**TSUNAMI EVACUATION MAP**

**YACHATS, OREGON**

**IF YOU FEEL AN EARTHQUAKE:**
- Drop, cover, and hold
- Move immediately inland to higher ground
- Do not wait for an official warning

**SI USTED SIENTE EL TEMBLOR:**
- Tírese al suelo, cúbrase, y espere
- Diríjase de inmediato a un lugar más alto que el nivel del mar
- No espere por un aviso oficial

**OUTSIDE HAZARD AREA:** Evacuate to this area for all tsunami warnings or if you feel an earthquake.

**LOCAL CASCADIA EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI:** Evacuation zone for a local tsunami from an earthquake at the Oregon coast.

**DISTANT TSUNAMI:** Evacuation zone for a distant tsunami from an earthquake far away from the Oregon coast.

**NOTICE**
This tsunami evacuation zone map was developed by DOGAMI for the purpose of evaluating the most effective means to guide the public in the event of a tsunami evacuation. The map is based on preliminary data and should not be used for site-specific planning. This map adopts recommendations from the Oregon Tsunami Advisory Council. The evacuation routes were developed by local emergency officials and reviewed by the Oregon Department of Emergency Management.

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**MAP SYMBOLS / SÍMBOLOS DEL MAPA**
- Evacuation route / Ruta de evacuación
- Assembly area / Área reunión
- Bridge / Puente
- Fire Department / Bomberos
- City Hall / Municipalidad
- Trail / Sendero

**SCALE / ESCALA**
- 0.25 mile
- 0.25 km

**Elevation, in feet / Elevación, en pies**
- 35'
If you feel an earthquake, a tsunami may be coming...

WHAT TO DO:
- DROP, COVER, HOLD until the earthquake is over; protect yourself (see chart, page 2 bottom)
- MOVE IMMEDIATELY INLAND to high ground and away from low-lying coastal areas
- FOLLOW EVACUATION ROUTE SIGNS
- DO NOT WAIT for an official warning
- GO ON FOOT if at all possible
- DO NOT PACK or delay
- DO NOT RETURN to the beach – large waves may continue to come onshore for several hours
- WAIT for an “all clear” from local emergency officials before returning to low-lying areas

WHAT TO KNOW about tsunamis

Local tsunamis can cause great loss of life and property damage. A tsunami is a series of sea waves, usually caused by a displacement of the ocean floor by an earthquake – before there is time for an official warning and evacuation to safety.

- Prompt you to move immediately to high ground. If you hear the 3-minute blast or see a sudden sea level change, first climb to high ground and be prepared! (If your area has sirens) and follow evacuation route signs.
- In isolated areas along beaches and bays you may not hear a warning siren. Here, a 3-minute siren blast or sudden change of sea level will prompt you to move immediately to high ground.
- Distant tsunamis will take 4 hours or more to come ashore. You will feel no earthquake, and the tsunami will generally be smaller than that from a local earthquake. Typically, there is time for an official warning and evacuation to safety.
- Local tsunamis may continue to come onshore for several hours. If you feel an earthquake, keep away from coastal areas.

HOW TO BE PREPARED!
- Initiate or participate in a local preparedness program
- Make and distribute emergency packs
- Start a tsunami buddy system in your community
- Pack your own emergency kit
- Use your family’s emergency kit
- Assemble emergency kits for each family member:
  - Water bottle and filtration or treatment supplies
  - Portable radio, NOAA weather radio, flashlight, and extra batteries
  - Matches in waterproof container or lighter
  - Basic safety needs, including extra food, baby food, energy bars
  - Water sufficient to provide 1 gallon per person per day
  - First aid kit
  - Drug medications
  - Blankets, sleeping bags
  - Cash
  - Tools and supplies (pocket knife, shut-off wrench, duct tape, gloves, whistles, plastic bags)

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