

# BUSH FIRE UNDERSTANDING RISK AND ACTIONS

During the fire season understanding your daily risk and appropriate actions is communicated using the Australian Fire Danger Rating System. During a fire additional, location specific alerts or warnings may be issued by authorities. Residents need to understand how to lower their risk and respond appropriately in an emergency.

### **Australian Fire Danger Rating System**



Remember:
Permits invalid
on Fire Danger
Rating days of
HIGH or above.



### Moderate

Plan and Prepare.



### High

Be ready to act.



#### Extreme

Take action now to protect life and



### Catastrophic

For your survival, leave bush fire risk

# **Incident Alerts and Warnings**



### Advice

There is a fire in the area. Beware & keep up to date.



### **Watch and Act**

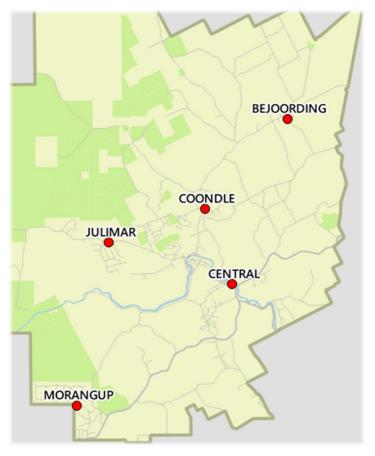
There is a possible threat to lives/homes. Take action to protect yourself & others



### **Emergency Warning**

A fire is approaching & you need to take immediate action to survive.

For Fire Danger Ratings and current Alerts & Warnings visit <a href="https://www.emergency.wa.gov.au">www.emergency.wa.gov.au</a>



## Your Local Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade Needs YOU!

Come to your local fire station and see how you can be part of the team. Make new friends. Learn new skills.

All necessary equipment and training supplied.

Non-firefighting roles/skills also sought.

SMS your desired Brigade Name to 0408 017 439

and we will be in touch.





**Bush Fire not for you?** Local opportunities for volunteering with the State Emergency Service or Volunteer Fire and Rescue also exist. SMS <u>SES</u> or <u>FRS</u> to the number above.