

# Rainy Season

## C H E C K L I S T

✓	General Property	Notes	Priority
<input type="checkbox"/>	Clean gutters and secure downspouts	Ensure that water doesn't collect around your	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Roof	Check for leaks; flashing	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Chimney	Clear any blockage	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Windows, doorframes & baseboards	Ensure they are sealed	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stock up on batteries & flashlights		High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Invest in a generator	In case of power outage	Med-Hi
<input type="checkbox"/>	Storm drains	Have checked/and/or contact if they are obstructed	Med-Hi
<input type="checkbox"/>	Prepare first aid kit		Med-Hi
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water	Have ample supply of clean drinking water	Med-Hi
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase battery operated radio	In case of power outage	Med-Hi
<input type="checkbox"/>	Have emergency phone numbers handy		Med-Hi
✓	Landscaping/Garden Check	Notes	Priority
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check retaining walls and fences	Critical if you live on a hillside	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Drainage	Make sure water can be diverted away from your house	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Property Drains	Check they are clear. Install one if you are at risk of	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Slopes	Gullying, surface cracks and slumping - can mean	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Get sandbags and plastic sheeting to	Place plastic sheeting on slopes, secure with sandbags	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cover bare ground with mulch	Mulch and planting groundcover will prevent mudflows	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Clear your yard of debris that isn't	Secure furniture, dispose of broken tree limbs, branches	Med-Hi
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✓	Trees – What Arborist checks	Notes	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Inspection for overall health	Plan for an inspection	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check any cracks in the trunk		High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dead wood		High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Trees with sudden lean		High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Trim branches	Ensure limbs are clear of your structure and power lines	High
<input type="checkbox"/>	Call PG&E - 800-743-5000	Inform them if tree limbs are too close to power lines	High

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