



Woodside-Portola Valley WPV-Ready

About WPV-Ready

What is WPV-Ready?

WPV-Ready is the **Emergency Preparedness program** that operates within the Woodside Fire Protection District (WFPD). We work to help every District resident take the small steps now to mitigate the big problems later, when and if a disaster strikes.

There are 3 main threats to our area --- earthquake, wildfire, and severe storm. While the threat of earthquake doesn't change much over time, the threat of wildfire and severe storm is more severe every year.

Get started today! Do these 3 things:

- **STAY INFORMED.**
- **Make a Plan.**
- **Pack a Go Bag.**

Learn about these jump-start steps at
<http://WPV-Ready.org/Basics>



Ready Communities

WPV-Ready organizes Ready Communities throughout the District. These are neighborhoods like yours, led by volunteer Community Leaders who hand out information, gather contacts, and work to improve the preparedness in each neighborhood.

We offer guidance with classes, webinars, online videos, published materials, and organization. We will even come to your home and help you test and place your fire extinguishers.



If your neighborhood is not part of an existing Ready Community, start yours today! Contact us at basics@WPV-Ready.org and we are happy to help.

Learn more at <http://WPV-Ready.org>



Woodside-Portola Valley WPV-CERT

About WPV-CERT

What is WPV-CERT?

WPV-CERT is the registered **Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)** that operates within the Woodside Fire Protection District (WFPD). It is a program built on a FEMA-approved standard curriculum. The national CERT program trains volunteers to prepare for the types of disasters that their community may face.



Through hands-on practice and realistic exercises, CERT members:

- Learn how to safely respond to man-made and natural disasters
- Help organize basic disaster response
- Promote preparedness within their communities

CERT Trainees Learn...

- Light Search and Rescue
- Disaster Medical Operations
- Fire Safety
- Household Utility Control
- Leadership in Disaster
- Other Useful Response Skills

WPV-CERT Offers 3 Levels of Training

1. Basic Training - gain the skills to "be the help until help arrives"
2. Certified Disaster Service Worker
3. Incident Management Team

No matter how involved you want to be... **as a trained CERT you will have the power to save a life.**



Learn more at <http://www.WPV-CERT.org>