



Regional District of
Kitimat-Stikine

Evacuation Alert – Old Remo, New Remo, Dutch Valley, and Usk

The Regional District of Kitimat-Stikine (RDKS) has activated its Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) due to the current flood risk as a result of the above normal snow levels, warm weather, and precipitation and is alerting citizens to the potential for serious widespread flooding.

The RDKS has issued an Evacuation Alert for Old Remo, New Remo, Dutch Valley, and Usk. Please see Evacuation Alerts and maps below.

The Usk Ferry is no longer operational.

Sandbag Stations:

Sandbags and sand are available to RDKS and City of Terrace residents on a self-serve basis, at the following locations:

- Thornhill Volunteer Fire Department, 3128 Hwy 16 East. 8:30am-4:30 pm weekdays (this location may change to address areas of need as the high-water event develops).
- City of Terrace Public Works yard, 5003 Graham Ave., 7 am–3:30 pm weekdays.
- Sandbagging machine: (expected to be available before Friday, June 3) at the Vacant log sort area at the northwest corner of Keith and Kenney, follow signed access off Keith or Kenney. Operating hours will be communicated and based on flood severity.

Reception Centre:

Should an Evacuation Order be initiated, a reception centre has been identified at the Thornhill Community Center at 3091 Century Street in Thornhill (more information on this will be available if an Evacuation Order is put in place).

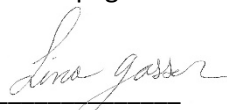
At this time residents and businesses in low-lying areas and areas which have experienced flooding in the past should take steps to flood proof their structures, including moving valuable items to higher ground, and finding alternate accommodations should the need for evacuation occur. Information regarding flood preparedness, including the proper methods of sandbagging can be found by visiting <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-preparedness-response-recovery/preparedbc/know-your-hazards/floods>

Members of the public are strongly reminded not to drive through areas near the river that may be experiencing rising waters nearby if they are not residents of the area. If there is an emergency, crews need to be able to access the area and additional unnecessary traffic will hamper their ability to do so. A rising river is very dangerous—please stay safe and do not approach the riverbank.

The Regional District will provide updates, information, and resources on local radio stations, our website https://www.rdks.bc.ca/government/news/flooding_events_2022 and social media pages. Our next planned update will be June 3, 2022 at 12:00 p.m.

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EVACUATION ALERT

Date June 2, 2022

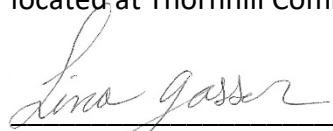
Time 12:00 p.m.

Due to the potential danger that may arise from Flooding the Regional District of Kitimat-Stikine has issued an Evacuation Alert for the area of Old Remo and New Remo. Maps attached.

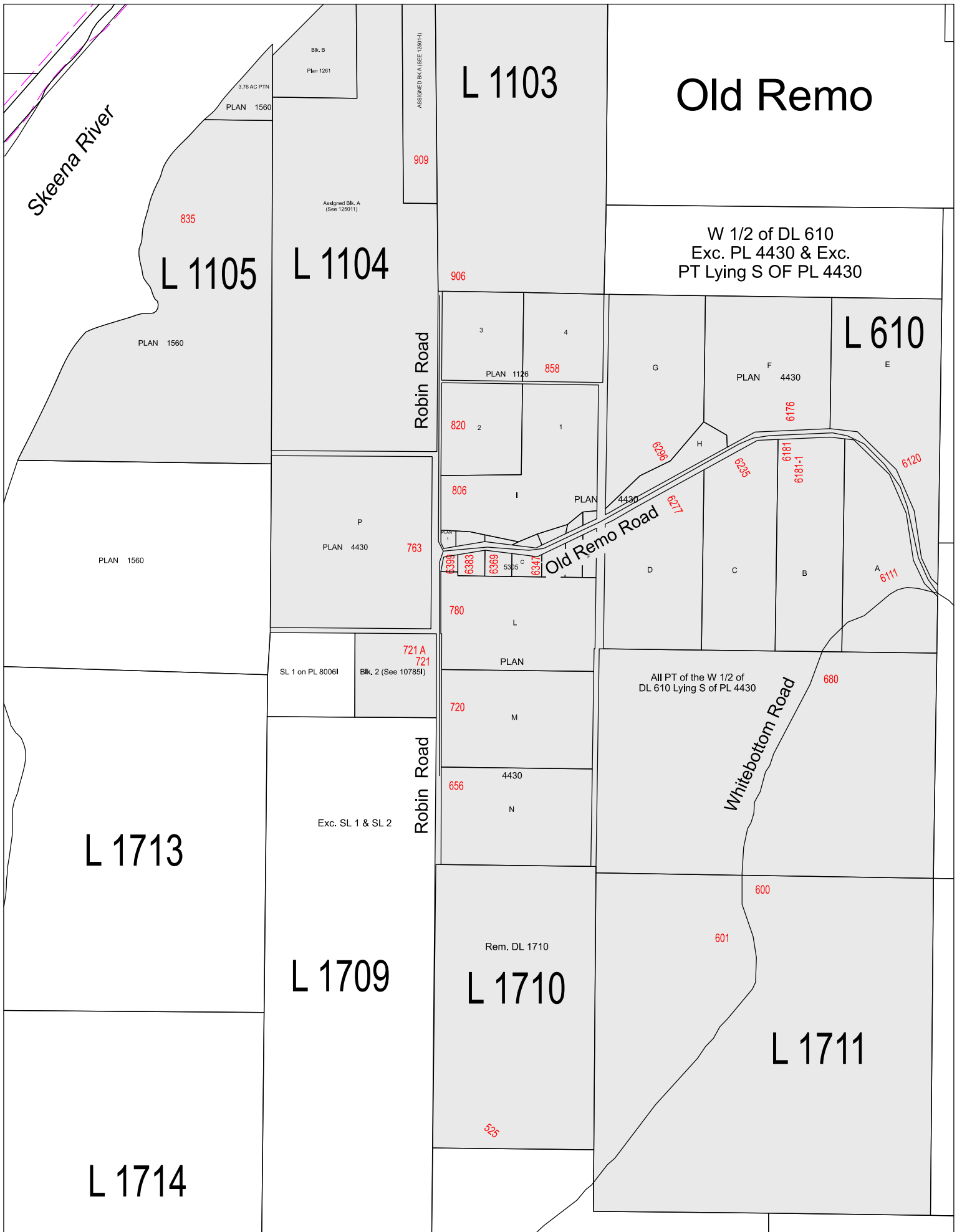
At this time residents are not required to evacuate, however, people resident or present within the area are requested to prepare to leave the area with very short notice.

This alert may be followed by an immediate order to evacuate should conditions worsen.

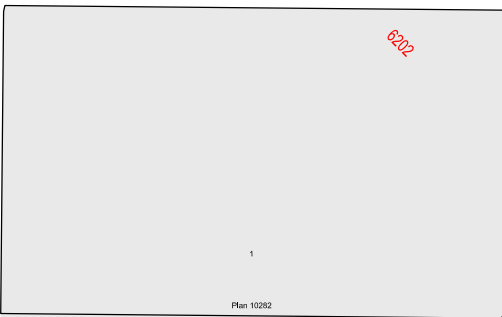
When an order is issued you must leave your home immediately and vacate the area by using the main route from your area. Evacuees are requested to report to the Reception Centre located at Thornhill Community Center at 3091 Century Street in Thornhill.



Lina Gasser, EOC Director



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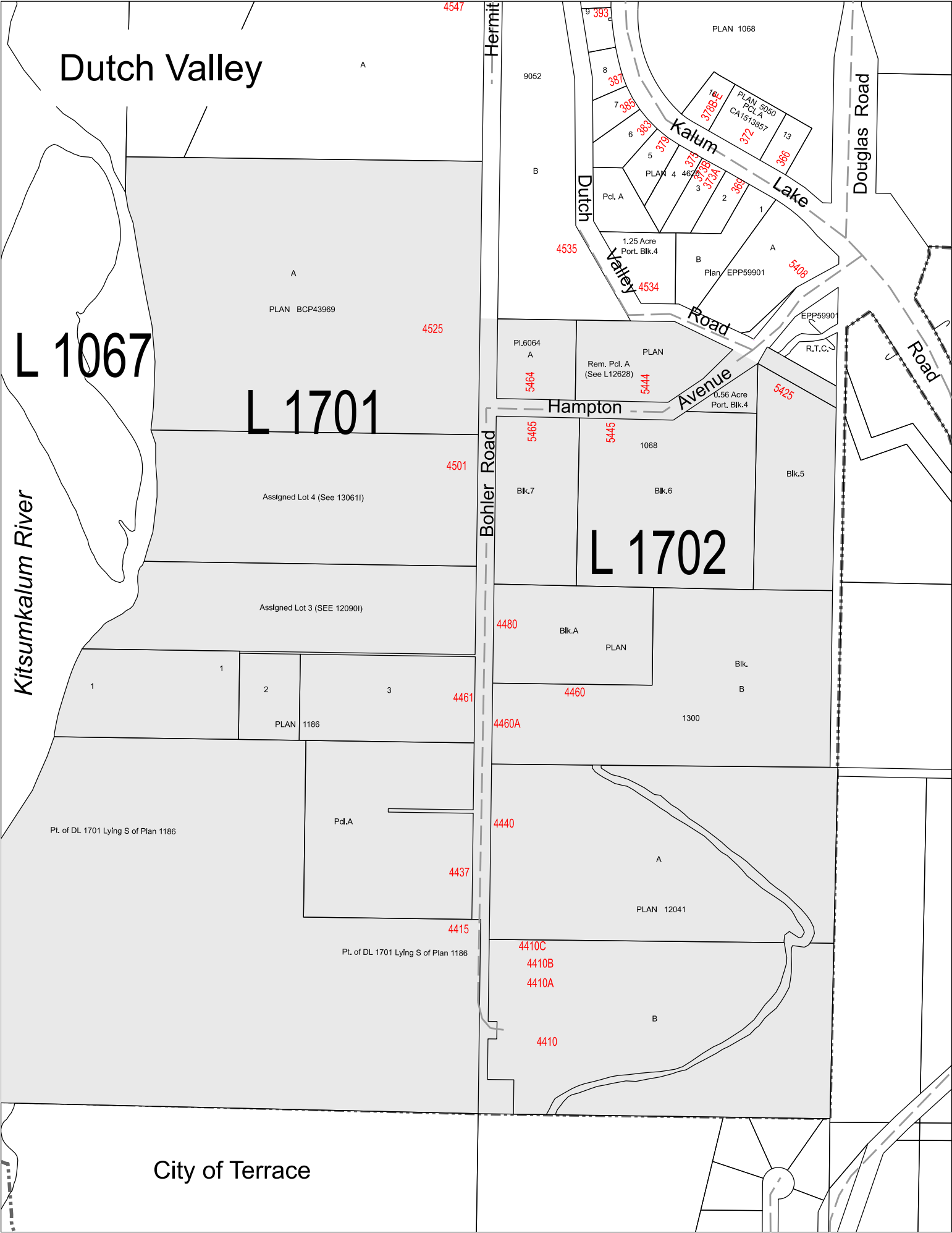
Due to the potential danger that may arise from Flooding the Regional District of Kitimat-Stikine has issued an Evacuation Alert for the area of Dutch Valley. Maps attached.

At this time residents are not required to evacuate, however, people resident or present within the area are requested to prepare to leave the area with very short notice.

This alert may be followed by an immediate order to evacuate with should conditions worsen.

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Due to the potential danger that may arise from Flooding the Regional District of Kitimat-Stikine has issued an Evacuation Alert for the area of Usk, Maps attached.

At this time residents are not required to evacuate, however, people resident or present within the area are requested to prepare to leave the area with very short notice.

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