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Grand County Wildfire Council

Mitigation Successes

GCWC COMMUNITY CHIPPING DAYS

5 Days 281 attendees – 2x 2023! 545 acres – 30% Increase! 2,200 volunteer hours

GCWC HOME GCWC STRATEGIC FUELS COST HAZARD IGNITION ZONE SHARE COST SHARE REIMBURSEMENT

\$188,438 GCWC \$511,282 Match 30 recipients 396 acres mitigated

The Grand County Wildfire Council (GCWC) is a nonprofit collaborative engaging in wildfire prevention, preparedness, mitigation, and survival in Grand County, CO. From federal and state agencies to local governments, fire districts, HOAs, businesses and concerned citizens, our diverse group of individuals works hard to keep us on the

path to becoming a fire adapted community —

Fire Adapted Grand County.

GCWC 911 REFLECTIVE **ADDRESS SIGNS**

326 signs 1,951 since 2015 **GCWC TRAINING**

Community Mitigation Best Practices (COCO) Preparing Your Home for Wildfire Season (GCWC) Insurance in a Wildland Urban Interface (GCWC) Becoming Firewise (GCWC)

GCWC WILDFIRE EDUCATION

REIMBURSEMENT

\$48,440 GCWC

\$112,140 Match

34 recipients

36 acres mitigated

Ultimate Wildfire Guide 20 Events

600 Contacts—3x 2023!

Funding for Fire Restriction Pamphlets & Evacuation Magnets for Short Term Rental Units



Alpine Timbers Fairways at Pole Creek Gorewood Granby Ranch* Grand River Ranch Owners Association* Homestead Hills Mountain Shadow Estates Pole Creek Meadows Shores of Shadow Mountain Stagecoach Meadows Sunset Ridge Estates Ten Mile Creek The Reserve at Elkhorn Ridge The Valley at Winter Park Wildacres II* Winter Park Highlands

GCWC ROADS SAFETY PROJECT

92 Acres Treated 15 Miles of Road Reduced Risk in Grand Fire & Grand Lake Fire Districts along County Byways with Risk of Entrapment and Long Flame Length

GCWC COSWAP-DNR PROJECTS

181 Acres Mitigated in Granby Ranch and Winter Park Highlands, Granby area 20 Acres Mitigated in The Shores, Grand Lake area 5 Acres Mitigated in Homestead Hills, Granby area

GCWC ASSESSMENTS

115 Home Hazard Ignition Zone and Community Assessments

400 Drive by Parcel Level Assessments

FIRE DISTRICTS COMBINED

55 Home & Community Assessments 655 piles burned 2000 Drive By Parcel Level Assessments Many Home Inspection Insurance Letters Short Term Rental Education Distribution into Units Coordination with Firewise

Communities





*New for 2024





























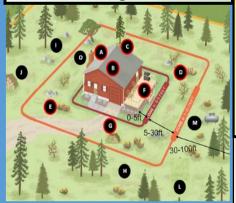
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2024

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Home Hazard Ignition Zones



2023-2024 PRIVATE LAND BURN SEASON (thru Grand County DNR)

407 Permits Issued 2,900 Piles Burned (reported) 2,400,000 Cubic Feet Burned (reported) Our successes represent work done by the Grand County Wildfire Council, Colorado State Forest Service - Granby Office (CSFS), USFS Arapaho Roosevelt National Forest - Sulphur Ranger District, USFS Medicine Bow National Forest, BLM - Kremmling Field Office, Grand County Natural Resources, Grand County Office of Emergency Management, our Firewise Communities, and our local fire districts including our Grand Wildland Fire Team.

COUNTY WIDE TRAINING

NWCG Basic Wildland Class NWCG Wildland Fire Behavior NWCG Wildland Squad Boss

FIRE RESTRICTIONS

GCWC worked to amplify Grand County's fire restrictions which included personalized visits to over 50 local businesses and increasing compliance through education.

ALL PARTNERS

Grand County Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP).

We are using the CWPP to show risk, apply for funds, and educate the community.

US FOREST SERVICE

Medicine Bow/ Routt-West Grand 2022-2024

3,000 Piles Burned on 75 acres
32 Machine Piles Burned on 254 acres
Fuels Reduction Planned on 3,000+ acres

Arapahoe Roosevelt-East Grand 2023-2024

Pile Burning on 261 acres with 600 labor hours
47 acres Overstory Removal & Clearcut with
Machine Piles with 3,948 labor hours

1,282 acres Reforested in East Troublesome Burn Scar with 237,440 Trees

167 Acres Reforested in Williams Fork Burn Scar with 44,045 Trees

Over 50,000 Trees to be Planted in 2025

Good Neighbor Agreement with CSFS

64 acres Clearcut with Machine & Hand Piles
21 Acres Mastication Fuels Mitigation

\$382,300 Estimated Dollar Value of Treatment (State
Funded) with 5,376 labor hours

CSFS PRIVATE LAND TREATMENTS

20 projects 522 acres mitigated 3 projects planned for 735 acres

GOOD NEIGHBOR AUTHORITY TREATMENTS

4 projects 282 acres mitigated

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

800 acres chemical noxious weeds treated 500 piles burned

























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