

Cascadia Conservation District Resources for Wildfire Preparedness

Free Home Ignition Zone Assessments

Wondering what you can do to make your home more resistant to wildfire? Chelan Fire and Rescue and Cascadia have special training to assess your structure and defensible space. We will provide recommendations on how to make your structure and landscape more resistant to wildfire embers and safer for first responders.

Free Roving Chipper Program

Landowners reduce fuels on their property by cutting and pruning trees and brush, stack the material near a road and Cascadia will send a contractor to chip your material for free. Sign-ups required and open now.

http://cascadiacd.org/wildfire-preparedness_226.html

Free Brush Disposal Days at Chelan Transfer Station

MAY 3rd, 4th, 10th, and 11th

Free brush disposal at the Chelan Transfer station on the first two Fridays and Saturdays in May. Trees and brush up to 12" diameter and 8' long, pine needles and shrubs accepted. No rocks, plastic bags, grass clippings, root wads or weeds.

Firewise Community USA Program

Cascadia can provide guidance, presentations, and technical assistance to neighborhoods, communities, and HOAs interested in becoming a recognized Firewise Community. This is a free, voluntary program through the National Fire Protection Agency.

Cost-Share Assistance for Forest Landowners

Learn about programs available to forest landowners to help plan and pay for the cost of thinning your forest to reduce fire risk and improve forest health.

Resources for Fire Resistant Gardening and Landscaping and Urban Forestry

Stop by the Cascadia table for a copy of WSU Master Gardener's new guide to fire resistant landscaping specific to Chelan and Douglas counties. Also available on the WSU Master Gardener's website.

<https://extension.wsu.edu/chelan-douglas/gardening/mg/firewise-landscapes/>

Post-Fire Assessments

Free site visits for landowners following wildfires to provide technical assistance and guidance on erosion risks, flood risks, re-planting, hazard trees, seeding, fire line rehabilitation, salvage and more.

For more information on any of these programs visit our website, www.cascadiacd.org or contact Patrick Haggerty. patrickh@cascadiacd.org. 509-436-1601.



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