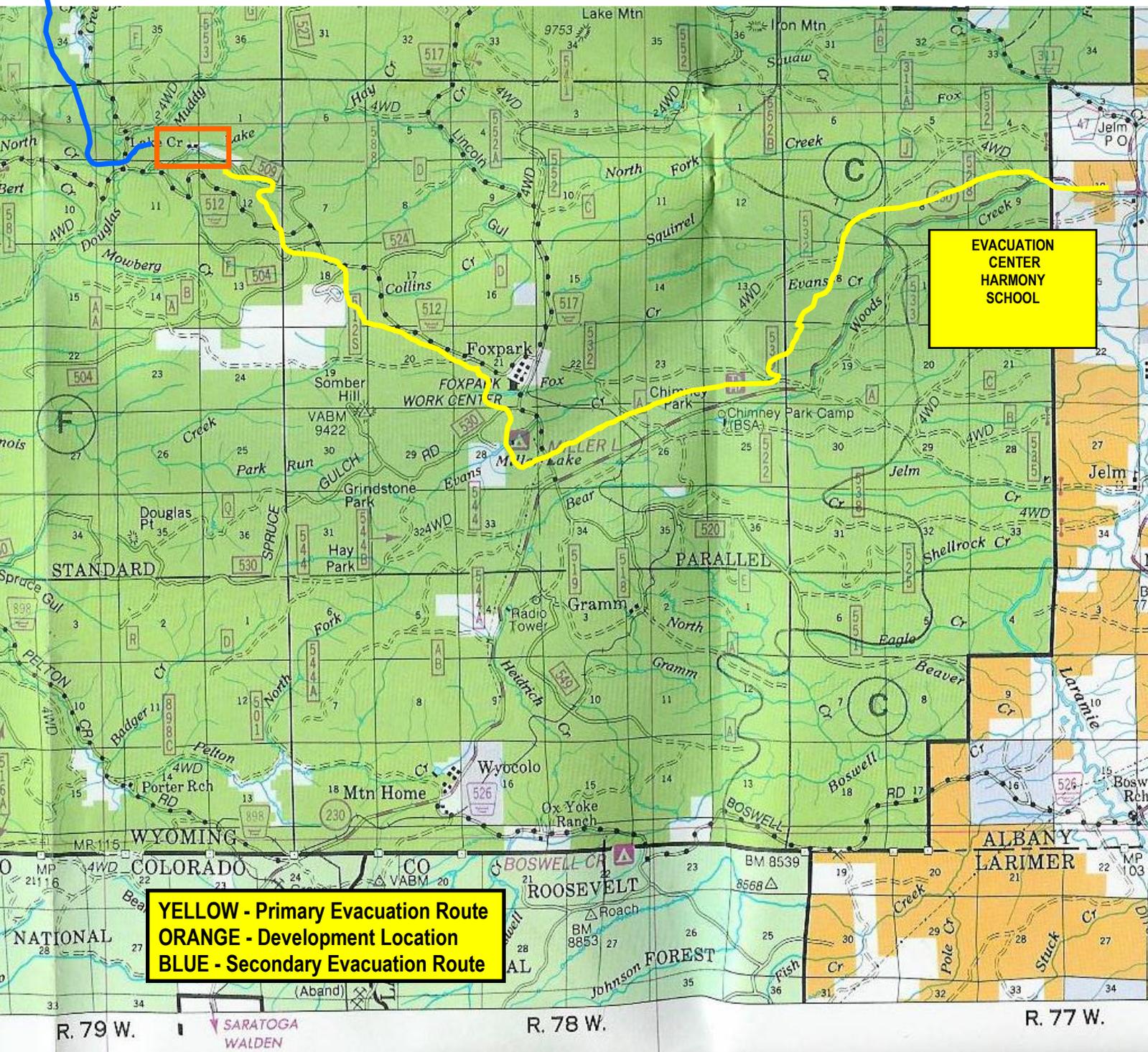
Meadow to East may work as Safety Zone

Open area at confluence of Douglas and Lake Creek may work as Safety Zone.

Remember 3 cabins at the top of ridge to the South East

USFS Campgrounds and dispersed Recreation Sites:

Dispersed camping in area.



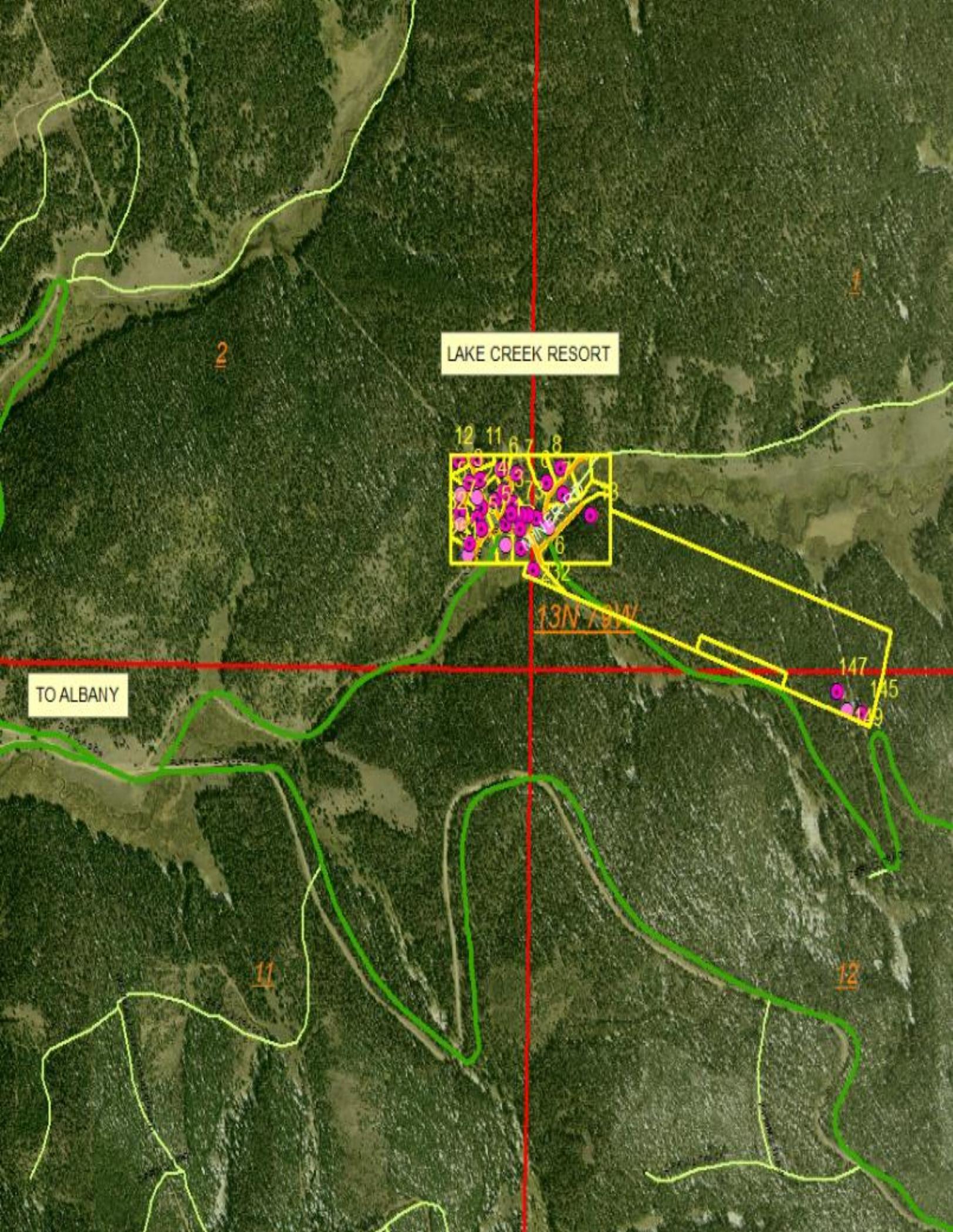
EVACUATION CENTER HARMONY SCHOOL

YELLOW - Primary Evacuation Route
ORANGE - Development Location
BLUE - Secondary Evacuation Route

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LAKE CREEK RESORT



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