



# 2018 JANUARY STORM INCIDENT UPDATE

**Date:** 01/10/2018 **Time:** 10:00AM  
**Fire Information Line:** (805) 696-1188

## STATUS

<b>Incident Start Date:</b> 01/09/2018		<b>Incident Start Time:</b> 02:00 A.M.	
<b>Incident Type:</b> Winter Storm		<b>Cause:</b> Other	
<b>Incident Location:</b> Areas north of and adjacent to 101 Freeway near Montecito			
<b>Acreage:</b> 19,200		<b>Containment:</b> See "Current Situation" below	
<b>Fatalities:</b> 15	<b>Injuries:</b> 28		<b>Missing:</b> 24
<b>Single Family Residences Destroyed:</b> 100	<b>Single Family Residences Damaged:</b> 300		<b>Single Family Residences Threatened:</b> 1,500
<b>Commercial Property Destroyed:</b> 8	<b>Commercial Property Damaged:</b> 20		<b>Commercial Property Threatened:</b> 200

## RESOURCES

<b>Engines:</b> 34	<b>Hand Crews:</b> 3	<b>Helicopters:</b> 14	<b>USAR Teams:</b> 3	<b>Water Rescue Teams:</b> 4
<b>Dozers:</b> 2	<b>Other:</b> 1	<b>Total Personnel:</b> 458		

**Cooperating Agencies:** CalFire, CalTrans, US Coast Guard, US Navy, So Cal Gas, So Cal Edison, SB SAR, American Red Cross

## SITUATION

<b>Current Situation:</b>	Early yesterday morning an extreme weather event associated with significant rainfall in a compressed timeframe resulted in water and debris flow damage throughout Montecito and surrounding Santa Barbara and Carpinteria areas. The area remains unstable due to flooding, debris flow, downed trees and power lines. Search and rescue operations remain the number one priority.
<b>Public Safety Exclusion Zone:</b>	EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY: In order to facilitate the ongoing rescue and recovery operation in Montecito and the surrounding areas, the Santa Barbara County Sheriff has declared a PUBLIC SAFETY EXCLUSION ZONE pursuant to CA Penal Code 409.5(a). This includes the area west of Sheffield Drive/East Valley Road/Ladera Lane, east of Olive Mill/Hot Springs Road, north of the ocean, and south of the U.S. Forest Service boundary. Please stay out of this area so that rescuers can do their jobs.
<b>Evacuation Orders:</b>	Unincorporated parts of Santa Barbara County, Montecito, Summerland and Carpinteria including all areas NORTH of Hwy 192, EAST of Cold Springs Road, and WEST of Hwy 150/the County line. Also included in this Order are the areas along Tecolote Canyon, Eagle Canyon, Dos Pueblos Canyon, Gato Canyon, and the Whittier burn areas near Goleta.



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<b>Evacuation Warning:</b>	All areas SOUTH of Hwy 192 to the ocean and EAST of Hot Springs Road/Olive Mill Road to Hwy 150/the County line. People in these areas should stay alert to changing conditions and be prepared to leave immediately at your own discretion if the situation worsens.
<b>Evacuation Centers:</b>	Santa Barbara City College Campus Gymnasium 721 Cliff Drive, Santa Barbara, CA (805) 687-0766
<b>Road Closures:</b>	Highway 101 SB @ Milpas Street Highway 101 NB @ HWY 150 HWY 192 in multiple locations
<b>Services:</b>	Natural gas shut off to most parts of Montecito to repair the distribution system; expected to be several days before restoration. For additional gas outage information, go to <a href="http://socagas.com/Montecito">socagas.com/Montecito</a> or dial 1-800-427-2200  Power outages are affecting over 6,000 homes and businesses, primarily in the Montecito area.  Many areas of Montecito are without potable water and sanitary services.
<b>Family Assistance Center:</b>	First Presbyterian Church 21 E. Constance Avenue, Santa Barbara, CA (805) 364-1822
<b>Animal Shelter:</b>	Large Animals: Earl Warren Showgrounds Small Animal Shelter: Santa Barbara Humane Society For assistance with large and small animal, call (805) 681-4332
<b>More Information:</b>	<a href="http://www.countyofsb.org">www.countyofsb.org</a> Call 211 (local) Outside the area (800) 400-5542 or text (805) 699-0165