

Local Firewise Cleanup: April 18-26, 2026

We need your help in preventing wildfire severity! The 2026 Firewise Residential Cleanup will occur April 18-26, 2026.

Please pile all pine needles and woody debris along your residential road in an area accessible to vehicles for the crew to pick up. **Park staff will begin hauling debris the week of April 27.**

You can make a difference!



Clear dead woody debris from around your residence, up to 30 ft.



Rake pine needles and leaves 3-5 ft from structures.



Move firewood away from contact with structures (more than 10 ft is recommended).



Please do not collect industrial lumber; this material will be left.

When removing ground fuel (small vegetation and pine needles) only focus on the area 5 feet around structures and propane tanks. If you would like to use yard/contractor bags, please only place small vegetation and needles (not rocks and soil) into the bags. Soil and rocks will be left on site.

If have any comments, questions or concerns please reach out to Michael Guarino: michael_guarino@nps.gov.

