



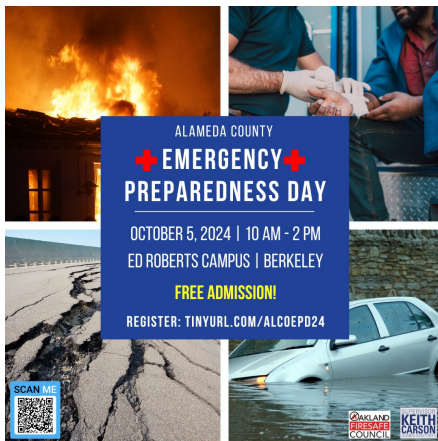
CELEBRATING 10 YEARS
2014-2024

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THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH!

Alameda County Emergency Preparedness Day



The first 300 families to attend will receive a **free emergency kit!**

OCT. 5th, 2024 / Saturday / 10AM -2PM

Ed Roberts Campus
3075 Adeline Street, Berkeley, CA 94703

REGISTER (it's free!)

Fire Trucks • Resource Fair • Workshops
Raffles • Lunch • Italian Ice!

Alameda County District 5 Supervisor Keith Carson and Oakland Firesafe Council are co-hosting a day filled with great information and resources.

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

- Home Insurance Matters by **United Policyholders**

WORKSHOPS

- Go Bags and Community Connection, Dave Peattie/**BDPNN**
- Listos California for All: 4-Steps to Preparedness, Lars-Eric Holm/**Eden I&R**
- Pet Preparedness, Heather Franco/**East Bay SPCA**

RAFFLE PRIZES (must be present to win)

- Fire extinguishers courtesy of **Brush Pros Fire Safety Specialists**
- \$25 Gift certificates donated by **Sports Basement**

RESOURCE FAIR PARTICIPANTS and EVENT SPONSORS **HERE**

NOTE: giveaway items (backpacks, lunch, Italian ice, workshop raffle tickets) are on a first come, first served basis and are subject to availability. **MORE INFO**

FIRE WEATHER WARNINGS

LEARN THE DIFFERENCE...



Here's a short **video** from California Governor's Office of Emergency Services shared on social media (@Cal_OES)

"Fall is kicking off with a hot start. Elevated temperatures can bring elevated risk for fire weather. WATCH to **learn the difference between a Fire Weather Watch and a Red Flag Warning.**

To see the latest updates on California Fire Weather visit: weather.gov/wrh/CAFW"

AN OFSC WILDFIRE SAFETY PROGRAM



Red Flag Warning and Fire Weather Watch periods are times to be extremely cautious and alert! **LEARN MORE**

MULTIPLE LANGUAGE RESOURCES



For more information in multiple languages on creating a 5-minute plan and being prepared for disaster, visit firefightersonyourside.org

Thanking Pacific Gas and Electric Company and California Fire Foundation for their generous grants to help Oakland Firesafe Council promote and support the National Fire Protection Association's Firewise USA program for Oakland communities to become more wildfire resilient, and to continue to provide direct outreach so that residents can be better prepared for a wildfire or other disaster.

MEASURE MM ASKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Volunteers are knocking on doors and talking with registered voters in Oakland's Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone; they will be



receiving their ballots next week and voting on Measure MM that provides resources to the City of Oakland to make the area safer from wildfire, clearing evacuation routes of brush, dead and dying trees for 100 feet.

Increased resources will enhance Oakland's current efforts by raising \$2.67 million that will be restricted to the improved wildfire efforts—more goats and more attention to our parks.

67% of the votes in favor is needed for this special tax to pass, so anyone who thinks it's a good idea is invited to get involved. Learn more about the measure and the various ways to get involved on the. [WEBSITE](#)



Oakland Firesafe Council (OFSC) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to reducing the risks of wildfire danger to people and property through preparedness education, programs and materials, outreach, advocacy and volunteer opportunities.

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THANK YOU for all that you have done so far in supporting OFSC's work and thank you for ANY donation you are able to make now.

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