



SPRING 2023 WILDFIRE AWARENESS SERIES

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"FIRE AT YOUR BACK DOOR – Is Your Go Bag Ready?"

Saturday, April 22, 2023 || 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Los Vecinos Community Center || 478 NM Hwy. 333, Tijeras

Presented by Karen Takai



Program Objectives

- Learn about emergency situations that may require you to evacuate
- Learn step-by-step how to create a "go bag"
- Create an emergency contact list for disasters
- Prepare for potential disasters



Participants Will Receive:

- 1 starter evacuation pack per family, which includes basic supplies
- A copy of the *NM State Evacuation Workbook*



Final Go Bag presentation for Spring 2023

This event has limited seating! You **MUST** RSVP in order to attend.

Contact: EMWPA.2023@gmail.com



About the Speaker

Karen Takai's career includes over 20 years as a public information officer. She has held positions with the USDA Forest Service, New Mexico Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, and various Type I wildfire/incident management teams throughout the nation. Her expertise has been utilized during such disasters as Hurricane Katrina, Yarnell Fire, and Wallow Fire. She has finally taken a well-earned retirement, although she continues as a contracted Type I information officer with the Forest Service.

Upcoming Events

ADULT & INFANT C.P.R TRAINING

David Elliot, NM-VOAD/COAD

Saturday, April 29, 2023

Adult CPR: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Infant CPR: 1:00 PM– 3:00 PM

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All are welcome!

Stay tuned for possible future presentations.

If you have ideas for a topic you would like covered, or if you have questions, please contact: bhelmich@flash.net

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