

Emergency School Evacuation Plan Issues

In case of a San Onofre Nuclear Power Plant accident

BE AWARE – BE PREPARED – BE INVOLVED

The safety and welfare of children has always been a prime concern of parent teacher associations everywhere. The State PTA has two resolutions on these issues: *1973 Emergency School Bus Evacuation*
1985 Location of Toxic/Hazardous Materials Sites



BE AWARE

- **Over 1450 tons of highly toxic radioactive waste** is unsafely stored in our community, accumulating at a rate of about 600 pounds per day.
- **San Onofre has the worst safety record** of all U.S. nuclear power plants and has the highest rate of retaliation against employees who report safety concerns.
- **San Onofre leaked radiation 1/31/2012 due to defective equipment and now plans to restart one of the defective nuclear reactors without fixing it first.**
- **Children are at highest risk from radiation** (e.g., cancer, genetic defects, etc.)

BE PREPARED

BUS AVAILABILITY

- **Are there enough buses** for all CUSD students within the 10 mile evacuation zone?
- **CUSD bus capacity** for evacuation is short by over 14,000 students
19,430 Students in 10 mile evacuation zone (San Clemente, Dana Point, and SJC)
- 4,860 Total CUSD bus seat capacity
14,570 Students without buses
- **How many buses** are available from other sources (e.g., OCTA, SVUSD, IUSD)? What other commitments will these buses have in an emergency (hospitals, senior citizens, disabled residents, private schools, etc.)?
- **How long will it take buses** to travel to schools and then to the evacuation sites?
- **Will bus drivers** be able to make multiple trips if there are insufficient buses?
- **What is the plan** to ensure there will be sufficient qualified bus drivers?
- **Will bus drivers be willing** to (or allowed to) reenter the radiation zone?

OTHER QUESTIONS

- **What is the plan** for a worst case scenario (uncontrolled nuclear meltdown and plume heading towards evacuation sites)?
- **How can children** be evacuated before the general public is alerted, considering the proliferation of cell phones, email, Facebook, etc.?
- **Do you know CUSD's plan** is for parents to pick up their children at evacuation sites?
- **Why is there no evacuation plan** for students beyond the 10 mile zone? In Japan, the NRC told U.S. citizens to evacuate at least 50 miles from Fukushima.
- **How long can we shelter in place?** According to the CDC, it should only be a few hours.
www.bt.cdc.gov/radiation/shelter.asp

BE INVOLVED

- **Contact local, state, federal, and school district officials.** Ask what they are doing to address:
 - No viable evacuation plan for our families.
 - Nuclear waste is being stored unsafely within a few miles of our community.
 - San Onofre has worst safety record of complaints in the nation for over 5 years.
- **Invite emergency planners** and nuclear experts to speak at meetings and allow sufficient time for questions and answers.
- **Become educated** on these issues. **Share** this information with friends, family and the media.
- **Sign up to stay informed** on San Onofre related issues at <http://sanonofresafety.org/contact/>

RESOURCES

STATE & FEDERAL OFFICIALS

State/federal elected officials

www.leginfo.ca.gov/yourleg.html
www.usa.gov/Contact/Elected.shtml

Allison M. Macfarlane, Chairman

Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Mail Stop O-16G4
Washington, DC 20555-0001
301-415-1750

Chairman@nrc.gov

www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/organization/commfuncdesc.html

Senator Barbara Boxer

www.boxer.senate.gov
112 Hart Senate Office Bldg
Washington DC 20510
202-224-3553
Fax: 202-224-0357
or
312 N. Spring St. Suite 1748
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213-894-5000

Senator Diane Feinstein

www.feinstein.senate.gov
331 Hart Senate Office Bldg
Washington DC 20510
202-224-3841
Fax: 202-228-3954
or
11111 Santa Monica Blvd #915
Los Angeles, CA 90025
310-914-7300
Fax: 310-914-7318

Congressman Darrell Issa

1800 Thibodo Road, #310
Vista, CA 92081
760-599-5000
Fax: 760-599-1178
Issa.house.gov

Governor Jerry Brown

c/o State Capitol, Suite 1173
Sacramento, CA 95814
916-445-2841
Fax: 916-558-3160
http://gov.ca.gov/m_contact.php

President Barack Obama

The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20500
www.whitehouse.gov/contact/
Comments: 202-456-1111
Switchboard: 202-456-1414

LOCAL OFFICIALS

San Clemente City Council

cityhall@san-clemente.org
949-361-8322
san-clemente.org

CUSD - Superintendent

Dr. Joseph M. Farley
capousd.ca.schoolloop.com
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949-234-9203

CUSD – Mike Beekman
Executive Director,
Safety and Student Services
949-234-9200

www.songscommunity.com/docs/EmergencyPreparedness.pdf

OC Department of Education

Christine Laehle
Emergency Preparedness
714-327-1067
claehle@ocde.us
www.ocde.us/Emergency

OC Sheriff Department

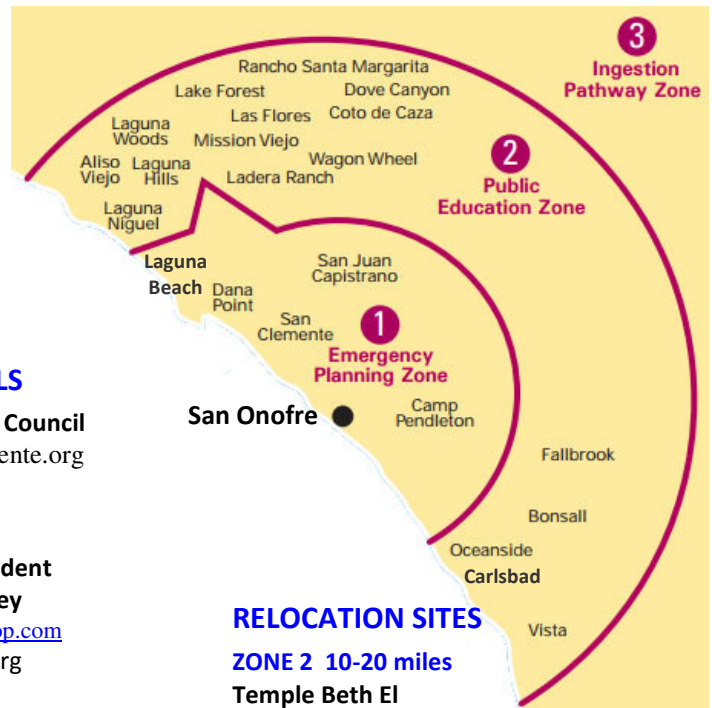
Sara Kaminske
Emergency Management Bureau
Interjurisdictional Planning Committee
714-628-7054
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www.readyoc.org/contact.html

OTHER RESOURCES

SanOnofreSafety.org

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RELOCATION SITES

ZONE 2 10-20 miles

Temple Beth El
2 A Liberty
Aliso Viejo, CA
949-362-3999

Laguna Niguel LDS Stake Center
22851 Aliso Creek Road
Aliso Viejo, CA
949-580-1905

CUSD North Transportation Yard
2 B Liberty
Aliso Viejo, CA
949-489-7115

CUSD South Transportation Yard
26126 Victoria Blvd
Capistrano Beach, CA

Mission Viejo LDS Stake Center
27976 Margarite Pkwy.
Mission Viejo, CA
949-364-2287

Los Alisos LDS Building
23850 Los Alisos Blvd
Mission Viejo, CA 9269

Alicia LDS Building
28291 Alicia Pkwy
Laguna Niguel, CA
949-643-9122

ZONE 3 20-50 miles

OC Fairgrounds (30 miles)

88 Fair Drive
Costa Mesa, CA
714-708-1619