Washington Wildfire Assistance Resources

Immediate Emergency & Evacuation Information

Call 911
For immediate danger, life safety emergencies, urgent medical needs, or active wildfire threats.

Local County Emergency Management Offices
For:

- Evacuation orders
- Emergency shelters
- Road closures
- Local wildfire updates
- Disaster response information

Washington Emergency Management Division
Statewide emergency preparedness and response information.
https://mil.wa.gov/emergency-management-division

InciWeb Wildfire Incident Information System
Official updates on active wildfire incidents.
https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/

Connection to Local Support

Washington 211

Call: 211
Text: 211WAOD to 898211

Connects residents with:

- Emergency shelter
- Food assistance
- Housing support
- Utility assistance

- Transportation
- Disaster recovery resources
- Local community programs

Website: https://wa211.org/

Shelter, Food, Clothing & Immediate Disaster Needs

American Red Cross Disaster Relief

Provides wildfire survivors with:

- Emergency shelter
- Food and supplies
- Clothing assistance
- Replacement medications
- Emotional support
- Referrals for longer-term recovery needs

Website:
https://www.redcross.org/get-help/disaster-relief-and-recovery-services.html

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Financial & Recovery Assistance

FEMA Disaster Assistance

Assistance may become available after a federal disaster declaration, including:

- Temporary housing support
- Home repair assistance
- Other disaster recovery needs

Website:
https://www.disasterassistance.gov/

Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner – Wildfire Resources

Provides help with:

- Insurance claim questions
- Temporary housing coverage
- Understanding insurance rights after a disaster

Website:
https://www.insurance.wa.gov/

Small Business Administration (SBA) Disaster Assistance

Provides disaster loan information for eligible:

- Homeowners
- Renters
- Businesses

Website:
https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/disaster-assistance

Health & Wildfire Smoke Exposure

Washington Smoke Blog

Provides:

- Wildfire smoke forecasts
- Air quality information
- Health guidance

Website:
https://wasmoke.blogspot.com/

AirNow Fire and Smoke Map

Provides:

- Current air quality conditions
- Smoke maps
- Fire-related air quality information

Website:
https://fire.airnow.gov/

Mental Health Support

988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline

Call or text **988**

Provides support for:

- Emotional distress
- Anxiety
- Trauma
- Crisis situations

Website:
https://988lifeline.org/

Statewide Pet & Animal Assistance

Washington State Animal Response Team (WSART)

Provides emergency animal support and disaster preparedness resources.

Website:
https://www.wsart.org/

Spokane-Specific Wildfire Assistance Resources

Spokane Emergency Information

Spokane County Emergency Management
Provides:

- Evacuation information
- Emergency shelter updates
- Disaster response resources

Website:
https://www.spokanecounty.org/300/Emergency-Management

City of Spokane Hazard Sheltering Resources
Provides information on regional shelter resources during emergencies.

Spokane Shelter & Housing Resources

Shelter Me Spokane
Provides current shelter availability and housing resource information.

House of Charity – Catholic Charities Eastern Washington
Provides:

- Meals
- Basic needs assistance
- Day services
- Support resources

Hope House – Catholic Charities Eastern Washington
Provides emergency shelter and support services.

YWCA Spokane
Provides shelter and support services for individuals and families experiencing crisis.

Spokane Food Assistance & Food Banks

Second Harvest Inland Northwest
Provides food assistance through a network of food banks and community partners.

Website:
https://2-harvest.org/

Our Place Community Outreach
Provides:

- Food assistance
- Clothing
- Hygiene supplies
- Household items
- Emergency support

The Salvation Army Spokane
Provides food assistance and community support services.

Partners Inland Northwest
Provides:

- Food assistance
- Clothing resources
- Basic needs support

Spokane Clothing & Basic Needs Assistance

Mission Community Outreach Center
Provides:

- Clothing
- Household items
- Hygiene supplies
- Emergency assistance

The City Gate
Provides:

- Clothing assistance
- Food support
- Hygiene items

Spokane Pet & Animal Assistance

Humane Evacuation Animal Rescue Team (HEART)

Provides emergency animal assistance during disasters, including:

- Rescue and evacuation support for animals
- Emergency animal shelter setup and operations
- Disaster preparedness resources for pet owners

Contact:
Website: https://www.heartofspokane.org/
Email: info@heartofspokane.org

Spokane County Regional Animal Protection Service (SCRAPS)

Provides:

- Emergency animal assistance
- Lost and found pet services
- Animal sheltering
- Animal protection services

Contact:
6815 E Trent Ave.
Spokane Valley, WA 99212

Phone: 509-477-2532
Emergency Animal Line: 509-477-2533
Website: https://www.spokanecounty.org/368/SCRAPS

Spokane Humane Society

Provides:

- Pet sheltering and adoption services
- Community pet support resources
- Pet food assistance programs
- Veterinary support resources

Contact:
6607 N Havana St.
Spokane, WA 99217
Phone: 509-467-5235

Spokane County Fairgrounds Emergency Animal Shelter

During wildfire evacuations, emergency animal sheltering may be activated at the fairgrounds. Contact Spokane County Emergency Management or local emergency officials for current availability and instructions.

Quick Pet Evacuation Reminder:
If evacuating with pets, bring:

- Food and water for several days
- Medications
- Leash/carrier
- Vaccination records
- Identification tags and microchip information
- Comfort items such as blankets or toys