Kittitas County Emergency Operations Center 1-9-09 Press Release

As of 1330 hours on 1-9-09, the evacuation of the Riverbottom area has been lifted, however some access is limited or restricted.

The evacuation on Snoqualmie Pass/Hyak has also been lifted, with the exception of the 3 homes directly involved in the Hyak avalanche/slide.

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The EOC is transitioning from "Response & Rescue" to "Recovery". The EOC is transitioning from a Level III Activation to Level 1.

A message system will be activated for the public at 509-925-8551

Additionally, citizens are encouraged to access the Daily Record online at kvnews.com for previous public service announcements regarding safety issues.

Residents are reminded to use caution when travelling and when returning to flood damaged homes or areas

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