

# Extreme Weather and Wildfire Smoke Emergency Response Plans



# Plan Purpose

01

Provide overall guidelines and processes for response

02

Outline internal and partner responsibilities

03

Identify regulatory authorities





# Communications

Provide public education and share resources

- Sharing community resources
- Prevention and safety tips

Develop and maintain a directory of community locations able to serve as extreme weather shelters



# Extreme Cold

## Support seasonal shelter operations

- Provide funding and resources as available
- Coordinate transportation options

Provide operational guidance and technical assistance to cold weather shelters





# Wildfire Smoke

## Air Quality Index (AQI)

- Where to find current AQI
- How to read and interpret AQI

## Coordination with Northwest Clean Air Agency

## Public Health recommendations based on current air quality

- Schools
- Parks and Recreation
- Community Events

## Distribute Portable Air Purifiers and/or masks to high-risk populations



# Extreme Heat

## Heat Risk Index

- How to read and interpret

## Public health recommendations

- Schools
- Parks and Recreation
- Community Events

## Coordinate available resources within the community

- Medical Reserve Corps (MRC)
- Volunteers
- Cooling supplies





# Thank you

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