



OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

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Emergency Sand and Sand Bag Locations 2023-2024

(Revised 11-10-2023)

Below is the list of locations that have sand and sandbags available for residents depending on where they live. For all locations, you must bring your **own shovels**. The County has a limited supply of Sandbags. If you need additional sandbags, you can purchase them at a local hardware store. Some locations do not have sandbags. Please consult the table to see what locations have bags and do not have bags.

Please go to California Department of Water Resources (DWR) YouTube page for directions to properly filling and placement of sandbags. <https://youtu.be/H-qQ0oE1kwM>.

For additional Winter Weather Information such as knowing weather terms, preparing and safety tips, go to <https://www.ready.gov/winter-weather>.

Madera County Valley Locations

Name	Address	Sand	Bags
Madera County Tozer Street Complex	Dirt Lot Between Animal Control Shelter and Madera County Jail (195 Tozer Street, Madera, CA 93638)	✓	✓
Madera County Fire Station #3	25950 Avenue 18 ½, Madera, CA 93638 559-661-0507	✓	✗
Madera County Fire Station #19	35141 Bonadelle Avenue, Madera, CA 93638 559-645-1399	✓	✓
La Vina Water Treatment Yard	Avenue 9 & Road 23 ½, Madera CA 93637 (Fenceline along Avenue 9)	✓	✗
Madera Power, LLC.	11427 Avenue 7 ½, Firebaugh, CA 93622 (Left of gate at the Co-Gen Plant)	✓	✗
Eastside Acres	Avenue 7 ½ and Canal Street, Firebaugh, CA 93622 (Southeast Corner)	✓	✓

Madera County Mountain Locations

Name	Address / Location Details	Sand	Bags
Madera County Fire Station #8	47050 Road 417, Coarsegold, CA 93614 559-683-8008	✓	✓
CAL Fire, Rancheria Fire Station	53488 Road 200, North Fork, CA 93643 559-877-2322	✓	✓
Madera County Fire Station #12	48355 Liberty Drive, Oakhurst, CA 93644 559-683-4808	✓	✓
United States Forest Service Batterson Ranger Station	43060 Highway 41, Oakhurst, CA 93644 (In the parking lot before the Fire Station)	✓	✗
United States Forest Service North Fork Ranger Station	57003 Road 225, North Fork, CA 93643 (Before the Bridge at the Station)	✓	✗

City of Chowchilla Locations

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Name	Address / Location Details	Sand	Bags
Chowchilla Public Works Yard	360 North 1 st Street (@ Sonoma Avenue), Chowchilla, CA 93610	✓	✗
Chowchilla City Hall	130 South 2 nd Street, Chowchilla, CA 93610 Hours: Monday to Friday 7am to 4pm	✗	✓
Chowchilla Police Department	122 Trinity Avenue, Chowchilla, CA 93610 Hours: After City Hall Business Hours Only	✗	✓

City of Madera Locations

Please go to the City of Madera's website for up to-date information. Sand and Sandbag Sites are for City Residence Only.

<https://www.madera.gov/news-item/flood-preparedness-and-sandbag-locations/>

Name	Address / Location Details	Sand	Bags
Madera Public Works Corporation Yard	1030 South Gateway Drive, Madera, CA 93637	✗	✓
City of Madera Sand Locations	Northwest Corner of "E" Street & 14 th Street, Madera, CA 93637 (across the railroad tracks from the Public Works Corporation Yard)	✓	✗