

Subject: Firewise – Dumpster Day Reminders

Dumpster Days are coming.... Be ready!

- Friday May 28 – 8 am to 3 pm
- Monday May 31 – 8 am to 3 pm
- Monday Sept 6 – 8 am to 3 pm

The snow is melting, temperatures are heating up and it's time to actively reduce wildfire risk in our community. Gather the needles, pinecones and dead wood. Remove that manzanita and let's fill those dumpsters in the Beach parking lot. A recent tour of the community shows many members have started their spring clean-up and piles are awaiting removal.



What's new this year? Bring your DPA membership photo ID. The board has asked that all members come to events and venues with IDs to validate membership. Firewise committee volunteers will be asking to see your DPA photo ID.

Data for Firewise Re-Certification: For each participant we will be noting name, address, lot number along with volunteer hours and/or expense dollars to clear defensible space around your home. This information is used for the Firewise USA re-certification.

Alternatives for members and non-members: Below are alternatives if members are unable to participate in DPA Dumpster Days. This is also how non-members can handle defensible space clean-up materials.

Tahoe Truckee Sierra Disposal (TTSD) has FREE green waste dump opportunities

- Pick up your **FREE** punch card (on your first visit):
 - Residents of Placer County only (bring proof and ID)
 - Dump up to 6 yards of green waste – for example, 1-2 yards per pickup load
 - **May 1st through October 31st**
 - Monday – Saturday 8am to 4pm
 - 900 Cabin Creek Rd., Truckee (off HW89)

TTSD Special event:

- Dump up to 3 yards of green waste for FREE
 - Residents of Placer County only (bring proof and ID)
 - **June 12th from 7:30am to 2pm**
 - At any one of the following locations:
 - ◇ Tahoe City – 925 Country Club Dr.
 - ◇ Homewood South Lodge – Tahoe Ski Bowl
 - ◇ Tahoe Vista – 875 National Ave.
 - ◇ Olympic Valley – District Service Offices

For more information call TTSD at 530-583-7800

Non-Member exception handling for DPA Dumpster Days: We will be inclusive, respectful and neighborly. DPA members make up the vast majority of the Dollar Point Community. If a non-member is asking for help removing wildfire fuel, we will support the non-member in the interest of community wide wildfire safety. Name and address will be noted. We expect very few exceptions for non-members based on last year's data – for 2020 Dumpster Days, all recorded participants were members. For exceptions, we will request a \$40 dollar donation. \$40 is close to the local dump fees and helps share the operational costs for the day.

Thank you in advance for supporting our Firewise Projects!

Stay safe and well,

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