



Calaveras County *Butte Fire Recovery*

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Residents can sign up to get alerts about emergencies

SAN ANDREAS, CA – The ever-changing challenges experienced by residents during the Butte Fire demonstrates how the safety of individuals and families can be enhanced by getting up-to-date information. A free program available to County residents provides such alerts, but people need to take the time to sign up.

Nixle, a communications alert company, contracts with Calaveras County to broadcast information during times of emergency. Relevant information from local public safety departments is sent out via text messages and emails, allowing individuals to receive notifications on their mobile devices.

To sign up for free, go to www.local.nixle.com/register and complete the brief online form.

Alerts may include reports of fire or other emergency situations, road closures, evacuation center openings, and more.

Visit www.nixle.com for more details and to learn about available programs for businesses and other agencies.

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