

Scorching Hot!

Working together to make our community safer

**ARE YOU
BUSHFIRE
READY?**

Tips for survival in a Bushfire – KNOW THE BUSHFIRE WARNINGS

There are three levels of warning that change to reflect the increasing risk to your life and the decreasing amount of time you have until the fire arrives.



ADVICE

- **ADVICE:** A fire has started but there is no immediate danger. You need to be aware and keep up to date.



WATCH AND ACT

- **WATCH AND ACT:** A fire is approaching and conditions are changing. You need to leave or get ready to actively defend your property.



EMERGENCY WARNING

- **EMERGENCY WARNING:** You are in danger and you need to take immediate action to survive. You will be impacted by the fire.



ALL CLEAR

- **ALL CLEAR:** The danger has passed and the fire is under control. Take care to avoid any dangers.

YOU MAY GET AN EMERGENCY ALERT

Emergency Alert is one tool used to warn communities of an emergency and **should not be relied on as your only source of information**. It is an automated system that sends warnings to home phones and mobiles. **It does not replace the need to look after your own safety** by monitoring local conditions and taking preventative action where possible. There may be no warning for some bushfires, where it is moving too quickly or starts close to homes.

REMEMBER: No warning system is foolproof!

GO TO: www.emergency.wa.gov.au for more information on preparing for a Bushfire