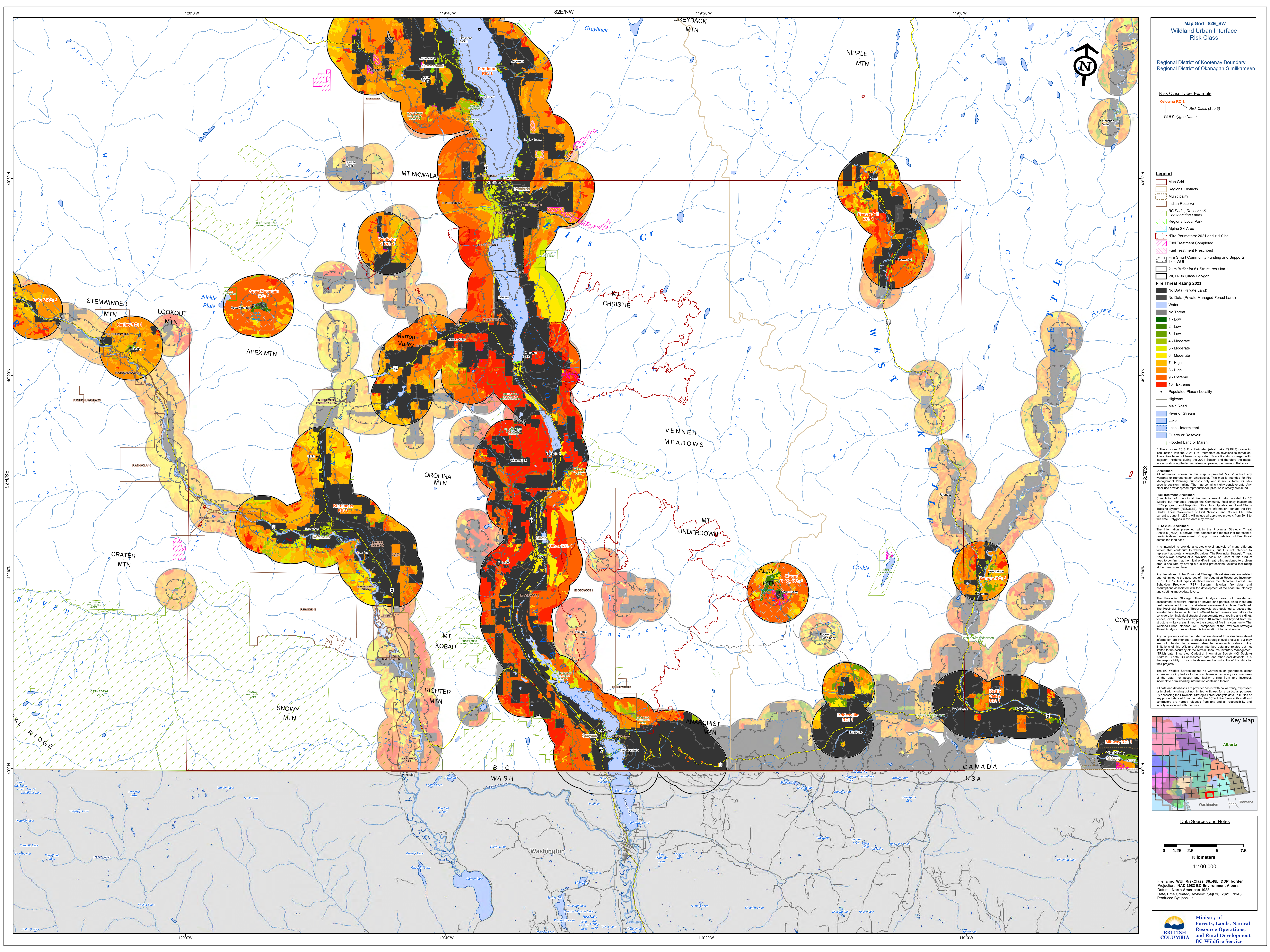




Map Grid - 82E_SW
Wildland Urban Interface
Risk Class

Regional District of Kootenay Boundary
Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen

Risk Class Label Example

Kelowna RC 1

Risk Class (1 to 5)

WUI Polygon Name

Legend

Map Grid

Regional District

Municipality

Indian Reserve

BC Parks, Reserves & Conservation Lands

Regional Local Park

Alpine Ski Area

*Fire Perimeters: 2021 and > 1.0 ha

Fuel Treatment Completed

Fuel Treatment Prescribed

Fire Smart Community Funding and Supports 1km WUI

2 km Buffer for 6+ Structures / km²

WUI Risk Class Polygon

Fire Threat Rating 2021

No Data (Private Land)

No Data (Private Managed Forest Land)

Water

No Threat

1 - Low

2 - Low

3 - Low

4 - Moderate

5 - Moderate

6 - Moderate

7 - High

8 - High

9 - Extreme

10 - Extreme

Populated Place / Locality

Highway

Main Road

River or Stream

Lake

Lake - Intermittent

Quarry or Reservoir

Flooded Land or Marsh

* There is one 2018 Fire Perimeter (Avalanche Lake R01947) drawn in conjunction with the 2021 Fire Perimeter as measures to threat on these fire have not been incorporated. Some fire starts merged with adjacent incidents during the 2021 Season and therefore the maps are only showing the largest all-encompassing perimeter in that area.

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Key Map

Alberta

Washington

Idaho

Montana

Data Sources and Notes

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