



Eagle River Fire Protection District
1050 Edwards Village Blvd
Edwards, CO 81632
July 10, 2019
Tracy Erickson & Jessica Foulis
Homestead Community - Home Owners Association
400 Homestead Drive
Edwards, CO 81632

Dear Tracy Erickson & Jessica Foulis:

Based on the recent Wildfire Hazard Assessment that we conducted, we are recommending the following be done to reduce wildfire risk in and around the community of Homestead;

1. Cut tall grass to a minimum height of 6 inches up to and at least 30 feet out from structures, utility boxes and split rail fencing that are present in common areas.
2. Create areas below and around large vegetation (Spruce trees/bushes) that are free of vegetation to keep the risk of wildfire getting into larger fuel (vegetation) sources.
3. Remove any stressed, dying, or diseased trees and bushes that could be a fire hazard.
4. Have residents remove firewood away from wood porches and structures to a distance of at least 30 feet during summer and early fall.
5. Continue to promote homeowners creating defensible space around their homes.

The overall purpose of fuel reduction and creating defensible space is to maximize community safety.

We look forward to working with the community of Homestead to continue our collaborative efforts in creating a Firewise and Fire Adapted Community.

Sincerely,

Eagle River Fire Protection District