

Bush Fire Survival Map



Wallaces Gap

What is Your Bush Fire Threat?

You and your property are likely to be directly impacted by flame, deadly levels of radiant heat, significant embers and smoke from a bush fire. The risk of death and property destruction from bush fire is greatest in this area. Leaving early is your safest option.



Radiant Heat Impact

You and your property are likely to be impacted by deadly levels of radiant heat, significant embers and smoke from a bush fire. You and your property must be well prepared if you choose to stay and defend.



Ember Impact

You and your property are likely to be impacted by lower levels of radiant heat, significant embers and smoke from a bush fire. You and your property must be well prepared if you choose to stay and defend.



Be Aware

Embers can cause fires kilometres from the main fire and can impact on houses up to one hour before the fire arrives and several hours after the fire has passed. It only takes one ember_ to ignite your house and property. Ensure that you and your property are well prepared and monitor your property carefully during a bush fire.



NOTE: Impact areas have been prepared at a community level and are based on an Extreme Fire Danger Rating. Information provided on this map is not to be used for building / planning purposes.

A well designed and prepared building will provide more protection against bush fire.



Neighbourhood Safer Place

Neighbourhood Safer Places are a *Place of Last* a Neighbourhood Safer Place and Other Safer Locations in your Bush Fire Survival Plan? Your nearest NSP options are located at:



Leave Early

Main Road

Leaving early means leaving LONG before a bush fire is in your area. On days of Catastrophic fire danger you

Have a Back Up Plan!

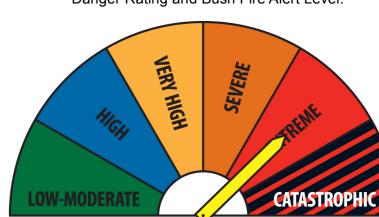
Roads may become impassable during a bush fire Your safest option is to Leave Early.

Your Bush Fire Survival Options





Stav informed about local fire conditions. Check the NSW RFS website or listen to the local emergency radio broadcaster for information on the Fire Danger Rating and Bush Fire Alert Level.





The needle indicates the Fire Danger Rating.

The Three Bush Fire Alert Levels.





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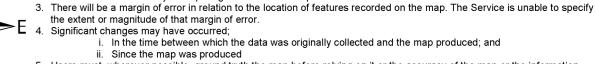
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