



**Kitsap County  
Department of Emergency Management**

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**NEWS RELEASE**

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**Kitsap County Declares Emergency due to Flooding!**

Due to mudslides throughout the County and flooding due to heavy rains, Kitsap County has declared an Emergency. Commissioner Jan Angel, Chair of the Board of Commissioners and Commissioner Patty Lent signed the declaration at the request of Phyllis Mann, Director of Emergency Management. The Declaration allows Kitsap County government to assist citizens in mitigating any flood damage. The Declaration is also the first step in requesting federal assistance. To date, Kitsap County has approximately \$1.5 million dollars of public damage due to mudslides.

Citizens who need sandbags can obtain them at no charge at the following locations:

Location	Location
Island Lake Community Center (Parking Lot)	Central Kitsap Fire Station 41 7600 Military Rd NE
South Kitsap Fire Station 31 200 Tremont Road	North Kitsap Fire Headquarters 26642 Miller Bay Rd. Kingston
Poulsbo Public Works 710 NE Lincoln Rd. Poulsbo	Bremerton Public Works 3027 Olympus Drive Bremerton

We encourage all citizens to contact the Kitsap County Department of Emergency Management at 360-307-5870 and let them know of any damages due to flooding or email them at [dem@co.kitsap.wa.us](mailto:dem@co.kitsap.wa.us)

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