

# CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES



## Emergency Preparedness - What's The Big Deal?

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# BE IN THE KNOW



- Will you know what's going on?

- [www.AlertSouthBay.com](http://www.AlertSouthBay.com)
- <https://www.pvestates.org/how-do-i/sign-up-for-e-notifications>
- Social Media
  - Facebook
  - Twitter
  - NextDoor\*
- Get Engaged
  - Volunteer
  - Citizens Academy
  - Serve on a Commission/Committee

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# THE PLAN



## PREPAREDNESS

### As a city we:

- Have plans we work from
- Reduce impacts via mitigation
- Educate the community

### As Residents you can:

- Have supplies stored
- Have a written plan & inventory
- Stay informed

## RESPONSE

### As a city we:

- Are all Disaster Service Workers
- Work from the EOC
- Protect Life, Property & the Environment

### As Residents you can:

- Listen for official notifications
- Know your evacuation route(s)
- Be prepared to manage for 5-7 days (think of camping trip)

## RECOVERY

### As a city we:

- Support the community
- Business Continuity and restoration
- Clean Up

### As a Resident you can:

- Take inventory (not just physical)
- Help neighbors
- Manage Stress & Look for the positive

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# VOLUNTEERS MAKE UP THE DIFFERENCE



## PVE-CARES Senior Program

- Opt-in program for PVE residents 65+
- Over 2000 members & 25 volunteers
- Groceries and errands during COVID, calls and Buddy program
- Sign up online & call

## Neighborhood Amateur Radio Team (NART)

- Almost 50 Ham Radio Operators
- The communications link to EOC
- You can join the team
- Next Class begins Nov 7/14/21  
email [waltordway@juno.com](mailto:waltordway@juno.com)



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## PVP Community Emergency Response Team (PVP CERT)

- Valuable volunteers who train in emergency response
- Follow [www.PVPCERT.org](http://www.PVPCERT.org) for information
- Training for the entire family
  - [www.Ready.gov](http://www.Ready.gov) & LA County FD

## Disaster District Program (DDP)

- 20+ resident volunteers committed to helping in a disaster
- Trained in CERT & DSWVs
- Manage 6 emergency cache supplies



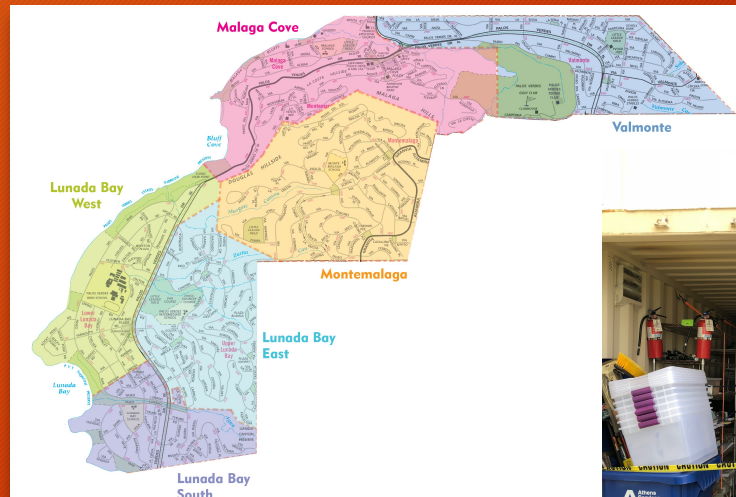


# WHAT'S COVERED?

Both Neighborhood Watch (Area Coordinators) and DDP (Leads) represent 6 Districts or Areas that cover Palos Verdes Estates. Anchored by a school site DDP containers are located at ;

1. Malaga Cove (MAL)
2. Montemalaga (MON)
3. Valmonte (VAL)
4. Lunada Bay East (PVI)
5. Lunada Bay South (LBE)
6. Lunada Bay West (PVH)

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# YOUR CHALLENGE - SHOULD YOU CHOOSE TO ACCEPT IT...

- **Be A Good Resident**

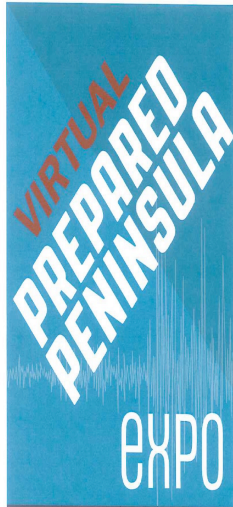
- ☐ Take just 4 easy actions steps today

1. Register for emergency notifications  
a. [www.alertsouthbay.com](http://www.alertsouthbay.com)
2. Purchase a go-bag
3. Gather/copy important documents
4. Meet a neighbor

- ☐ Stay engaged in preparedness

1. Attend the 25<sup>th</sup> Expo
2. Watch your mail for PVE “Know the Drill” Guide -mid November

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**VIRTUAL PREPARED PENINSULA EXPO**

**VIRTUAL EVENT**

**ARE YOU PREPARED IF DISASTER STRIKES?**

Be ready and have a plan.  
Learn how at the VIRTUAL PREPARED PENINSULA EXPO.

Hear from experts and ask questions about how to prepare your family and safeguard your home for the event of an earthquake, wildfire or other disaster.

Speakers include:

- Frank Forman, Battalion Chief, Los Angeles County Fire Department
- James C. Powers, Captain, Lomita Station, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
- Soraya Sutherlin, Emergency Manager and Regional Emergency Communications Manager, Alert SouthBay

**LEARN HOW TO BE DISASTER READY**

**Sunday, October 25, 12-2pm**

Join us via Zoom at [bit.ly/349HJ10](https://bit.ly/349HJ10)  
or call 669-900-9128 and enter Webinar ID 983 9270 8499

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**BE PREPARED ▶ HAVE A PLAN**