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DEBRIS FLOW TOWN HALL EVENT

Santa Cruz County is pleased to offer a COVID-19-safe town hall meeting for residents who have questions about the potential for winter debris flow events.

In rainy seasons following severe fires, the risks from flooding, mudflows and debris flows are significantly elevated, posing a threat to life and property. County emergency staff have assessed the risk to residents and provided a debris flow evacuation map at <u>community.zonehaven.com</u>.

Residents are invited to learn more by attending the following event. Please wear a mask and practice social distancing:

WHAT: Debris Flow Town Hall

WHEN: Saturday, Nov. 21, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

WHERE: 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz (parking lot in front of main entrance)

The County previously held two online town hall events, hosted by Supervisor Bruce McPherson and Supervisor Ryan Coonerty. Recordings of each event are available in the Debris Flow section of the County's Fire Recovery website, www.santacruzcounty.us/firerecovery.