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Residential Safety Checklist

Tips To Improve Family and Property Survival During A Wildland Fire

	Home	Yes	No	
1.	Does your home have a metal, composition, or tile (or other non-combustible) roof with capped ends and covered fascia?	О	0	
2.	Are the rain gutters and roof free of leaves, needles and branches?	0	0	
3.	Are all vent openings screened with $^{1}/_{8}$ inch (or smaller) mesh metal screen?	0	0	
4.	Are approved spark arrestors on chimneys?	0	0	
5.	Does the house have non-combustible siding material?	0	0	
6.	Are the eaves "boxed in" and the decks enclosed?	0	0	
7.	Are the windows made of at least double-paned or tempered glass?	0	0	
8.	Are the decks, porches and other similar areas made of non-combustible material and free of easily combustible material (e.g. plastic furniture)?	0	0	
9.	Is all firewood at least 30 feet from the house?	0	0	
	Defensible Space	Yes	No	
1.	Is dead vegetation cleared to the recommended defensible space area? (Consider adding distance due to slope of property.)	0	0	
2.	Is there separation between shrubs?	0	0	
3.	Are ladder fuels removed?	0	0	
4.	Is there a clean and green area extending at least 30 feet from the house?	0	0	
5.	Is there a non-combustible area within five feet of the house?	0	0	
6.	Is there separation between trees and crowns?	0	0	
	Emergency Access	Yes	No	
1.	Is the home address visible from the street?	О	О	
2.	Is the home address made of fire-resistant materials?	О	0	
3.	Are street signs present at every intersection leading to the house?	0	0	
4.	Are street signs made of fire-resistant materials?	\bigcirc	0	
5.	Is flammable vegetation within 10 feet of the driveway cleared and are overhanging obstructions removed?	0	0	
6.	If a long driveway is present, does it have a suitable turnaround area?	0	0	

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