

Large Livestock Evacuation Planning and Preparing, June 2019

When a Red Flag Warning or Santa Ana/Fire Weather Watch is forecast:

Fill truck and hook up, fill horse water tanks, safety check (see below), remove shavings from trailer

Practice loading each horse, start electrolytes and probiotics now

Print out and fill in the Del Mar forms: http://www.delmarfairgrounds.com/pdf/DMF_Emergency_Evacuation.pdf

Put ID's on horse (braid dog tags into mane, fetlock ID bands, etc.), halters and leads visible on gate(s)

Put in your trailer:

Horse emergency kits w/ meds (see list)

Paperwork (see list)

Case of water for people

Three (3) to five (5) days of horse feed and meds.

Do NOT put hay in the bed of the truck.

Put in your tow vehicle:

Your grab bag w/ personal toiletry items (see list)

Phone charger, Bottles of water

Headlamp w/ extra batteries

Horse Emergency Kit, basic:

Several halters and lead ropes plus a long rope

Dressage whip and lunge whip, if needed

Head lamp and flashlight w/ extra batteries

Water tank(s) for horses

Several buckets for feed and water

Hay nets and clips

Baling twine, duct tape

Riding gloves, Hat

Leatherman tool, knife

Facemask (N95 or N100 type)

Safety goggles, extra glasses

Horse electrolytes

Fire Extinguisher, trash bags

Horse emergency kit, medical:

Gauze wraps, Standing leg wraps

Gauze pads (nonstick)

Maxi pads

Q-tips, cotton balls

Several rolls of vet wrap

Auto activated cold packs

Adhesive and duct tape

Scissors, Hoof pick

Plastic or nonlatex gloves

Small pad of paper w/ pen or pencil

Horse meds:

Store in zip lock bags

Betadine solution

Triple antibiotic ointment

Sterile water, Eye wash (saline)

Aluminum or other wound spray

Banamine paste, Bute (paste or powder)

Ace (under the tongue)

Paperwork (in a waterproof container):

Copies of:

Trailer registration

Horse registrations (each one)

Coggins, health certificates and vet records

Emergency contacts (phone and address)

Pictures of horses w/ identifying markings

Emergency contacts (phone and address)

Evacuation map, plan

Del Mar Forms

Personal Grab bag:

Personal toiletries (toothbrush, meds, Chapstick, electrolytes, etc.)

Extra Facemask (N95 or N100 type)

Cell phone charger

Bandanas

Jacket and raincoat

Undies, bras, socks (in plastic bag)

Hat and extra gloves (riding and warm)

Pants and shorts

Shirts, sweatshirts

Shoes (boots) and shower shoes

Beach towel

TP (in a plastic bag)

Before Fire Season Starts

Maintain tow vehicle (oil change, tires, etc.)

Maintain trailer (tires less than 5 years old, repack bearings, ck floor, lights, brakes, etc.)

Clean horse water tank(s)

Order horse ID's (fetlock bands, dog tags, etc.)

Order leather halters, cotton lead ropes

Go through kits and restock as needed

Call emergency contacts and review plan(s)

Print maps, contact list and other docs (see paperwork above)

Safety Check

Every time after you hook up, walk around and ensure:

Correctly connected w/ hitch/coupler pins in place

All lights work (brake, turn, emergency, headlights)

Doors close properly and stay closed, lock as needed

Tires fully inflated (kick them)