INSIDE CHECKLIST

- Shut all windows and doors, leaving them unlocked.
- Remove flammable window shades and curtains and close metal shutters.
- Remove lightweight curtains.
- Move flammable furniture to the center of the room, away from windows and doors.
- Shut off gas at the meter. Turn off pilot lights.
- Leave your lights on so firefighters can see your house under smoky conditions.
- Shut off air conditioning

IF YOU ARE TRAPPED: SURVIVAL TIPS

- Shelter away from outside walls.
- Patrol inside your home for spot fires and extinguish them.
- Wear long sleeves and long pants made of natural fibers such as cotton.
- Stay hydrated.
- Ensure you can exit the home if it catches fire (remember that if it’s hot inside the house, it is four to five times hotter outside).
- After the fire has passed, check your roof and extinguish fires, sparks or embers.
- Check inside the attic for hidden embers. Embers are a primary cause of home ignition.
- Patrol your property and extinguish small fires.