



2019 Hinsdale County Flood Community Meeting

Tuesday, June 4, 2019 - 6:00 P.M.

Armory Hall

230 Bluff Street

Lake City, Colorado

**Accurate and Timely Information
Is your Best Defense for any Eventuality**



Hinsdale County Website: www.hinsdalecountycolorado.us



Hinsdale County Facebook Page:
<https://www.facebook.com/hinsdalecountycolorado/>



Hinsdale County Twitter Feed: @HinsdaleCounty



Public Information Line - 970-648-4118



CodeRED Alerts:
<https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF7ED953CC69>



GET PREPARED

CODE RED[®]

Emergency Communication Made Easy.

In the event of an emergency, CodeRed messaging will be used to notify you of the level of warning that is outlined below.

You **MUST** sign up to receive these messages. Use the link <https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF7ED953CC69> or visit the Public Health Office if you need assistance.

CodeRed Levels of Warning:

- ▶1. **Get Ready** – This alerts citizens that an evacuation order may need to be executed. Water is building behind blockage and the threat has increased. At this time you should be preparing to leave at a moments notice. **No evacuation at this time, but make sure your family is prepared with your own emergency kit.**
- ▶2. **Get Set (Voluntary Evacuation)** – At this stage, the risk of flooding is heightened and you should complete evacuation preparation at this time. **For those who require additional time, this is the time to begin evacuation to ensure safety.** You can find additional information through the Hinsdale County Facebook page, or by calling the information line at 970-648-4118, and should also be packing, getting mobilized, and be prepared to evacuate on a short notice.
- ▶3. **GO NOW!** – This means that the flooding risk is imminent and threat to life and/or property is inevitable. At this time you should be **immediately evacuate the area.**

Stay Safe - Have a plan



GET PREPARED

- Activate family communication plan
 - Gather emergency phone numbers and emails
 - Update your contact information at your children's school

- Locate important documents
 - Identifications
 - Insurance Information
 - Financial Information
 - Medical Records
 - Itemized list of personal property
 - Keep in waterproof, portable container

- Emergency Supply Kit
 - Check supplies and have at least 1 week in stock where needed
 - Emergency/first aid supplies
 - Cash and emergency credit card
 - Food and water provisions for three days
 - Pet food, extra water
 - Baby formula/diapers
 - Batteries
 - Flashlight, batteries
 - Matches or lighter
 - Phone chargers
 - Personal hygiene items
 - Garbage bags
 - Cleaning wipes
 - Sleeping bags/blankets
 - Change of clothes
 - Disposable plates, cups, utensils; paper towel

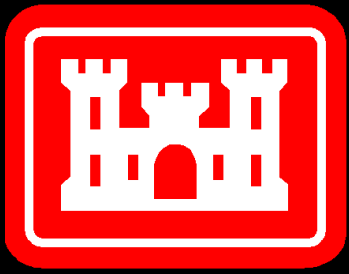
- Medical needs
 - Check medications and medical supplies/equipment
 - Refill maintenance prescriptions
 - Glasses

- Prepare home
 - Check propane tank
 - Move valuables to higher levels
 - Declutter drains and gutters
 - Take photos of home, inside and out
 - Move livestock, trailers, RVs if needed

Evacuation Plan

- Have your Family Emergency Kit Ready to leave at any time.
- Know where you will go and the route you will take.
- Know what you will take with you.

Stay Safe - Prepare early.



**US Army Corps
of Engineers®**

Sandbag Guidance

For additional guidance on sandbag usage, please reference the following US Army Corps of Engineers brochures:

Title: Sandbagging Techniques: Sandbags, Safety Education - 2004

Web Address: <https://usace.contentdm.oclc.org/digital/collection/p16021coll11/id/0/rec/2>

Title: Sandbagging Techniques: Flood Control Sandbags - 2019

Web Address: <https://usace.contentdm.oclc.org/digital/collection/p16021coll11/id/3225/rec/3>

