# **EMERGENCY BUSH FIRE INFORMATION**

In a bush fire, it is important you stay up-to-date on the situation in your area so you and your household can put your Bush Fire Survival Plan into action as soon as possible.

The NSW Rural Fire Service strongly encourages keeping these numbers, links and apps handy.

#### **REMEMBER A FIRE CAN THREATEN SUDDENLY**

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Do not rely on a single source for emergency information. Telecommunication networks may fail during a bush fire. Power outages will also impact NBN connected equipment.



In an emergency dial Triple Zero (000) immediately.

## **INFORMATION ON BUSH FIRES**



Fires Near Me app



twitter.com/nswrfs



www.rfs.nsw.gov.au



Bush Fire Information Line 1800 NSW RFS (1800 679 737)



facebook.com/nswrfs



Listen to local radio, TV and News





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## **KNOW THE BUSH FIRE ALERT LEVELS**

Where there is a risk from bush fire, Bush Fire Alerts provide information to affected communities using radio, television, the internet or telephones.

The alert will give information about the severity of the fire, its location and what you should do.

There are three Bush Fire Alert levels to help you make the right choices for your safety.



A fire has started. There is no immediate danger. Stay up to date in case the situation changes.



There is a heightened level of threat. Conditions are changing and you need to start taking action to protect you and your family.



An Emergency Warning is the highest level of Bush Fire Alert. You may be in danger and need to take action immediately. Any delay now puts your life at risk.

### **MY BACK-UP PLAN**

Mobile phones, home phone and internet can all fail during fires. NBN connected equipment may not work during a power blackout.

Don't rely on technology. Always have a back-up to stay connected.



**LOCAL RADIO** My local emergency broadcaster frequency is:



#### **CONNECT WITH NEIGHBOURS** My neighbour names and numbers:

FOLLOW ADVICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

For more information on what you can do to prepare for bush fire this season:



NSW Rural Fire Service Website www.rfs.nsw.gov.au www.myfireplan.com.au



Your nearest NSW RFS Fire Control Centre:

