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PRESS RELEASE: Evacuation Warning Issued for the Hay Creek Fire, Polebridge, MT

Kalispell, MT, July 22, 2021 - Flathead County Sheriff's Office issued an Evacuation Warning to residences in the North Fork Area earlier today. The Evacuation Warning area begins at approximately the Gravel Pit North of Polebridge, including residents accessing their home from Long Bow Trail, and follows the North Fork Road up to Red Meadow Road, then extends West. The Evacuation Warning also includes residents on the North side of Red Meadow Road. Please see the attached Hay Creek Fire Evacuation Warning Map dated 22JUL2021.

An Evacuation Warning means there is a potential threat to life and/or property. This warning is issued to give residents time to prepare for a possible evacuation. Residents & Visitors who require additional time to evacuate or need to move pets or livestock are advised to begin the evacuation process now.