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CAL FIRE Crews on Stand By for Flooding

Sacramento - This morning CAL FIRE crews across the region have responded to numerous vehicle accidents and downed powerlines. CAL FIRE crews stand ready to respond to any flood response, sand bagging, debris removal or water rescue.

Fire officials are urging caution during this first major storm of the year

- Have an emergency kit ready
- Never drive through a flooded road
- When driving, be cautious of downed powerlines

In Monterey County CAL FIRE already has crews committed to debris removal below burned areas from the Gloria Fire outside Soledad. In Santa Cruz County, CAL FIRE crews are also on stand by near Swanton and Bonny Doon where the Lockheed Fire burned in August.

Residents near areas burned this summer by wildfires should be extra cautious for flash flooding, erosion, debris flow and possible mudslides.

Find more information visit the CAL FIRE Web site at www.fire.ca.gov.

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