

City of Calabasas
Emergency Communications



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2020

Calabasas TV & Website

The City of Calabasas website
www.cityofcalabasas.com



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CTV - The Calabasas Channel
(City Government Access Channel)



The Calabasas Channel



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Communication is Critical

1. Television – Calabasas Television (CTV)
2. Internet – City Website, E-mail & Operational Area Response & Recovery System (OARRS)
3. Phones – landline and cell
4. Alert LA, Emergency Alert System & Blackboard Connect (County & city notification systems)



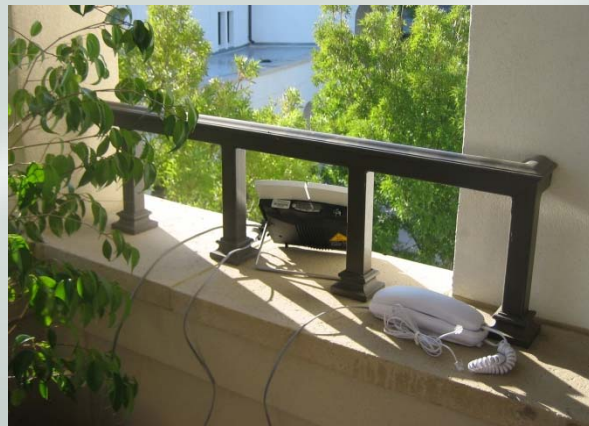
Methods of Communicating

5. Radio – Calabasas 1630 AM
6. Commercial FM and Amateur Radio (HAM) CERP members
7. Satellite phones



City Phone Systems

1. Landlines and cell phones are used if operational.
2. The City has four satellite phones.
3. BGAN terminal - Portable satellite phone & internet connectivity in the event of no telephone or radio communication.



Operational Area Response and Recovery (OARRS)

OARRS is a computer database system which gives detailed, real-time information, linked directly through satellite to the County Emergency Operations Center.



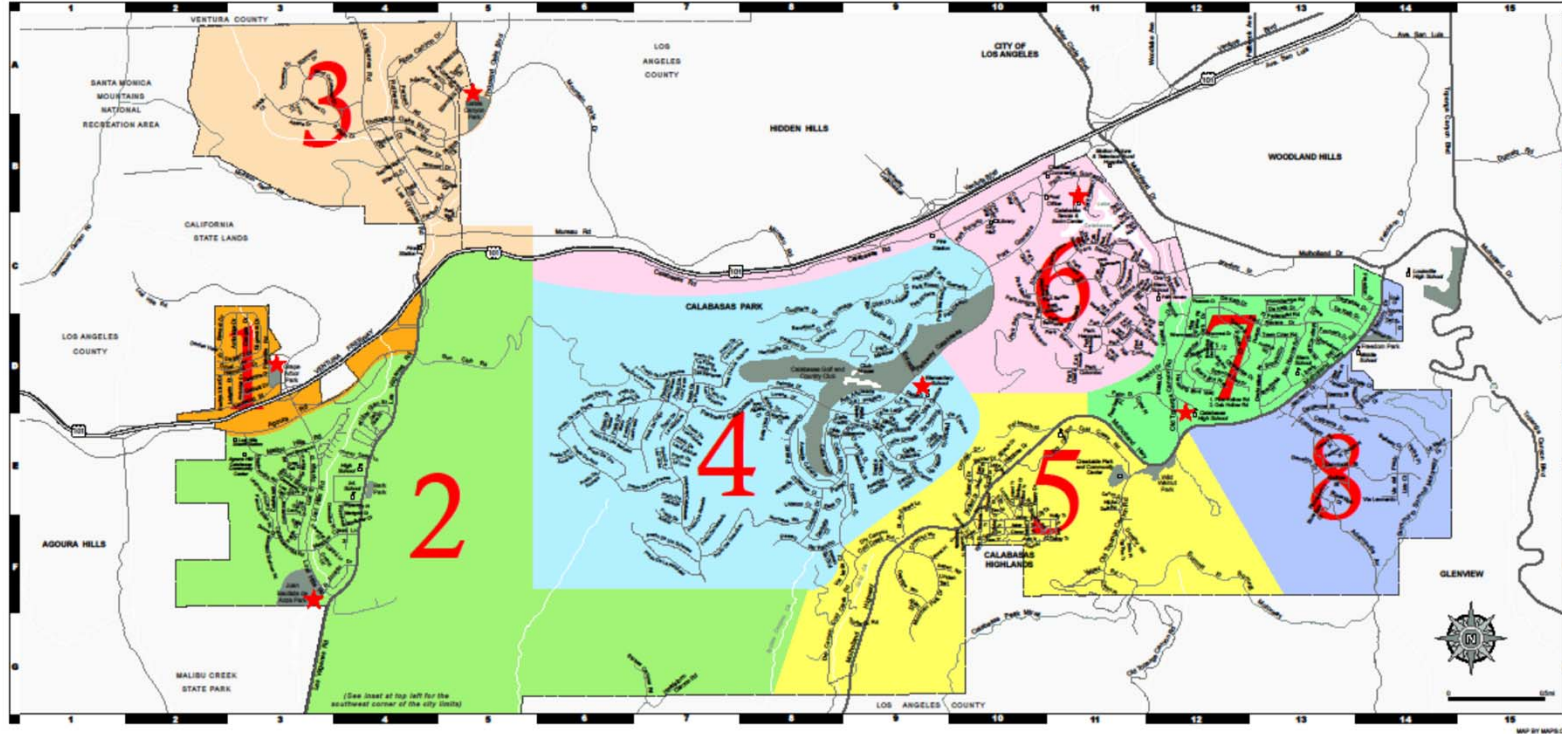
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CERP HAM Radios

- 1. The Calabasas Emergency Response Program (CERP) radio team has been issued amateur radios to provide communication services to the city to key personnel.*
- 2. CERP conducts a weekly radio net.*
- 2. Key city personnel are licensed HAM radio operators and can communicate directly with the Disaster Communication Service (DCS) at the Sheriff's station.*





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RESPONSE
PROGRAM
SECTOR INDEX**

SECTOR	MEDICAL CACHE SITE
1	Grape Arbor Park
2	De Anza Park
3	Gates Canyon Park
4	Bay Laurel Elementary
6	Tennis & Swim Center
7	Calabasas High School

Note: Sectors 5, 7, & 8 will use the Calabasas High School medical cache.



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FM and AM Radios Emergency Alert System

- 1. Listen to KNX 1070 AM and KFWB 980 AM radio stations for regional emergency alert information for the Los Angeles County area.*
- 2. Emergency Alert System (EAS) - The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department broadcasts information on emergency events and conditions of concern via radio and television stations.*



Fire Department Communications with the City

The County Fire Department Assistant Chief or representative interfaces with the City Emergency Operations Director or designee via phone, email or in person.



Sheriff's Department Communications with the City

The Lost Hills Sheriff's Station Captain or representative interfaces with the City Emergency Operations Director or designee via phone, email or in person.

The Disaster Communications Services (DCS), is a volunteer organization dedicated to serving the Sheriff's Department, uses HAM radio for communication.



Sheriff's Department Communications with the Residents

*The Lost Hills Sheriff's Station may
use mobile emergency vehicles sirens
and loud speakers or door to door
notification.*



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Are there locations where I may obtain information during an extended disaster?

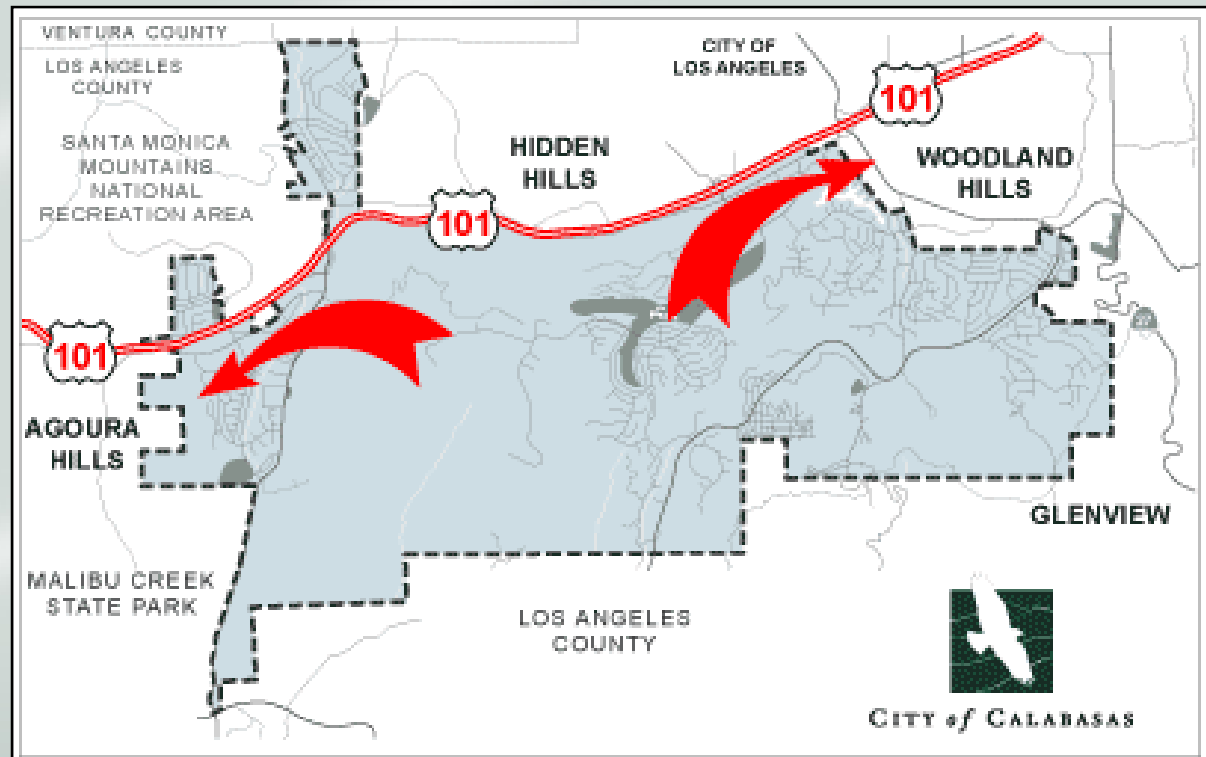
Yes, the CERP First Aid cache units may be available at the following locations and managed by CERP volunteers:

- *Calabasas High School*
- *Calabasas Park*
- *De Anza Park*
- *Gates Canyon Park*
- *Grape Arbor Park*
- *Tennis & Swim Center*



What if I am told to evacuate?

Depending on the circumstance, and when the appropriate authority calls for an evacuation, follow the instructions provided by the CHP, sheriff or fire department personnel.



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Evacuation Terminology

The Fire Department determines if necessary to evacuate and Sheriff is responsible for the actual evacuation.

EVACUATION ORDER (Immediate threat to life) LEAVE NOW

EVACUATION WARNING (Potential threat to life or property) Get ready or if additional time is needed/ pets/livestock should leave now.



Important Phone Numbers

FOR ALL LIFE THREATENING EMERGENCIES CALL 9-1-1

- *Lost Hills Sheriff Station* (818) 878-1808
- *County Fire Dispatch* (818) 889-1122
- *California Highway Patrol* (818) 888-0980
- *Fire Department Public Info.* (323) 881-2411
- *Fire Station #68 (non-emergency)* (818) 222-1107
- *Fire Station #125 (non-emergency)* (818) 880-4411



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