Shelter in Place or Evacuate?

- Is it a watch or an emergency?
- What is the severity & duration of the situation?
- Is it day or night?
- Do you have the potential to lose power?
- Do you have family members out in the community: day care, school, work?
- Do you have a way to communicate with others?
- Is English your first language?
- Do you have food and water for everyone for 3 days?
- Do you have medications for everyone for 3 days?
- Do you have your medical equipment, supplies, and assistive technology?
- Do you have first aid supplies?
- Do you have supplies for your service animal/pets?
- Do you have transportation?
- Do you have fuel?
- Do you have a place to stay: family or friends, hotel or public shelter?
- Do you have an emergency kit?
- Do you have cash available?
- Do you have all your important documents available?
- Do you know the evacuation routes?