



Making Victoria FireReady:



This is the signage that will identify a Neighbourhood Safer Place – Place of Last Resort.

Neighbourhood Safer Places

Places of Last Resort have been designated at:

- Princess Park Maryborough
- Pascoe Reserve Maryborough
- Pioneer Park Talbot
- Gordon Garden Reserve Dunolly
- Market Reserve Carisbrook

Further details, including a map of the NSP location(s), can be found on the Community Information Maps (Township Protection Plans) published on the CFA website at: www.cfa.vic.gov.au

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The purpose of a Neighbourhood Safer Place - **Place of Last Resort** is to provide some protection from the effects of radiant heat during a bushfire.

A **Place of Last Resort** is only intended for use when all other plans have failed and should not be considered as a place to relocate to when leaving early as it will not guarantee safety or survival from fire, embers or radiant heat.

Travelling to a **Place of Last Resort** when there is a bushfire may be extremely dangerous due to dense smoke, radiant heat, flying embers, fallen trees and power lines, traffic congestion and accidents.

A Neighbourhood Safer Place - **Place of Last Resort** may not have the capacity to cater for special needs; and there will be no support services (food or drink, material aid) or provision for pets. There is no guarantee that emergency services will be present during a bushfire.

A Neighbourhood Safer Place - **Place of Last Resort** should not replace a personal bushfire survival plan. If your plan is to leave early, the safest option is to leave at the beginning of a day when the Fire Danger Rating is declared Severe or Extreme. On a Code Red (Catastrophic) rated fire danger day, the safest option is to leave the night before, or early in the morning.

FIRE DANGER RATING

Code Red (Catastrophic)
Severe
Very High
High
Low - Moderate

For daily Fire Danger Ratings check Newspapers, TV & Radio
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OR CALL: 1800 240 667

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