

The Island's Biggest Earthquake Threat

Liquefaction

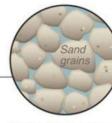
- Hayden Island will suffer
 SEVERE liquefaction
- Liquefaction causes soil to behave like quicksand
- Water is forced out from underground, lubricating the soil

Soil liquefaction

Liquefaction is a phenomenon in which water-saturated sandy layers of earth act like liquids due to the pressure created by earthquakes.

Ground surface Sediment layer Water-saturated granular layer

Lateral movement can create uneven ground, damaging structures



Normal pressure Soft sands can maintain strength or hardness because of friction from the grains touching, even though they are saturated with water.



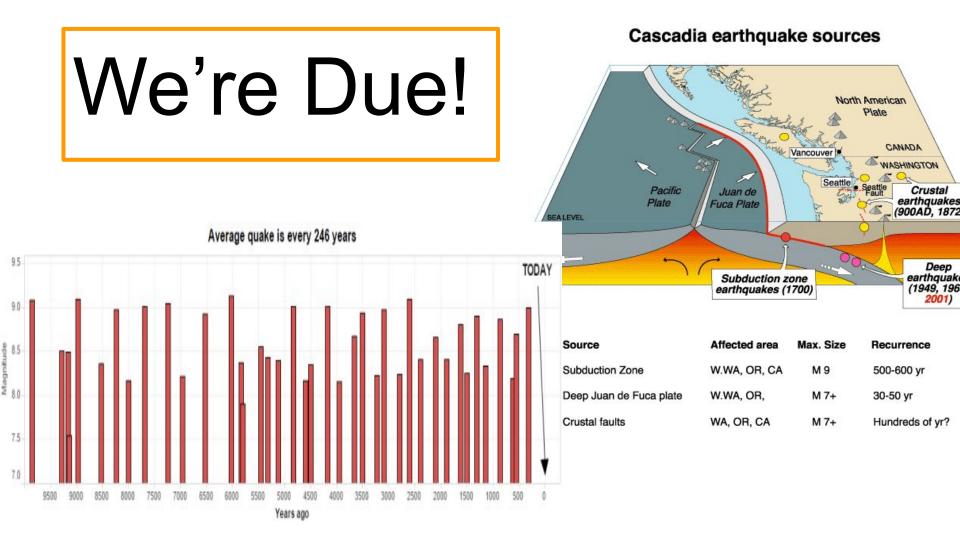
Intense pressure

Force from an earthquake causes the water to increase in pressure. With enough pressure, the water will break the friction in the grains and fill the spaces, causing liquefaction.

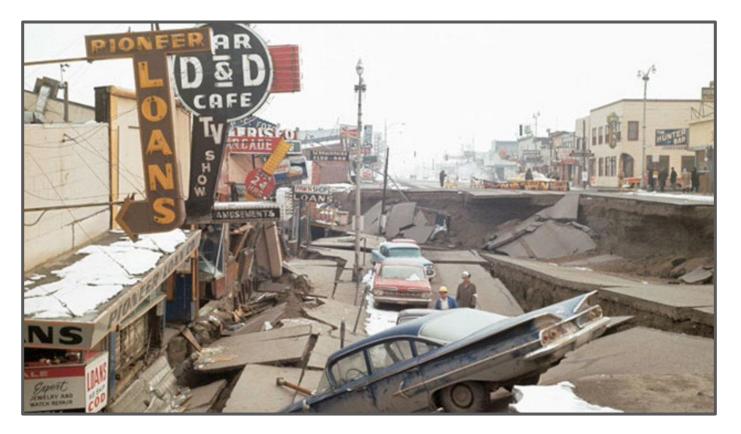
> Upward movement can penetrate the ground surface

Movement

Sand layers can slide, causing rips in the ground surface or uneven settling of building foundations. The sand can even push up through the ground.



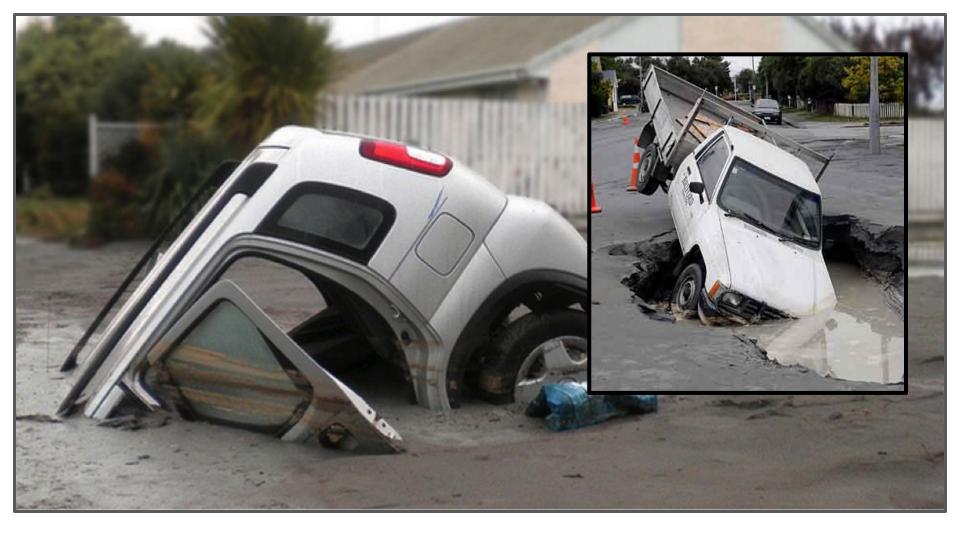
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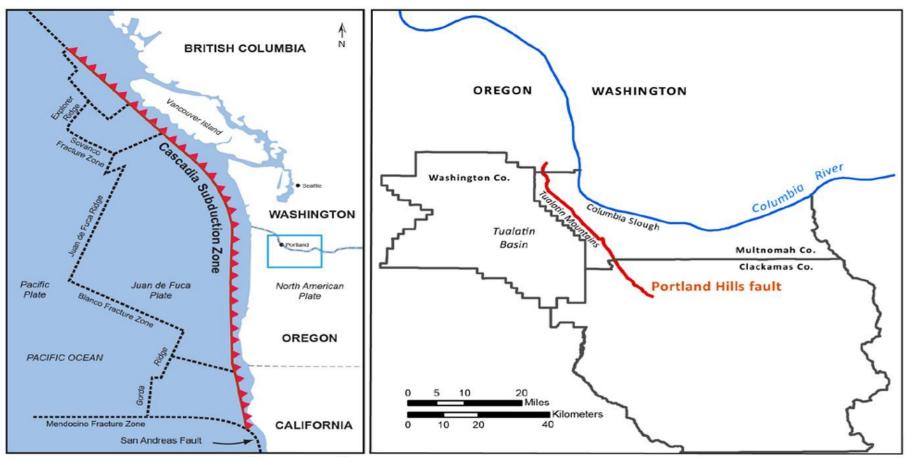
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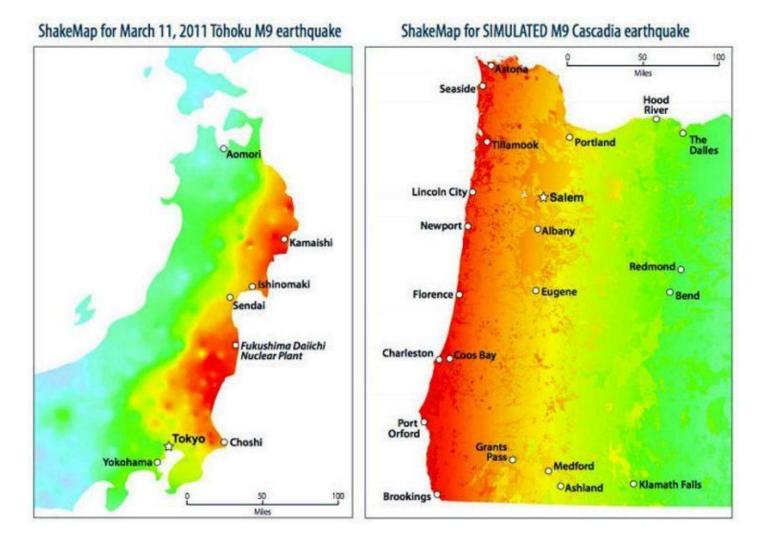


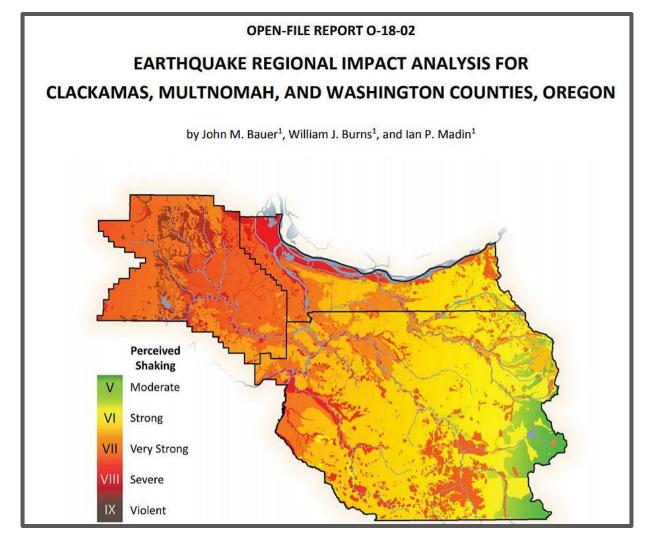


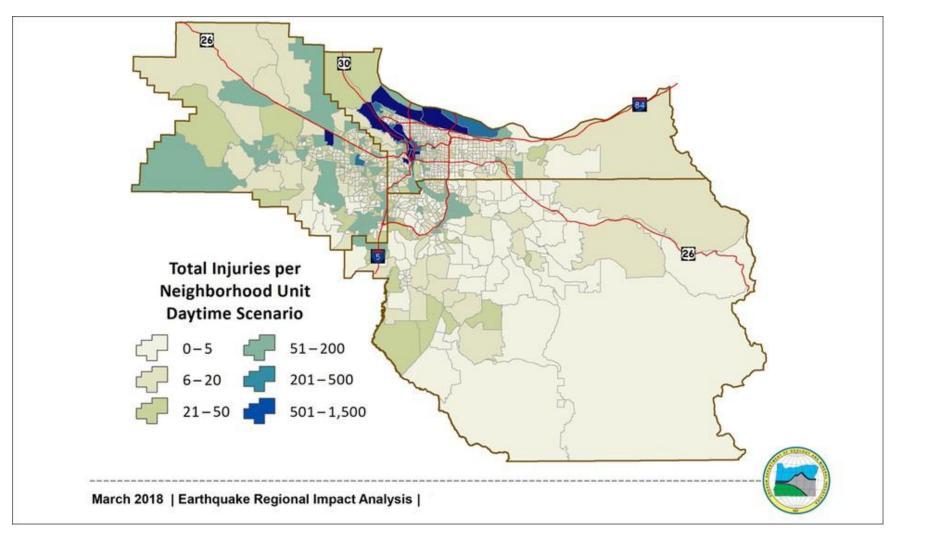


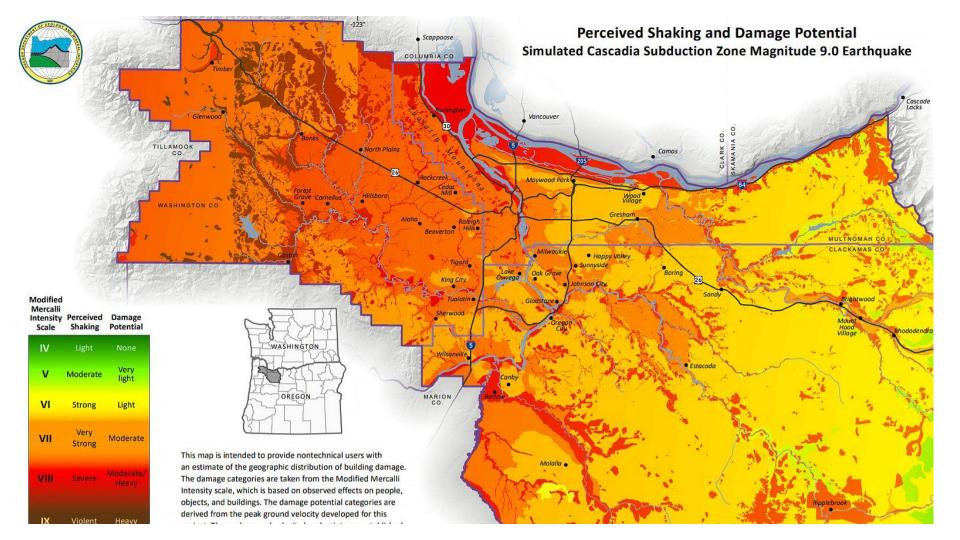
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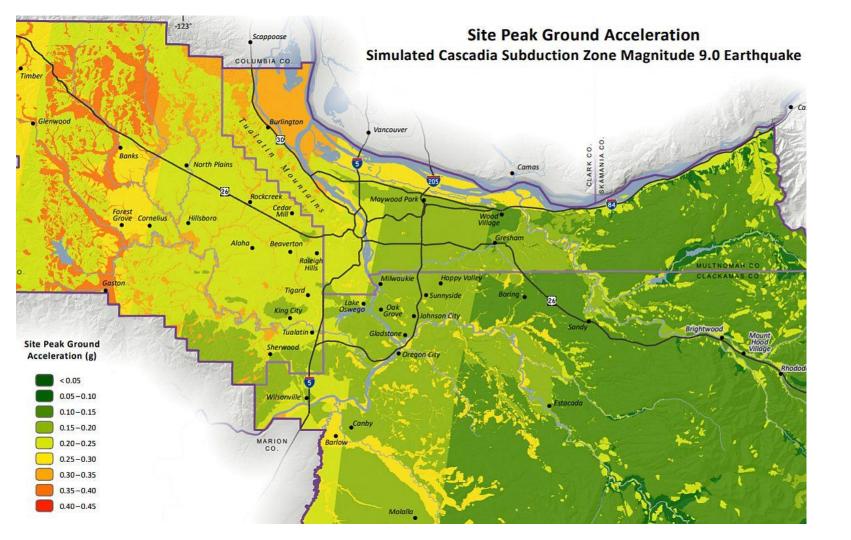


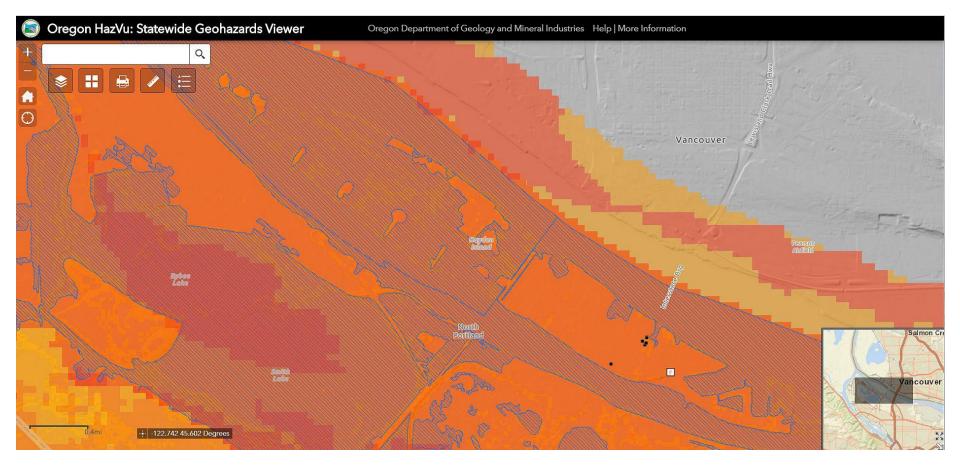


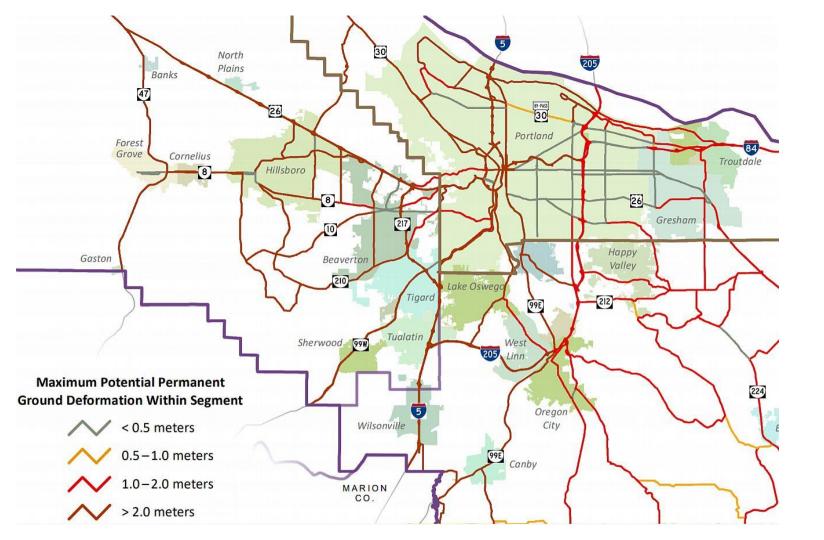


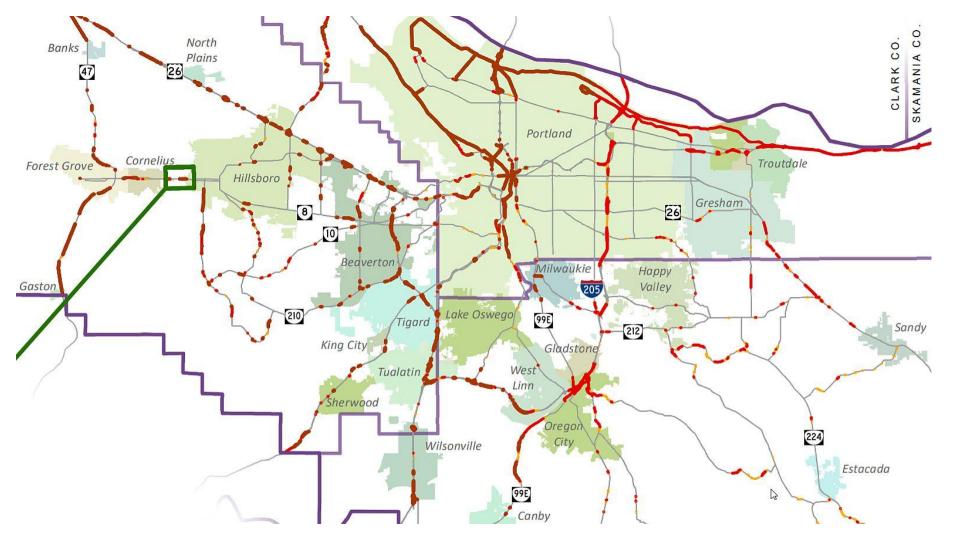














Potential Permanent Ground Deformation at Electrical Transmission Pole/Tower

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- 1.0-2.0 meters
- > 2.0 meters

Learn how to turn off your gas and water

BEFORE an Earthquake:

 Secure your gas equipment to minimize movement during a quake.

 Replace semi-rigid gas connectors with flexible connectors.

Move combustibles away from appliances.

AFTER an Earthquake:

• If you detect a natural gas odor, leave the area on foot and then call NW Natural at 800.882.3377.

ONLY, turn off your gas, if it is safe to do so.

 If you turn off your gas, DO NOT turn it back on yourself. Leave it off and contact NW Natural.

Regarding Earthquake Shut-off Valves:

• If you choose to install an earthquake shut-off valve, be sure to use a qualified, licensed contractor.

• Earthquake shut-off valves must be installed on the customer's side of the meter, not on NW Natural's.

 If the shut-off valve has closed you will need to contact a qualified, licensed contractor to reset the valve and relight your natural gas appliances.

How to turn-off your meter:



What to do:

Take cover under a table

Stay inside

Watch for falling objects

Pull off to the side of the road

Check for injuries and hazards

Smell for gas

Turn off water

What do I do?

DURING AN EARTHQUAKE YOU SHOULD:

If you are indoors, DROP and take COVER under a sturdy table or other furniture. HOLD ON to it and stay put until the shaking stops.

Stay clear of items that can fall and injure you, such as windows, fireplaces, and heavy furniture.

Stay inside. You may be injured by breaking glass and falling objects if you run outside.

If you are at the coast, walk to higher ground away from the ocean as soon as it is safe for you to move.

If you are driving, move your car as far out of the normal traffic pattern as possible and stop if it is safe. Stay away from structures or objects that could fall on you, such as bridges, overpasses, light posts, power lines, or trees. Stay inside your car.

If you are in the mountains, or near unstable slopes, be alert for falling rocks, trees, or landslides that could be loosened by the earthquake.



AFTER AN EARTHQUAKE YOU SHOULD:

EVACUATE if you are in a TSUNAMI HAZARD ZONE.

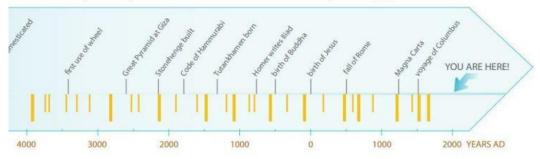
Walk inland or to higher ground as soon as it is safe to do so. Do not wait for official notification. Stay away from the coast until officials permit you to return.

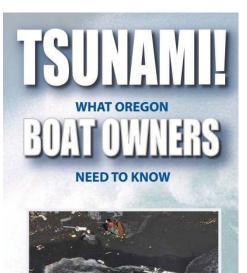
Check for injuries. Do not move seriously-injured persons unless they are in immediate danger.

Check for hazards such as fires, gas leaks, downed utility lines, and fallen objects.

Clean up any potentially harmful material spills.

Expect aftershocks. Aftershocks following large earthquakes can be large and damaging.



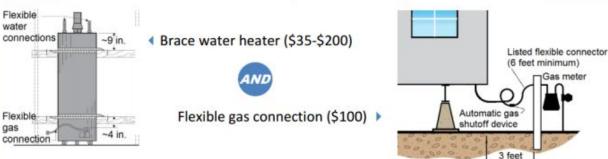


Port of Brookings, Ore., following wave surges from the March 11, 2011 tsunami off the coast of Japan. Photo: Jamie Francis/The Oregonian



Marina damage near Chetco River, Ore., following wave surges from the March 11, 2011 tsunami off the coast of Japan. Photo: U.S. Coast Guard

Reduce or prevent collapse Perimeter Wall and Footing Good: Earthquake Resistant Better: Engineered Tie-down Best: Reinforced concrete or Bracing System (ERBS) System (ETS) reinforced masonry foundation \$3,000-\$5,000 \$1,000-\$2,000 \$5,000-\$50,000 Reduce or prevent fire



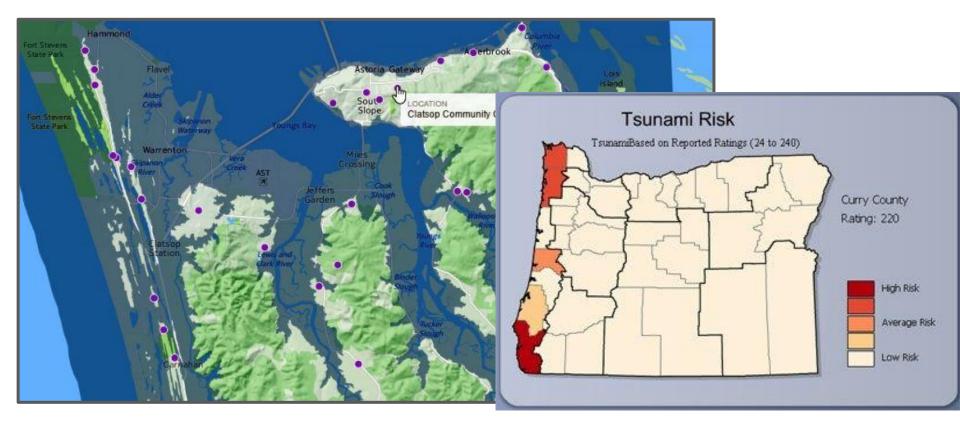
Additional Items to Consider Adding to an Emergency Supply Kit:

- Prescription medications and glasses
- Infant formula and diapers
- Pet food and extra water for your pet
- Important family documents such as copies of insurance policies, identification and bank account records in a waterproof, portable container
- Cash or traveler's checks and change
- Emergency reference material such as a first aid book or information from www.ready.gov
- Sleeping bag or warm blanket for each person. Consider additional bedding if you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Complete change of clothing including a long sleeved shirt, long pants and sturdy shoes. Consider additional clothing if you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Household chlorine bleach and medicine dropper When diluted nine parts water to one part bleach, bleach can be used as a disinfectant. Or in an emergency, you can use it to treat water by using 16 drops of regular household liquid bleach per gallon of water. Do not use scented, color safe or bleaches with added cleaners.
- Fire Extinguisher
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Feminine supplies and personal hygiene items
- Mess kits, paper cups, plates and plastic utensils, paper towels
- Paper and pencil
- Books, games, puzzles or other activities for children

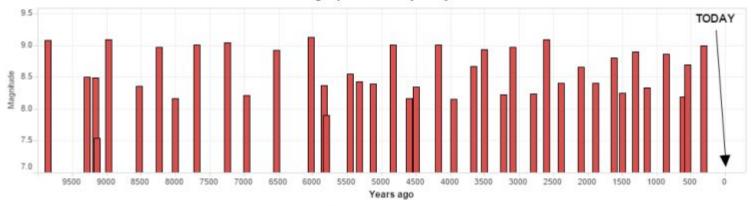
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Tsunami Risk: Mostly at the coast



Average quake is every 246 years



| Area of Operation | Injuries | | | Fatalities | | |
|-------------------|------------|---------|--------|------------|---------|---------------------|
| | Earthquake | Tsunami | Total | Earthquake | Tsunami | Total |
| Coastal | 5,000 | 1,500 | 5,500 | 300 | 4,500 | 4,800 |
| I-5 corridor | 9,000 | 0 | 9,000 | 400 | 0 | 400 |
| Oregon total | 14,000 | 1,500 | 15,500 | 700 | 4,500 | <mark>5,</mark> 200 |

Source: FEMA CSZ Response Plan (2013) and Wood - see Methodology section for more detail

Get Ready for the Big One You'll sleep better. Join the Hayden Island NET team. It's fun!

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