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Canyon Dam Earthquake Update

Quincy, CA - Plumas County OES in conjunction with local Fire Departments and the Sheriff's Department has begun a damage assessment for residences affected by the earthquake. A survey has been prepared and is available on the internet at www.countyofplumas.com under 'County News'. You may also obtain a copy of the survey at your local Fire Department or the Plumas County Sheriff's Office. Residents are encouraged to fill out this form if they have suffered any damage to their home as a result of the earthquake and E-mail the completed document to PlumasOES@gmail.com.

At this time, nearly all reports of damage have been from the Lake Almanor area. Lake Almanor Mutual Water District users continue to be under a 'Boil Water Advisory' until test results clear the system due to damage sustained during the earthquake.

All Plumas County roadways and highways are open, but watch for loose or falling rocks. This applies to roadways, bike paths, and hiking trails throughout the county. All businesses and campgrounds are open. All county events, included those in the Lake Almanor Area, are being held as scheduled.

USGS has asked our community to report significant effects of the Earthquake. USGS is interested in knowing about ground movement, slump, liquefaction, sink holes, rockfalls, land sliding and any other ground deformations you might observe. Also, if there are reports of new water sources or springs where there were none before, USGS would be interested in gathering this information as well. Please send the description, location and your contact information to dacox@usgs.gov.

If you have any questions, please e mail: PlumasOES@gmail.com or call me at 530-283-6367.