

FIREWISE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Help Protect Our Community • Volunteer Opportunity

Be part of the team working to reduce wildfire risk and strengthen neighborhood safety in SaddleBrooke.

WHY FIREWISE MATTERS

Wildfire risk is a growing concern in Southern Arizona. The Firewise Advisory Committee brings residents together to promote proven practices that help protect homes, landscapes, and lives.



Committee members serve as community leaders and advocates for wildfire preparedness.

WHO SHOULD APPLY?

- Care about wildfire prevention, emergency preparedness, or community safety
- Communicate clearly and work well with others
- Are organized and dependable
- Enjoy collaborating with residents and local agencies

Eligibility:

- Full-time SaddleBrooke residents only
- Part-time and seasonal residents are not eligible

WHY VOLUNTEER?

- Make a real impact on community safety
- Help protect homes and property
- Strengthen emergency preparedness, partner with fire and safety professionals
- Contribute to long-term resilience in SaddleBrooke

WHAT YOU'LL DO

Community Education & Outreach

- Promote Firewise practices through workshops, newsletters, and events
- Answer resident questions about defensible space, vegetation management, and home hardening

Program Development & Oversight

- Help plan and implement Firewise initiatives
- Review and recommend updates to wildfire safety policies
- Support grant and funding opportunities

Collaboration

- Coordinate with local fire departments and emergency services
- Work with HOAs and advisory committees to align messaging and avoid duplication

Monitoring & Reporting

- Share progress with the community and the Board of Directors
- Help maintain Firewise USA® recognition

TIME COMMITMENT

Start-Up Phase

- 10–15 hours per month
- Outreach, planning, and program setup

Ongoing Phase

- 2–5 hours per month
- Regular committee responsibilities

Additional Expectations

- Attend monthly or quarterly meetings
- Participate in at least two Firewise events per year

To apply, please email

Administration@saddlebrooke.org

