



# EVACUATION ALERT RESCINDED



## NILKITKWA WILDFIRE #R31465 EVACUATION ALERT RESCINDED July 22, 2023 at 1100 hours

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the Evacuation Alert issued by Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC on July 18, 2023 at 1400 hours has been rescinded.

For more information contact: Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at 250-692-1553.

Be aware that the wildfire situation can change at any time.

Please sign up for Bulkley-Nechako Emergency & Public Alerts at:

<https://www.rdbn.bc.ca/departments/protective-services/bulkley-nechako-emergency-public-alerts>

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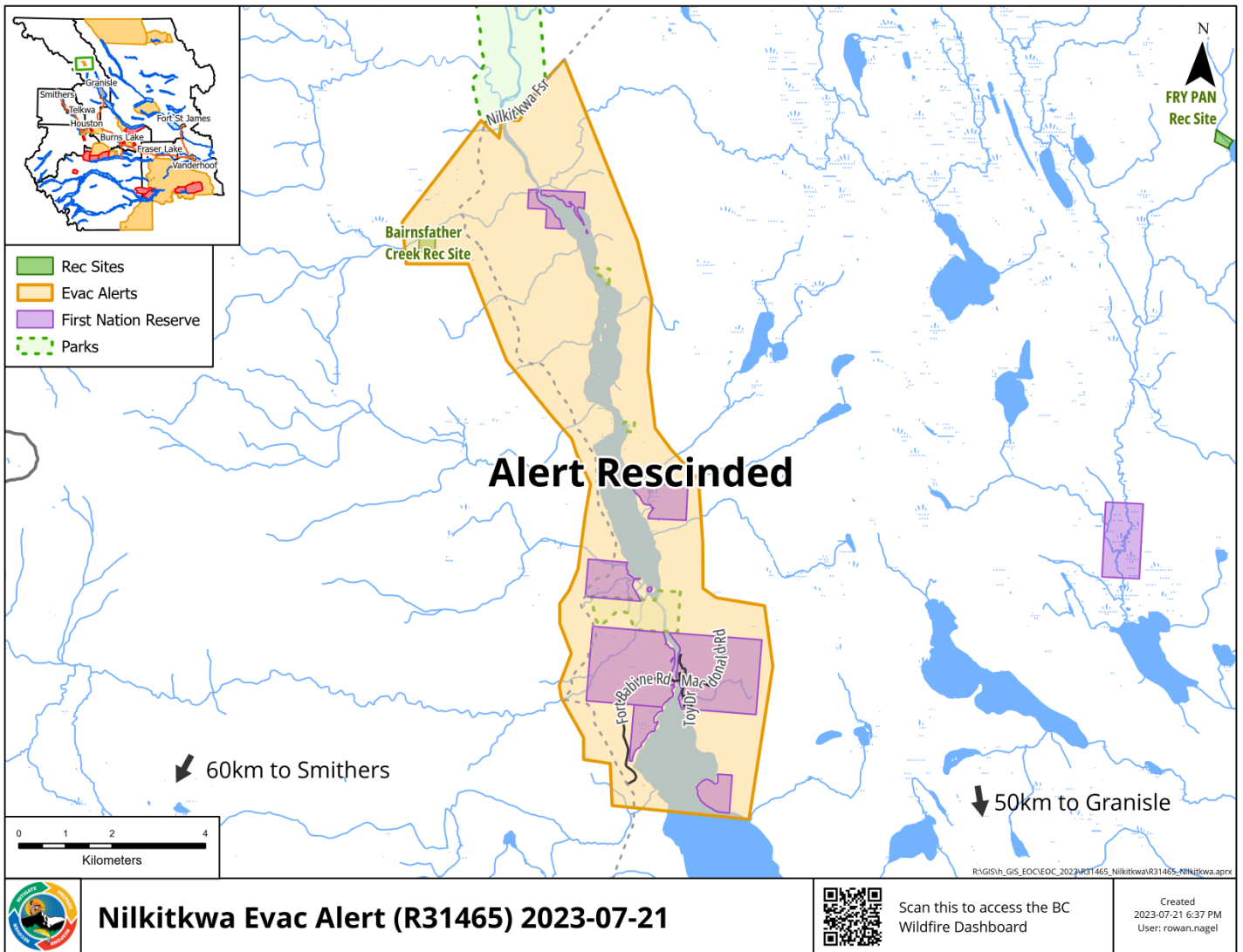
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## Nilkitkwa Wildfire #R31465



**Nilkitkwa Evac Alert (R31465) 2023-07-21**



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# EVACUATION ORDER RESCINDED

## **Nilkitkwa Wildfire #R31465 EVACUATION ORDER RESCINDED EVACUATION ALERT IN PLACE July 18, 2023 at 1400 hours**

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, the Evacuation Order issued July 13, 2023 at 1700 hours by Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC has been rescinded. The Evacuation Alert issued July 18, 2023 at 1400 hours replaces the Evacuation Order and remains in place for the following area:

**All properties, lands, and roads surrounding Nilkitkwa Lake including Fort Babine and Nilkitkwa Forest Service Rd. as shown on the attached map.**

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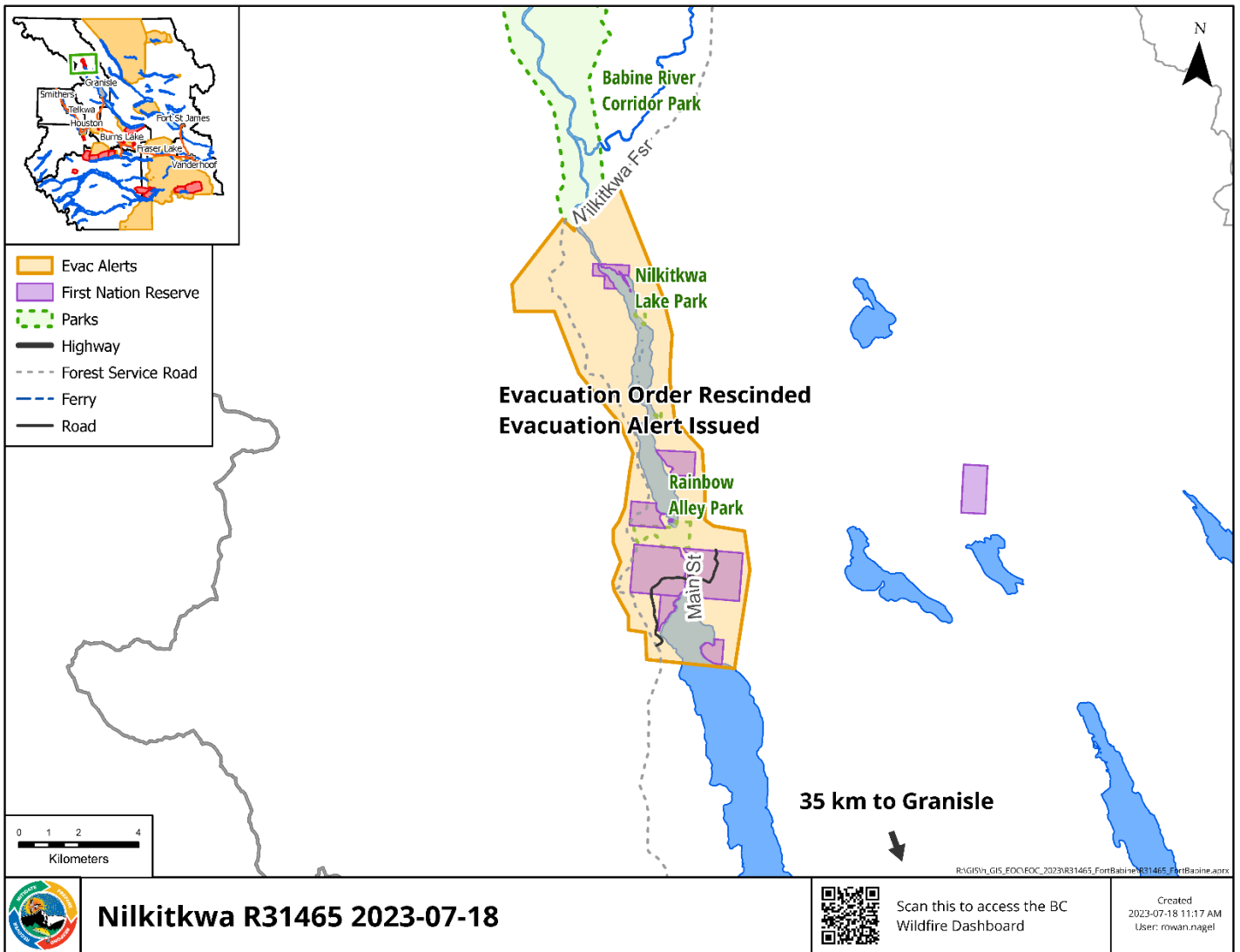
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# EVACUATION ALERT

## **Nilkitkwa Wildfire #R31465 EVACUATION ALERT ISSUED July 18, 2023 at 1400 hours**

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, an Evacuation Alert has been issued by Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC due to a wildfire.

Because of the potential **danger to life and health**, Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC have issued an Evacuation Alert for the Nilkitkwa Wildfire, **for all properties, lands, and roads surrounding Nilkitkwa Lake including Fort Babine and Nilkitkwa Forest Service Rd. as shown on the attached map.**

An Evacuation Alert has been issued to prepare you to evacuate your premises or property should it be found necessary. Residents will be given as much advance notice as possible prior to evacuation, however, you may receive limited notice due to changing conditions.

### **WHAT YOU SHOULD DO WHILE THIS ALERT IS IN EFFECT**

Be prepared for an Evacuation Order:

- Locate all family members or co-workers and plan to meet outside the evacuation area, should an evacuation be called while separated.
- Gather essential items such as medications, eyeglasses, valuable papers (i.e., insurance), immediate care needs for dependents and, if you choose, keepsakes (photographs, etc.), and have these items readily available for quick departure.
- Prepare to move any persons with mobility challenges and/or children.
- Move pets and livestock to a safe area. If you require assistance, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako.
- Arrange to transport your household members or co-workers in the event of an evacuation order. If you are asked to evacuate and need transportation assistance from the area, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako.
- Arrange accommodation for your family if possible.

In the event of an Evacuation Order, a Reception Centre will be opened if required, and evacuation routes specified.

Monitor your local radio station and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako website, [www.rdbn.bc.ca](http://www.rdbn.bc.ca) for information on this Evacuation Alert and/or any changes to the situation.

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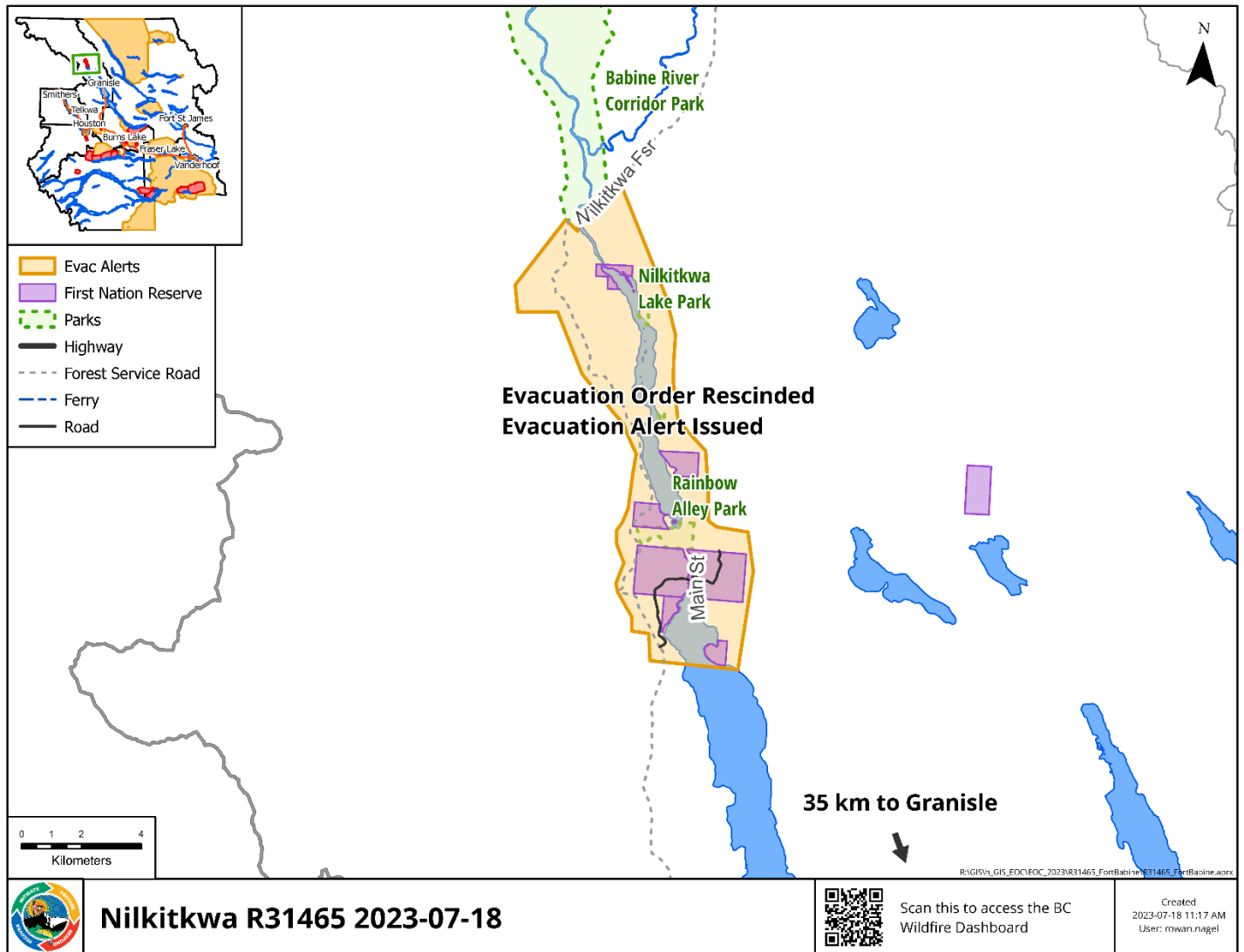
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# EVACUATION ORDER



## **Nilkitkwa Wildfire #R31465 EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED July 13, 2023 at 1700 hours**

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, an Evacuation Order has been issued by Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC due to a wildfire.

Because of the **danger to life and health**, Lake Babine Nation, the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako, and Recreation Sites and Trails BC have issued an Evacuation Order for the Nilkitkwa Wildfire **for all properties, lands, dwellings, and roads surrounding Nilkitkwa Lake including Fort Babine and Nilkitkwa Forest Service Rd. and including Bairnsfather Creek Provincial Park as shown on the attached map.**

**YOU MUST LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY.**

**Persons who disregard this Evacuation Order and remain in the Evacuation Order area do so at their own risk. The Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako may be unable to assist anyone who remains in the Evacuation Order area.**

- If you need transportation assistance from the area, please advise the individual providing this notice or call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-1553**.
- Close all windows and doors.
- Shut off all gas and electrical appliances, other than refrigerators and freezers.
- Close gates (latch) but do not lock.
- Gather your family: take a neighbour or someone who needs help.
- Take critical items (medicine, purse, wallet, and keys) only if they are immediately available. Take pets in pet kennels or on a leash.
- Do not use more vehicles than you must.
- If you require assistance for livestock, please call the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako at **250-692-1553**.

### **Evacuees:**

- Register at the Reception Centre at the **Houston Community Hall** at 2302 Butler Ave., Houston or contact the Emergency Support Services Director at 250-844-1404.
- Emergency Support Services can provide assistance for food, accommodation, hotel (or staying with friends and family), clothing, emotional support, and family reunification.

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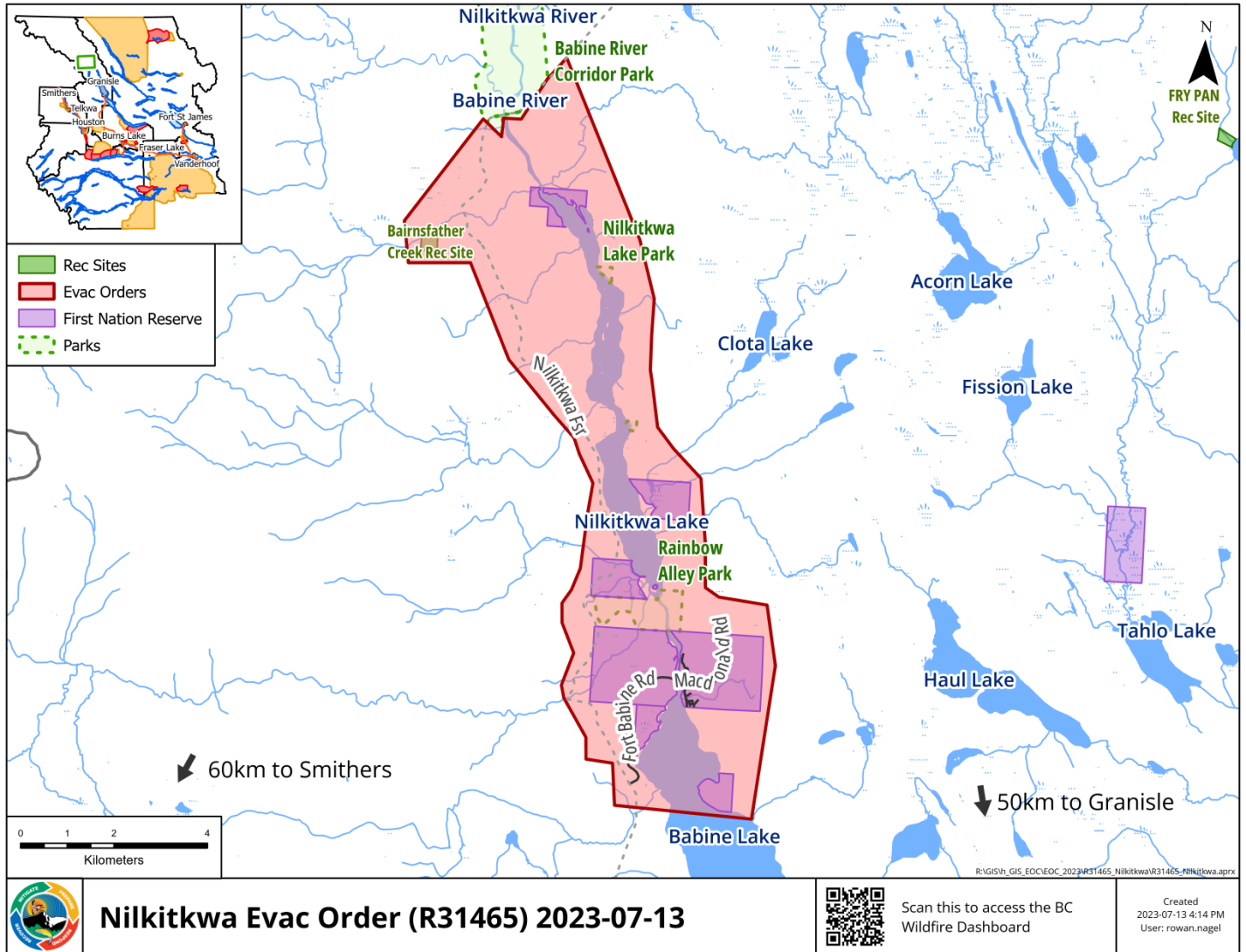
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# EVACUATION ALERT



## **Nilkitkwa Wildfire #R31465 EVACUATION ALERT ISSUED July 12, 2023 at 0800 hours**

Upon recommendations from BC Wildfire Service, an Evacuation Alert has been issued by Lake Babine Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako effective **July 12, 2023 at 0800 hours** due to a wildfire.

Because of the potential **danger to life and health**, Lake Babine Nation and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako have issued an Evacuation Alert for the Nilkitkwa Wildfire, **for all properties, lands, dwellings, and roads surrounding Nilkitkwa Lake including Fort Babine and Nilkitkwa Forest Service Rd. as shown on the attached map.**

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**July 12, 2023 at 0800 hours**

  
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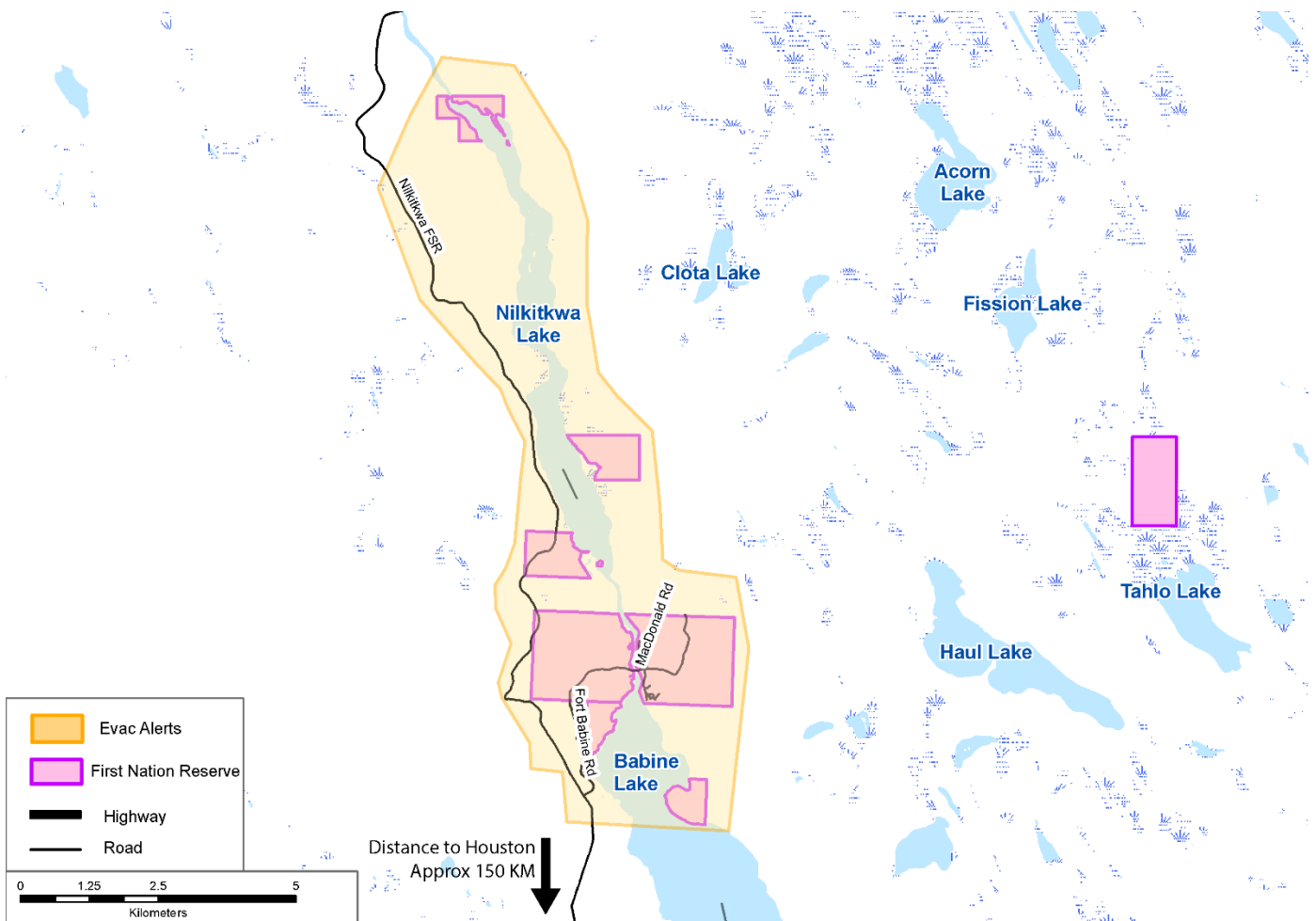
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