

Calaveras County Tree Mortality Removal Cost Share Program

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The Calaveras Foothills Fire Safe Council is a non-profit organization, who's mission is to create a more fire safe County through fuels reduction projects and education. The Tree Mortality Removal Cost Share Program creates assistance for homeowners to remove trees stricken by drought or pests. Funding has been provided through grants from the CALFIRE SRA Tree Mortality Fund Grant Program.



The Calaveras Foothills Fire Safe Council (CFFSC) is grateful for CALFIRE's generous contribution to this program. For more information on our Fire Safe Council please visit our website at www.calaverasfiresafecouncil.org

DO'S

- **After receiving an approval letter**, hire a licensed tree professional.
- Ensure that trees are within 200' of a habitable structure.
- Ensure trees are larger than 18" in diameter 54 inches from ground.
- Ensure that trees are dropped, limbed, and the slash chipped or removed. All material 6" or less in diameter must be chipped or removed.
- Maximum 6 trees at \$350 per tree will be reimbursed.
- Ensure that before and after pictures are taken of trees.
- Please mail this form via email or U.S. Mail.

DONT'S

- **Don't perform any work under this grant until you have received an approval letter. Any work performed before approval will not be subject to reimbursement.**
- Don't attempt tree work on your own unless you are a licensed tree professional.

STEP 1 OF 4

1. Complete this application form below.
2. With your application form provide pictures of your dead standing trees for which you are requesting cost share reimbursement.
3. Make every attempt to show residence proximity to these trees in your photos. (You may submit multiple photos)
4. Approved applicants will be notified with further instructions.

STEP 3 OF 4

Tree Information

Total number of trees (up to 6): _____
(Will not be reimbursed for trees in excess of amount listed)

Tree must be a minimum of 18" in diameter or 56" circumference at 54" above ground level.

STEP 2 OF 4

Name: _____
 Phone: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ Zip: _____
 Email: _____
 Nearest Cross Street: _____
 Assessor's Parcel Number: _____
 Driving Directions: Please details and or a map: _____

If this is not your primary mailing address, please provide it below.

STEP 4 OF 4

By signing below, I agree to the following terms and conditions:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I agree not to start work until approved in writing. 2. I agree to provide before work pictures with application. 3. I agree that the trees I am seeking cost share reimbursement for are situated on my property and are within 200' from a residence. 4. Trees must be a minimum of 18" diameter or 56" circumference at 54" above ground level. 5. Ensure that trees are dropped, limbed and all materials 6" or less must be chipped or removed. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. I understand that the trees applied for can not be eligible for C.D.A.A., S.R.A or PG&E Tree removal programs for can not be eligible for any other funding source. 6. I understand that I WILL NOT be called prior to a site visit. 7. Only Calaveras County Properties are eligible. 8. I agree that by not following ALL the instructions I will not be eligible for reimbursement. |
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Signature: _____ Date: _____

The CFFSC reserves the right to refuse service to anyone.