

HAZARD ABATEMENT

Pursuant to California Government Code 5175 and California Health and Safety Code 13108.5, the entire Town is declared to be a ***very high fire hazard severity zone***.

Keeping your home, family and property safe is of utmost importance to us all. The best way to protect yourself from dangers of wild fire is through hazard abatement. As such, the following safety precautions are *required:

- Cut and remove all grasses to a height of three (3) inches for at least 100' from any structure, or to your property line.
- Thin the majority of native brush to create small groupings of two to three plants at least ten (10) feet apart for at least 100' or to your property line.
- Remove tree limbs that are within eight (8) feet of the ground, or within ten (10) feet of a chimney or stovepipe.
- Clean roof and gutters of leaves, pine needles or other dead debris.
- Provide a ten (10) foot clearance around any propane tanks.
- Remove all debris created by this clearing.

Information on additional, recommended fire safety precautions is available at Fire Station One at 767 Birch Street and at Butte County Fire Safe Council at 5619 Black Olive.

*Public Resources Code Section 4291 and the Town of Paradise Municipal Code Chapter 8.50, Section 16