# **EARTHQUAKE!**

#### "Duck, Cover and Hold On"

Check for damage, injury – broken glass, electricity? (Heavy shoes, flashlight by bed) If safe, go to your central meeting place to check in or use HELP/OK sign in window.

Do not attempt to leave your manor if not safe to do so.

Shelter in Place is recommended for all if possible. Do not try to leave Rossmoor. In case of fire in your home, call 911, grab your GO BAG and leave immediately.

Tune to KCBS am 740 for emergency alerts.

### Who is there to help?

Neighbors, Entry Coordinators and assistants, Securitas, CERT volunteers (Community Emergency Response Teams), Walnut Creek Police and Fire, American Red Cross; however, **all** will be overwhelmed in the event of a severe disaster.

You are On Your Own - YOYO

#### Some Do-Not-Do's

#### Do Not:

Go into a damaged building alone, Move an injured person,

Attempt CPR or first aid unless trained Go back into a burning building,

## **Emergency Supplies**

Food and water for 7 days Cash (small denominations)

(1 gallon per person/per day)

Radio and flashlights –battery, solar or crank Medications

Extra batteries Extra eyeglasses or hearing ads
First Aid kit Pet supplies and medications

Blankets Gloves

Propane stove & cooking equipment (optional) Whistle to signal for help

Dust Mask Moist wipes, garbage bags & ties

Can opener Change of clothing

# **Communication Tips in an Emergency**

Pre-designate an out-of-area contact person for all family to check-in with.

Text or land lines are most likely to work in an emergency – need a non-electric phone.

Keep devices charged and consider a solar charger to have at the ready.