



THE CITY OF MONTEREY

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CITY OF MONTEREY ISSUES EVACUATION WARNING FOR MONTEREY HARBOR, BREAKWATER COVE AND NEARBY AREAS -- BEACHES AND BOAT RAMPS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE City of Monterey's Emergency Operations Center Continues to Actively Monitor the Situation

Monterey, Calif. – **Update 2: At 10:00 p.m.:** The City of Monterey Police Department is issuing an evacuation warning to all persons living aboard vessels in the Monterey Harbor slips and mooring areas, including Breakwater Cove, Coast Guard Pier, and adjacent areas. We are recommending that these individuals seek other lodging arrangements for the duration of the tsunami advisory for California coastal counties. This message applies to Monterey County Zones: [MNT-A032-B](#), [MNT-A026-B](#)

A tsunami is expected to reach the Monterey County coastline at 12:15 AM on July 30, 2025 and may continue until advised otherwise.

A series of strong tsunami waves and dangerous currents may affect the coastline. Residents and visitors are advised to remain out of the water and away from beaches and harbors until local officials declare it safe to return.

We will continue to monitor and provide updated information as the situation develops.

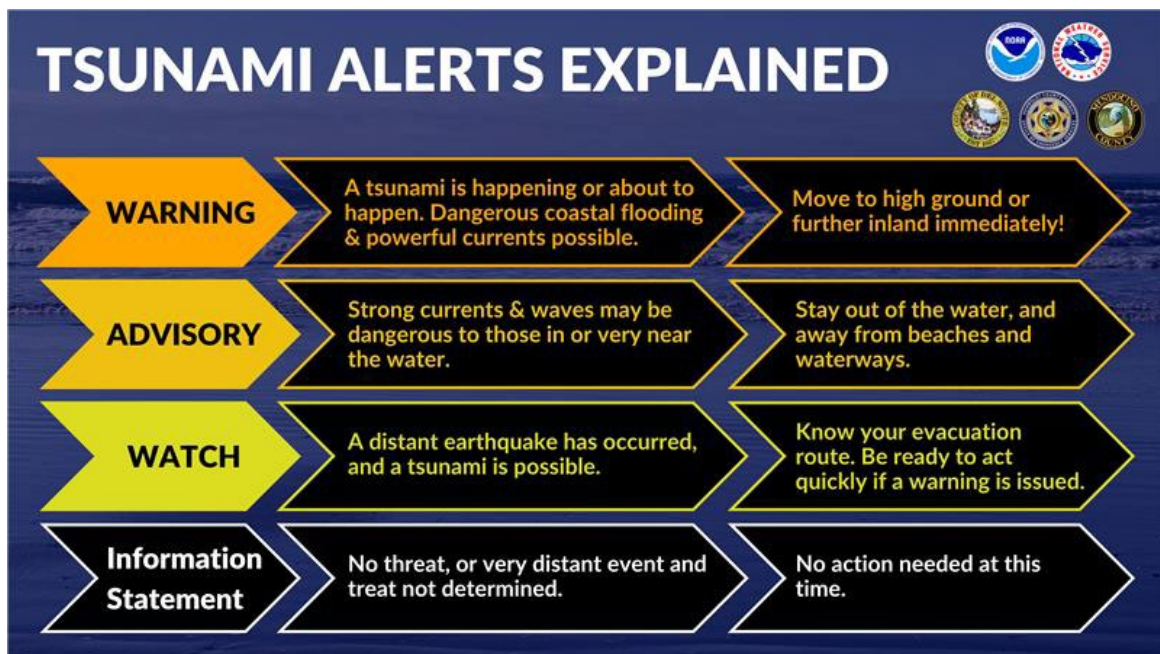
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In addition, hotels along the coast and wharves were notified to make sure their guests remain off beaches and away from the coastline. The National Weather Service and National Tsunami Warning Center are expecting waves of up to 12 inches and potentially strong force from waves. Given the distance away from the initial earthquake that triggered the tsunami, experts expect stronger than normal wave action that can also cause rip tides. While the tsunami is expected to reach our coastline at 12:15 a.m. reports indicate we may see impacts into the morning hours of Wednesday, July 30.

We thank the public for following local authorities' safety warnings and remaining away from the coastline at this time.

For official updates, visit: <https://www.readymontereycounty.org/emergency/july-2025-tsunami> and monterey.gov

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