

# Muir Beach Emergency Plan

#### **IMPORTANT NUMBERS TO KEEP ON HAND**

- If it is a medical or fire department emergency you can either call 911
  or if you are calling from a cell phone it is more direct to call Woodacre's
  Dispatch EMERGENCY NUMBER (415-488-4321).
- PG&E Emergency: 888-743-4911 or 800-743-5000
- Poison Control: 800-222-1222 or 415-476-6600
- Coast Guard Emergency: 415-399-3300

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at: <u>steve@muirbeachfire.com</u> or you can call me at 415-298-5975.

### In Case of a Community Wide Emergency

First make sure your

house is secure (no smell of gas, no water leaking, structure is not compromised) and everyone inside is safe and accounted for. If you need immediate help call **911** or from a cell phone call **415-488-4321**. If phones are down connect with a disaster Liaison who will be patrolling the street or go to the community center (disaster meeting area).

Community Liaisons will patrol their areas reporting any issues, by radio, to the Muir Beach Incident Command Center, or the IC, which will be established at the community center on Seacape Dr.

- If your home and family are safe and do not need assistance, place a towel
  outside your home (on the front gate or front door, whichever is more visible from
  the street) to indicate to the Disaster Liaisons, all is well. If no towel is seen
  Liaisons will communicate this to the Muir Beach IC and rescuers will be
  dispatched to your residents.
- The community center's main room will serve as the first aid/triage and meeting place.

 Those who are able and wish to help, meet at the community center for instruction from the IC.

# **Emergency Notifications and Information**

- Register with **Alert Marin** (**www.alertmarin.org**) **for emergency alerts** on you cell phone.
- Have a radio available with extra batteries set to KWMR 89.9 FM for all the latest emergency information for West Marin.
- Know who your Muir Beach Disaster Liaison is. If you don't know contact MBDC Director, Barbara Piotter: aufkirchen@gmail.com

## **Muir Beach Emergency Response**

- The Muir Beach volunteer Fire Department, MBVFD, is prepared to respond to structure and wild fires, medical emergencies, rescue scenarios and public assist issues.
- Under the direction of the MBVFD the Muir Beach Disaster Council, MBDC, consists of a Director of Disaster preparedness and Disaster Liaisons. The Liaisons primary job is to patrol the neighborhoods of Muir Beach and communicate any significant findings during an emergency to the Incident Command Center (at the community center managed by the MBVFD) or to Woodacre emergency dispatch if unable to connect with the Muir Beach IC.
- Muir Beach also has a number of CERT certified personnel within the community who have been trained for search and rescue procedures. All CERT certified personnel will report to the Muir Beach IC for instruction and accountability.
- For insurance and accountability reasons, each person willing to help in search and rescue processes **must be sworn** in by the fire chief or assistant fire chiefs before they are dispatched into the community.
- During a community wide disaster, the community center will act as a central meeting place, triage, Incident Command.
- Muir Beach is equipped with disaster supplies such as medical supplies, generators, tents, food and water.
- If a disaster strikes the community, all doctors living within the community are requested to report to the community center to deal with whatever injuries have occurred.

 Neighboring communities such as Green Gulch, Slide Ranch and Camino Alto will communicate conditions and needs by way of i-com radios to the Muir Beach Fire Department's Incident Command. All of these local communities, Muir Beach, Green Gulch, Slide Ranch and Camino Alto will assist each other with whatever assets they have available.