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THOMAS FIRE: NEW EVACUATION AREAS

Strong Winds Fuel New Burn Areas

(SANTA BARBARA, Calif.) – The Santa Barbara County Sheriff’s Office issued new **mandatory evacuation orders** for parts of Montecito and Summerland:

- The area north of Highway 101, south of 192, west of Toro Canyon Road, and east of Summit Road/east of the Country Club. Residents should leave immediately.

Voluntary evacuation warnings for parts of the Montecito area including all areas south of Highway 101 to the Pacific Ocean and east of the zoo (Ninos Drive) to San Ysidro Road. Residents should be prepared to leave in a moment’s notice.

An evacuation shelter has been established at the UCSB Recreational Center, 516 Ocean Road, Santa Barbara, 93106.

Animal evacuation centers are available for residents in evacuation zones. Please contact the Animal Services hotline at (805) 681-4332 to coordinate the sheltering and care of large and small animals.

Emergency Alert System: It is critical that people in Santa Barbara County register to receive emergency alerts. Sign up at www.AwareAndPrepare.org. If we can’t reach you, we can’t alert you.

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