

Home & Property Wildfire Safety Maintenance

Access

Dates completed _____

Check frequently throughout the year.

- Address** is clearly readable with reflective 3" numbers in an obvious location.
- Driveway** is free of obstructions; at least 12' wide and with a 14' overhead clearance
- Access Roads** are free of obstructions; at least 12' wide and with a 14' overhead clearance

Structures

Dates completed _____

Check frequently, especially just before and during the fire season.

- Roof & Gutters** are clear of leaves, pine needles, branches and any other flammable materials
- Eaves** are clear of any branches hanging underneath or near them
- Chimney** has at least a 10' clearance from tree limbs or other flammable material
- Roof Openings** are screened with 1/8" wire mesh or otherwise protected
- Siding** has no holes or openings that have not been completely covered with non-combustible material or filled with 1/8" wire mesh screen, and is painted or treated to resist fire
- Decks** top and bottom, if not fully enclosed, are clear of any flammable materials such as brooms, stacked wood, ignitable patio furniture, dried plants, boxes, leaves, pine needles, branches, and any other flammable materials. All components of the deck are painted or treated to resist fire.

Property

Dates completed 10' Zone _____

Check frequently just before and during the fire season.

- 10' Zone** is clear of all leaves, pine needles, branches, wood tools, stacked wood and other flammables within 10' of your structures

Dates completed 30' Zone _____

Check throughout the year based on your landscaping.

- 30' Zone** is the green zone made up of non-flammable watered vegetation with proper spacing and other non flammable materials such as gravel or rock

Dates completed 100' Zone _____

The best time to approach this is November to February to avoid accidental fires caused by machinery or equipment and comply with environmental acts. Contact the Yankee Hill Fire Safe Council for resources regarding environmental responsibilities, codes and available assistance.

- 100' Zone** Brush has been thinned and removed from beneath trees. Trees have been limbed up to 1/3 of their crown height or 10' whichever is greater. All trees and shrubs have been spaced at least 10' apart from each other, measured at the widest part of the tree or shrub

Why 100' – It's the Law

California Public Resource Code section 4291 California Government Code section 51182