

Declaration of State of Local Emergency Order

WHEREAS there is an interface fire that presents a danger within the jurisdiction of the Squamish Lillooet Regional District

AND WHEREAS the interface fire poses an existing or imminent threat to people and property within the area on both sides of the Upper Lillooet Forest Service Road, from 9 KM to the top of the Pemberton Valley, Electoral Area C ;

AND WHEREAS the interface fire requires prompt coordination of action or special regulation of persons or property to protect the health, safety or welfare of people or to limit damage to property;

NOW THEREFORE:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Section 12(1) of the Emergency Program Act (RS, 1996, Chap 111) that a state of local emergency exists in the Squamish Lillooet Regional District affecting the following area:

The jurisdictional area of the Squamish Lillooet Regional District

OR

The following Electoral Area or Areas of the Squamish Lillooet Regional District, indicated by "X":

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| Electoral Area A | _____ |
| Electoral Area B | _____ |
| Electoral Area C | X |
| Electoral Area D | _____ |

AND

Due to hazards and threat to people and property, includes local areas known as:

Both sides of the Upper Lillooet Forest Service Road, from 9 KM to the top of the Pemberton Valley, Electoral Area C

ORDERED by the Board Chair on:

(24-hour time) 1130 hours on Saturday, 4 July 2015.

To remain in force for seven days until:

(24-hour time) 1130hours on Saturday, 11 July 2015.

Unless cancelled by order of the SLRD or the Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General or the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

(Signature)  _____

(Title) **Board Chair**

(Print Name) **Jack Crompton** (Time and Date Signed) **1130 hrs, 4 July 2015**

Squamish Lillooet Regional District

Delegation of Emergency Powers Order

WHEREAS the Board Chair of the Squamish Lillooet Regional District declared a state of local emergency on:

(24-hour time) 1130 hours on Saturday, 4 July 2015

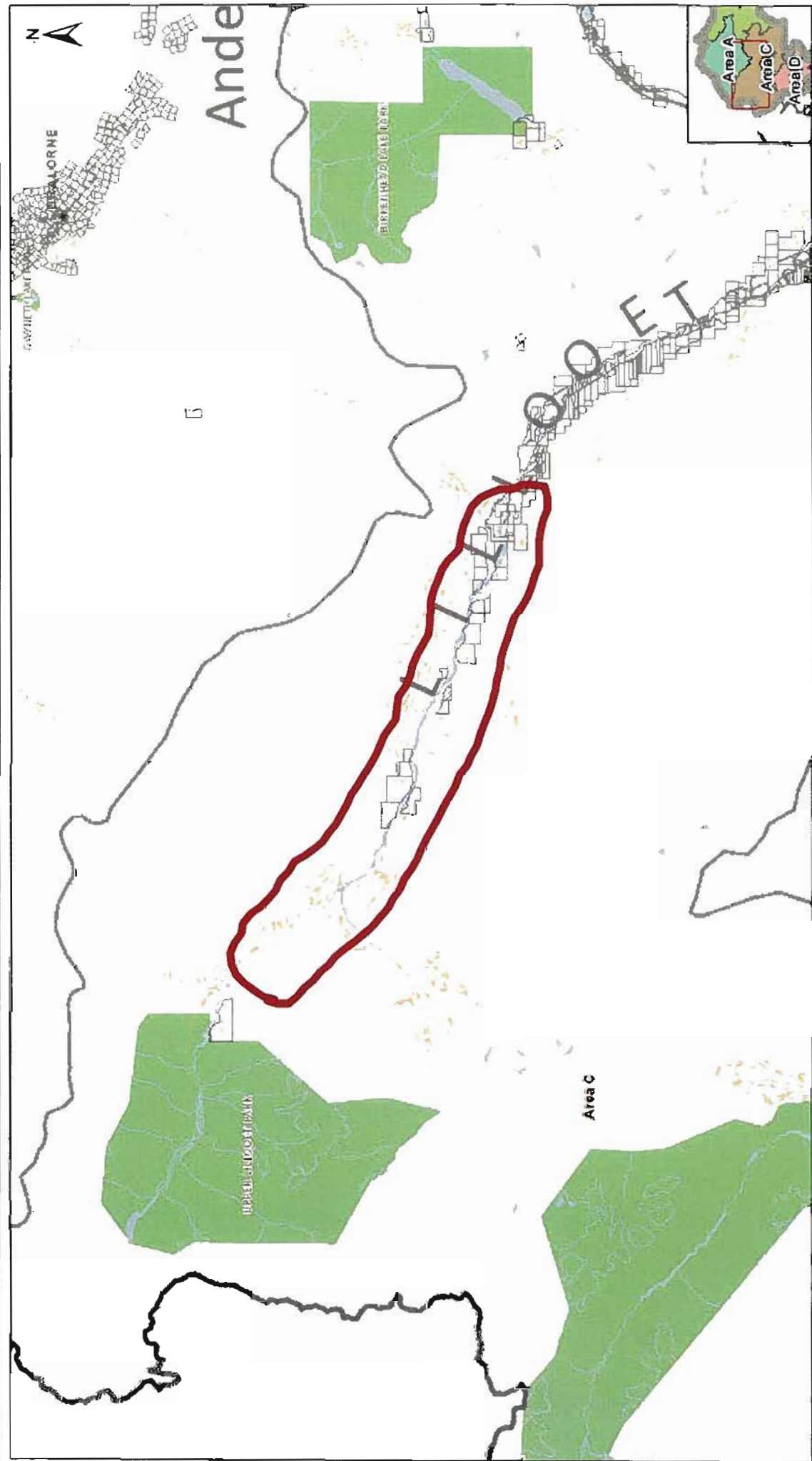
AND WHEREAS after a declaration of a state of local emergency is made, the Squamish Lillooet Regional District may authorize, in writing, any persons involved in the operation of a local emergency plan or program to exercise any power available to the minister under Section 10(1)(d) to (l) of the Emergency Program Act (RS, 1996, Chap 111), in relation to any part of the jurisdictional area affected by a declaration;

NOW THEREFORE:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Squamish Lillooet Regional District delegates the authority to exercise the powers referenced below, pursuant to Section 13(1)(c) of the Act, to each of:

| Emergency Powers | Authorization | | | |
|--|---------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| | EOC Director | Deputy EOC Director | Operations Section Chief | Incident Commander |
| 1. Acquire or use any land or personal property considered necessary to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster. | | | | |
| 2. Authorize or require any person to render assistance of a type that the person is qualified to provide or that otherwise is or may be required to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster. | | | | |
| 3. Control or prohibit travel to or from any area designated in the declaration within the local authority's jurisdiction. | | | | |
| 4. Provide for the restoration of essential facilities and the distribution of essential supplies and provide, maintain and coordinate emergency medical, welfare and other essential services in any part of the local authority's jurisdiction. | | | | |
| 5. Cause the evacuation of persons and the removal of livestock, animals and personal property from any area designated in the declaration within the local authority's jurisdiction that is or may be affected by an emergency or a disaster and make arrangements for the adequate care and protection of those persons, livestock, animals and personal property. | X | X | X | X |
| 6. Authorize the entry into any building or on any land, without warrant, by any person in the course of implementing an emergency plan or program or if otherwise considered by the local authority to be necessary to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster. | | | | |
| 7. Cause the demolition or removal of any trees, structures or crops if the demolition or removal is considered by the local authority to be necessary or appropriate in order to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster. | | | | |
| 8. Construct works considered by the local authority to be necessary or appropriate to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster. | | | | |
| 9. Procure, fix prices for or ration food, clothing, fuel, equipment, medical supplies or other essential supplies and the use of any property, services, resources or equipment within any area designated in the declaration within the local authority's jurisdiction for the duration of the state of local emergency. | | | | |

Upper Lilloet to Boulder Crk Fire



- SLRD Boundaries
- Municipal Boundaries
- Parcel Fabric





Squamish-Lillooet Regional District

EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED:

Pursuant to the Emergency Program Act and a Declaration of a State of Local Emergency declared at 1130 hrs, 4 July 2015, an Evacuation Order has been issued by the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District due to immediate danger to life safety due to the threat to people and property from the imminent threat of a wildfire located approximately 23 KM NW of Pemberton at Boulder Creek on the Upper Lillooet Forest Service Road, Electoral Area C. Members of the RCMP and/or assisting agencies, including Wildfire Management Branch, will be expediting this action.

The Evacuation Order is in effect from 9 KM of the Upper Lillooet Forest Service Road to the top of the Pemberton Valley.

- refer to the Map attached for Specific Evacuation Area
- People **MUST** evacuate towards Pemberton.
- Those requiring ESS assistance should call 604-698-6442.
- If required, an ESS Reception Centre will be established in the Pemberton, at the Community Centre, 7390 Cottonwood Rd, Pemberton, BC



WHAT YOU SHOULD DO IF YOU ARE IN THE EVACUATION AREA:

- You must leave the area **immediately**.
- Close all windows and doors.
- Shut off all gas and electrical appliances, other than refrigerators and freezers
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock.
- Gather your family: take a neighbour or someone who needs help.
- Take critical items (medicine, purse, wallet, and Keys), only if they are immediately available. Take pets in pet kennels or on leash.

- Do not use more vehicles than you have to.
- Do not use the telephone unless you need emergency service.

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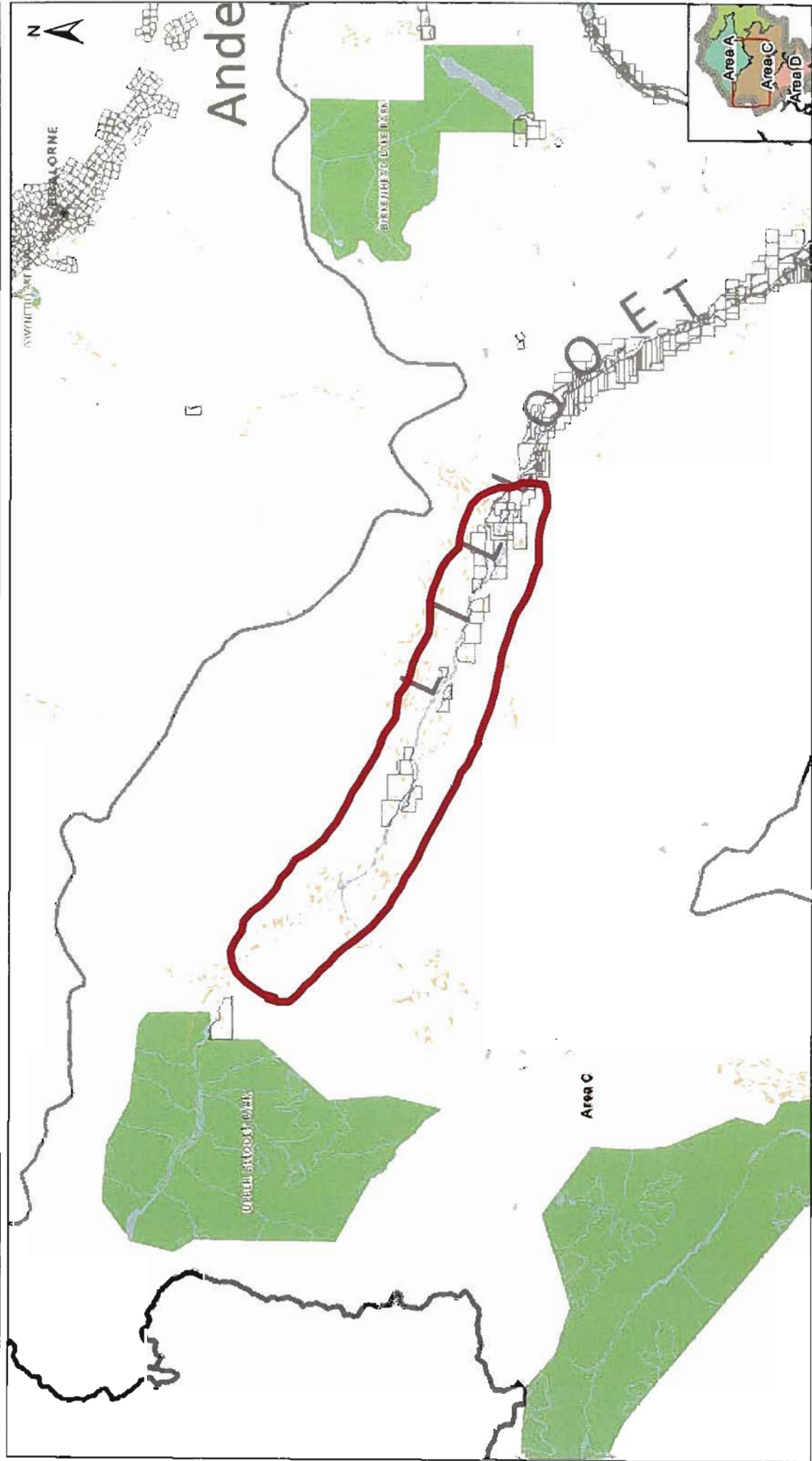
For more information contact: Squamish Lillooet Regional District: 604-698-6442

Ryan Wainwright
Emergency Operations Centre Director

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' followed by a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke.

Jack Crompton, Squamish-Lillooet Regional District
Board Chair

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Scale: 336,703
Date: 7/4/2015

