

# Yallourn North

## My Bushfire Readiness Actions

Yallourn North is at an extreme risk of bushfires. Both residents and agencies share the responsibility of preparing for bushfire threats before the declared Fire Danger Period.

The Preparedness Works tables outline actions taken by agencies to help reduce fire risk and actions you can take to prepare your property for the fire season.

Use this guide alongside your Bushfire Survival Plan to prepare for the bushfire season. Remember, leaving early before a fire starts is the safest option to protect yourself and your family.


Scan the QR codes for more information, tools, and resources to help you prepare your property ahead of the fire season

### Agency Preparedness Works

| Action  | Responsible Agency   | When              |
|---|--|-------------------|
| Fire prevention inspections and compliance notices.             | Latrobe City Council   | November to March |
| Maintenance as required under power lines.                      | Ausnet   | Throughout season |
| Roadside vegetation maintenance.                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Latrobe City Council</li> <li>Transport Victoria</li> </ul>                           | Throughout season |
| Inspect fire access tracks. Routine maintenance as required.    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Latrobe City Council</li> <li>Forest Fire Management Victoria</li> <li>HVP</li> </ul> | Throughout season |
| Deliver community education on property advice and fire safety. | CFA  | Annually          |

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### Resident Preparedness Works

|  Action  | When                           |
|---|--------------------------------|
|  Test smoke alarms.  | Monthly                        |
|  Develop and review Bushfire Survival Plans.                           | September                      |
|  Prepare your First 72hrs Emergency Kit.                               | September                      |
|  Reach out to CFA for support and advice.                              | October                        |
|  Maintain vegetation and remove flammable items from around dwellings. | November (green waste amnesty) |
|  Share your plans with your family, friends and neighbours.           | November                       |
|  Update/check home insurance for fire coverage.                      | Annually                       |

### Resources



To access more emergency preparedness resources phone 1300 367 700 or visit [www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/emergency](http://www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/emergency)

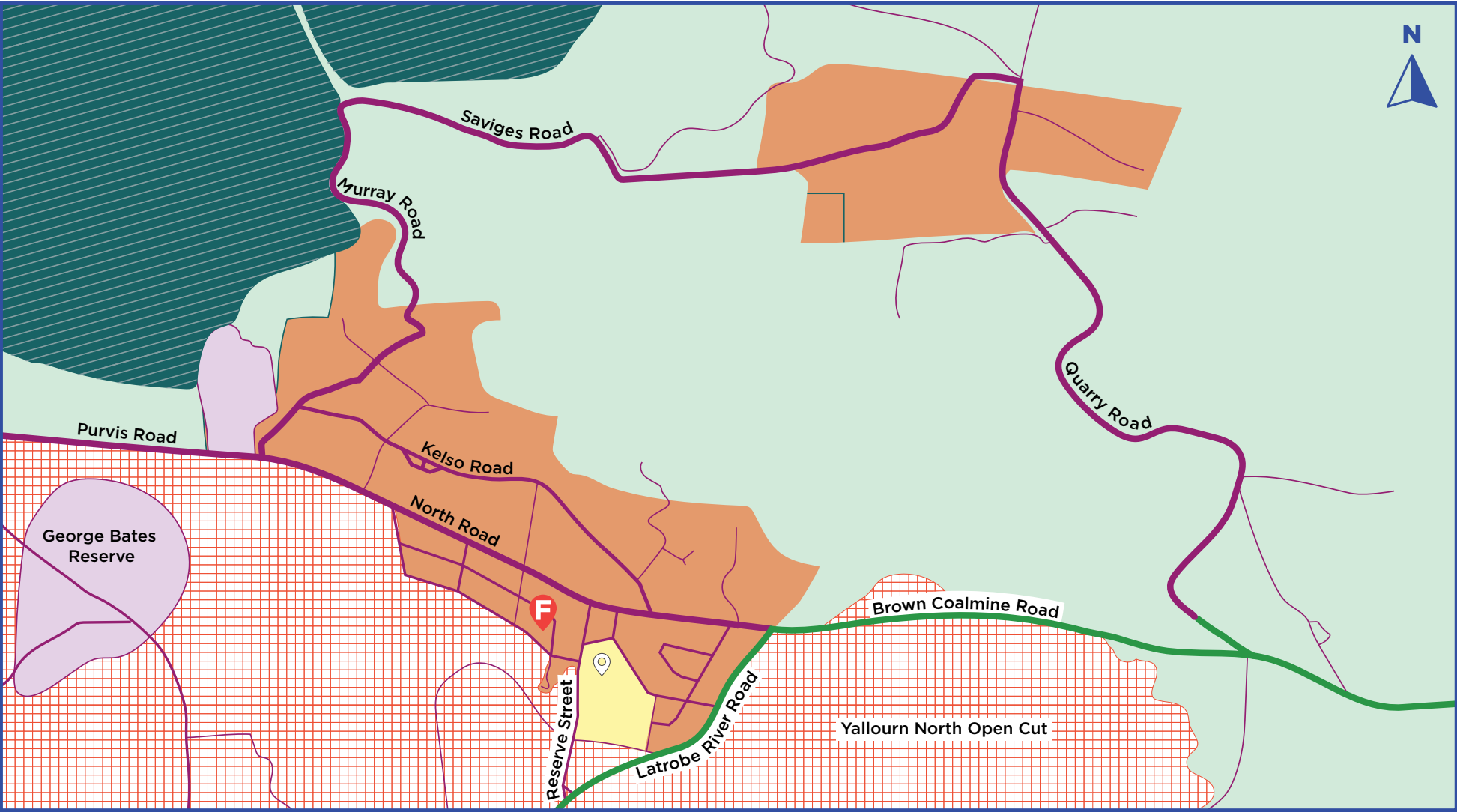


To learn what you need to be resilient in the first 72hrs of an emergency visit [www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/the-first-72-hours](http://www.latrobe.vic.gov.au/the-first-72-hours)



# Yallourn North Areas of Responsibility Map

This map shows land ownership across the township, helping identify the right contact for reporting bushfire mitigation needs.



|                           |                           |                     |   |   |              |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---|---|--------------|
| Latrobe City Council road | Private residential land  | Private rural land  | Crown land (state or federal government managed land) | Yallourn North Recreation Reserve         | Fire station |
| Transport Victoria road   | Latrobe City Council land | Softwood plantation | Private land (Energy Australia)                       | Use as a guide only, may not be to scale. |              |