

# Trinity County Community Wildfire Protection Plan 2020 Update

## Big Bar, Big Flat, and Del Loma

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# Trinity County Fire Protection Planning

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- Trinity County Fire Safe Council
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# Trinity County Fire Safe Council

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Seeks to improve cooperation and coordination in all aspects of wildfire management in Trinity County.

**Next meeting –**  
October 24 at 1pm at  
the Trinity County RCD  
Conference Room



*Trinity County*  
**FIRE SAFE COUNCIL**



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# CWPP Achievements

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TCRCD has brought \$2.9 million of fuels related work to Trinity County over the last 5 years

- Federal funds, state funds, private money and the labor of citizens
- \$8.5 million over the last 20 years

Work implemented around every major Trinity County community



# Fire Related Information

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## Resources available

- Maps
- Fire Preparedness Brochures

## Online Resources

- [Fire.ca.gov](http://Fire.ca.gov)
- [Readyforwildfire.org](http://Readyforwildfire.org)
- [Tcrd.net/fsc/](http://Tcrd.net/fsc/)
- [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org)



# Community Wildfire Protection Plan Process

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1. Community Meetings
2. Prioritization Process and Mapping
3. Write the CWPP
4. Review
5. Finalize

# Community Wildfire Protection Projects

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## Overview of meeting process

- Mapping project priorities
- Identifying new assets at risk

## Types of projects that accomplish community protection objectives

- Defensible space – home ignition zone
- Shaded fuelbreaks – roads and ridges
- Strategic landscape thinning
- Prescribed fire
- Maintenance of fuels reduction treatments



Photo: 2015 CWPP Update Mapping Exercise

# Defensible space

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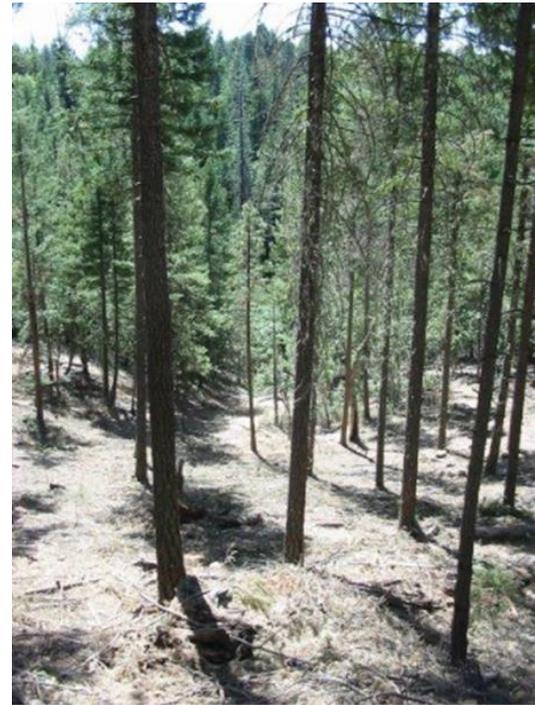
# Shaded Fuelbreaks

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BEFORE



AFTER



# Strategic Landscape Thinning

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BEFORE



AFTER



# Prescribed burning

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# Maintenance

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# How prepared is your community for a wildfire?

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1. DO YOU HAVE FUEL BREAKS AROUND THE COMMUNITY?
2. DO THE MAJORITY OF THE PROPERTIES MEET STATE CLEARANCE REGULATIONS?
3. DO YOU HAVE AN ALERT PLAN THAT DOES NOT NEED POWER?

# Rate your community from 1-5 for wildfire preparedness.

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1 LEAST PREPARED

5 MOST PREPARED

# Evening Stations Activity

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## **1. Neighborhood Groups**

## **2. You will travel around to the stations.**

- Mapping future fuel reduction projects.
- Mapping new water sources and values at risk.
- Enrollment in CodeRED and emergency preparedness.
- Local preparedness discussions with local VFD.

## **3. At the end, each participant will vote on the top 5 fuel reduction projects in order of importance established at this meeting.**

# Thank you! Questions?

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