



# COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

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### DEBRIS FLOW EVACUATIONS LIFTED

All Santa Cruz County debris flow evacuation orders in and near the CZU Fire burn scar have been lifted. Residents may return home immediately.

Please exercise caution when returning home to storm-damaged areas. Report downed power lines to PG&E by calling 911. Do not attempt to move or remove downed power lines.

Residents in unincorporated areas can report hazardous road conditions to the Department of Public Works at (831) 477-3999. Residents may report evidence of significant debris flow on private property to (831) 454-2181 or by emailing [OR3Staff@santacruzcounty.us](mailto:OR3Staff@santacruzcounty.us).

County staff and public safety personnel will be evaluating storm damage including any evidence of debris flow to help inform future incident response efforts.

Members of the public are advised to be cautious when driving on wet roads. Please allow extra travel time in order to reach your destination safely. Check local conditions for unincorporated areas of the county at [www.sccroadclosure.org](http://www.sccroadclosure.org).

For more information on emergency preparedness and debris flow risk, please visit [www.santacruzcounty.us/or3.aspx](http://www.santacruzcounty.us/or3.aspx).