

Oregon Forestland-Urban Interface Fire Protection Act (SB360)

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More than 30,000 property owners in Jackson and Josephine counties are required to take fuel-reduction measures around their homes, as required by Oregon Forestland-Urban Interface Fire Protection Act (SB 360). Most of the properties affected by the Act are located in urban fringe areas, and in residential areas out in the country. These are the areas where potentially destructive wildfires are most likely to occur.

The Fire Protection Act

The Fire Protection Act was written to mobilize the people who can make the most meaningful difference in reducing fire hazard on private property: the property owners themselves. The goal is to minimize fire danger in subdivisions and neighborhoods and make firefighting safer and more effective.

Wildfires in the 1980s and 1990s compelled the creation of the Oregon Forestland-Urban Interface Fire Protection Act. Dozens of homes burned in less than a decade, and thousands of residents were evacuated during seemingly relentless waves of destructive wildfires. The cost of these fires was growing steadily – in dollars spent on suppression, in dollars spent on rebuilding, and in timber losses. The Fire Protection Act was developed to mobilize landowners and minimize the impact of wildfire on communities.

The Act is focused on vegetative fuels reduction, the common element between feeding a fire and fire behavior. By encouraging property owners to reduce fuel on and around their homes, wildfires will be cooler, slower and more controllable.

Fuel Break Requirements

Fuel breaks are highly effective fire prevention for rural property owners. Firefighters are able to work safely and more effectively where structures and driveways are protected by fuel breaks that starve fires and keep them low to the ground.

A fuel break is an area with minimal material that would feed a fire and “ladder fuels” (low-hanging tree branches that help fire climb from the ground into tree crowns). The Act states ground cover will be “substantially” composed of fire-resistant or nonflammable plants or material. Ground cover can include green lawn, clover, succulents, asphalt, concrete, brick or bare soil

(beware of creating bare-soil areas that may invite invasive plants). Dry grass must be trimmed to a height of four inches or less, and grass cuttings, needles, leaves and twigs – must not create a “continuous fuel bed,” or an area where fire may travel unchecked. The fuel break can contain mature healthy trees and shrubs as long as they are not continuous.

Single ornamental plants or isolated groupings of shrubbery, native trees, or other plants may be retained if they are maintained in a green condition, are free of dead plant material, are free of ladder fuel and are located to discourage fire from spreading to adjacent vegetation. Large healthy trees may help shield the house from flying embers and fire brands, however species such as juniper and arborvitae are too much of a fire hazard.

A secondary fuel break may be required when the fire risk is greatest, such as where steep topography, conifer forest and flammable brush exist, or where a structure has flammable roofing (i.e., cedar shake). A secondary fuel break begins where the primary fuel break ends, and continues 20 to 70 feet. Secondary fuel breaks concentrate on thinning and ladder fuel removal, with less focus on ground fuels.

Other standards include removing branches within ten feet of a chimney or stovepipe that vents a wood-burning device, and removing all dead material from trees overhanging any roof. If there is a deck attached to a structure, all flammable materials must be removed, including needles, leaves, sticks and stored fire wood. Stored firewood or lumber must be kept at least 20 feet from any structure during fire season, or be fully enclosed.

Compliance & Certification

After fire-reduction requirements have been met, property owners need to send a certification form to the Oregon Department of Forestry. Property owners have the option to develop a site specific fire reduction plan if they are not able to conform to the standards. Certification may be done by the property owner and it requires no inspection by the Department of Forestry. Once certified, renewal isn't necessary for five years unless a property is sold or a structure is added to the property. Nearly 20,000 Josephine County Landowners received notifications and self-certification cards in November

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2008. Jackson County forestland-urban interface landowners will receive new certification cards in spring 2010. Recertification is required when the property changes hands or structures are added.

Property owners may also seek the professional assistance of an accredited assessor. An accredited assessor can evaluate a property, prescribe fuel modification standards, and sign the certification form. There are three types of accredited assessor. One is a private contractor who must be licensed with the Oregon Construction Contractors Board or with the Landscape Contractors Board, have two years of wildland fire suppression or fire prevention experience, and hold a letter of accreditation from the local Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) district forester. The second type of accredited assessor is an employee of a structural fire district. The third type is an employee of, or contractor for, a home owners or property owners association.

Cost Recovery & Liability

Certification relieves property owners from the liability of cost-recovery created in the Fire Protection Act. Cost recovery measures take effect on properties that are within a forestland-urban interface area and for which a certification form has not been received by the ODF. In these situations, the state of Oregon may, at its discretion, seek fire cost reimbursement from a property owner if a fire occurs on the property, and the state

spends more than routine fire-suppression costs. For example, if an air tanker is used to suppress a fire on forestland-urban interface property that is not certified, the property owner may be billed for the cost of the air tanker. Cost-recovery liability under the Fire Protection Act is capped at \$100,000.

Conclusion

Property owners in the forest-urban interface area are being asked to help protect their own land from destructive wildland fires by installing and maintaining fuel breaks. Individuals should recognize that by protecting their own land they are also improving the chances for their neighborhood to withstand damage in the event of a fire.

Oregon's Worst Wildland/Urban Interface Fires

Year	Fire name	Structures burned
1936	Bandon	484
1987	Bland Mountain	14
1990	Awbrey Hall	22
1994	Hull Mountain	44
1996	Skeleton	17
2002	Eyerly	37
2002	Biscuit	14

Who Decides What is Forestland-Urban Interface And What is Not?

Forestland-Urban Interface areas are identified on a county-by-county basis. A five-person committee is formed to comb through the maps of areas classified as "forestland," which is defined in Oregon law as "any woodland, brushland, timberland, grazing land or clearing that, during any time of the year, contains enough forest growth, slashing or vegetation to constitute ... a fire hazard, regardless of how the land is zoned or taxed." Forestland areas that meet the following criteria are candidates for inclusion within a forestland-urban interface area:

- The lands are within an ODF protection District
- The lands are zoned for residential development
- There are groups of structures in a minimum density of four structures per 40 acres

There are occasions when lands larger than 10 acres, with or without structures on it, and which are defined as rural, may get included in a forestland-urban interface area. These "included rural lands" are included

when they are sandwiched between subdivisions and neighborhoods that meet the fundamental forestland-urban interface identification criteria.

A county committee also assigns fire-risk classifications, ranging from "Low" to "Extreme," to each forestland-urban interface area. This classification is used in some situations to determine whether a secondary fuel break is necessary and how large it needs to be.

Where to Get More Information on the Oregon Forestland-Urban Interface Fire Protection Act Oregon Department of Forestry

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Open Burning

Open burning is tightly regulated in both Jackson and Josephine Counties. Many fire districts and cities require permits and limit the days you are allowed to burn. Please call your local Fire District or the appropriate phone number below to find out whether it is a burn day in your area, and what restrictions may apply:

Jackson County: 776-7007

Josephine County: 476-9663

NOTE: OPEN/BARREL BURNING IS PROHIBITED IN BOTH JACKSON and JOSEPHINE COUNTIES DURING FIRE SEASON.

Open and barrel burning contribute to air pollution in the Rogue Valley, particularly during air stagnation episodes. If you decide to burn, it's important to follow these guidelines:

Open/barrel burning is prohibited...

- Throughout Jackson County when the Ventilation Index (VI)* is below 400, or when other conditions exist that may lead to unfavorable burning conditions.
- Throughout the Rogue Basin Open Burn Control Area in Josephine County when the Ventilation Index (VI)* is below 400, or when other conditions exist that may lead to unfavorable burning conditions. Visit: www.co.josephine.or.us/Files/Burn_Control_Area_8x11.pdf for a map.
- Within the Air Quality Maintenance Area during November through February. To view a map of the AQMA: www.smartmap.org/files/pdfs/maps/aqma.pdf to view a map of the AQMA.
- Within many incorporated cities in both counties. Call your local fire district to find out if burning is prohibited in your city, or if you need to get a

special permit to burn.

*The VI is the National Weather Service's indicator of the relative degree of air circulation for a specified area and time period. Basically, it is a measurement of the air's ability to "clean" itself.

When open/barrel burning, please consider alternatives to open burning listed below:

Alternatives to Open Burning

Chip tree limbs and branches: Wood chips make a great landscape mulch material. Benefits include conserving soil moisture, reducing weeds, and cooling the soil. While wood chips make great pathways, remember they are a source of fuel for fire so intersperse with rock, pavers or gravel.

Compost leaves: Leaves are excellent for composting! If you don't want to compost, but have leaves, sign up with the Leaf Exchange. The Leaf Exchange Program serves to connect people who want leaves for composting with people who need to get rid of leaves. Go to Jackson County Recycling Partnership for more information on composting.

Biomass Recycling Companies: Many companies throughout our region now accept woody debris and wood waste for recycling. Biomass One in White City, for example, uses the wood waste as primary fuel to generate electricity. Other companies mix yard debris and clippings with bio-solids to produce compost. More and more options for woody waste recycling are becoming available. Check your phone book for a company in your area, or visit the air quality page on your county's website.

Jackson County Fire Safety Standards For New Development

All new structures proposed for construction within Jackson County's "Hazardous Wildfire Area" are subject to certain standards which will help increase the chance of survival during a wildfire event. Areas within the County that are subject to these standards generally have slopes and/or vegetation types conducive to wildfire hazard. To see if your home or proposed project is within the Wildfire Area, view the map on the County GIS department's website at www.smartmap.org.

All structures that require building permits within the mapped area are required to develop fuel breaks around the structure, have non-flammable roofing material, and driveway access that will accommodate large fire appa-

ratus (see the checklist in the sidebar for more detail on these requirements). You can also view the entire Land Development Ordinance at www.jacksoncounty.org. The Wildfire Safety standards are located in Chapter 8.7, and Emergency Vehicle Access is 9.5.4. Click on "Wildfire Safety" for a direct link to these chapters. Please be aware that the standards are subject to change, and it is highly recommended that you contact the Planning Department for the most current requirements. You can also visit the Planning Department for more information on any of these issues if you do not have computer access.

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FIRE SAFETY INSPECTION CHECKLIST:

ADDRESS SIGNS:

- Address signs are installed at the driveway entrance (visible from both directions) and at all forks in the drive, with directional arrows as needed

DRIVEWAY STANDARDS:

- Driveway is within 50' of all habitable structures; within 150' of outbuildings
- Driveway is minimum 12' wide, or 14' wide on curves with a radius less than 150'
- Vegetation is cleared to a height of 13 ½' and width of 14' along entire driveway
- Driveway is designed for a 50,000 pound load, or has at least 6" of base rock
- Maximum grade of drive is 15%
- Driveway curves have a minimum radius of 40'
- Driveway has turnaround within 150' of structure, and every one half mile along drive.
- Turnouts are provided every 800' and are 50' long, 7' wide, and have 25' tapers
- Gates are a minimum 14' wide,
- Bridges have driving surfaces that are a minimum 8-1/2' wide, and 14' clear minimum width above the surface of the bridge
- Culverts are at least 18' long, and extend beyond the toe of fill
- Bridges and culverts are designed to have a 50,000 pound load capacity
- Fuel breaks, constructed to the standards below, are constructed 15' from the edge, along both sides of the driveway

A FUEL BREAK, measured from the outermost projection of the structure (including decks and overhangs) is developed around all sides of the building. The fuel break must be 100', but if slopes on the site are greater than 20%, an additional 50' is required on the downhill and both sides of structure:

- Dead plant material is removed, including dead branches on living trees, and fallen dead vegetation that isn't significantly decomposed
- Branches of deciduous trees are a minimum of 10' from the roof, evergreen branches a minimum of 25'; branches within 10' of stove pipe or chimney outlets are removed
- Vegetation is thinned to remove "ladder fuels" and to break up continuous vegetation, trees are limbed up to a height of 10' or one-third the height of the tree
- No juniper or other highly combustible shrubbery is present
- Firewood piles are at least 30' from all structures
- Grass is kept to a height of less than 6"

BUILDING MATERIALS: Plans for proposed structures will be checked for roof material (must be Class A or B, and no wood roofing is allowed) and spark arresters.

Josephine County Fire Safety Information

You are at risk!

Josephine County wildlands burn. Trees, brush and grass are fuel for wildfire. The structures you build in the county are also fuel for wildfires. The provisions of Article 76 of the land use code will reduce the risk of your structure burning in a wildfire.

Your first step is to visit your **fire service provider** which may be an established fire district or a private fire service. They need to know that you are there in order to be able to provide emergency services. They are also an excellent source of information on how to reduce the risk of wildfire burning your property.

You need to place clearly visible **address signs** where your driveway leaves the main road & at every intersection thereafter. Firefighters and emergency medical personnel can't help you if they can't find you. Finding your property fast and putting out a fire early is the best chance of saving your life and property in the event of a fire.

Your **driveway** including bridges & culverts must be built to carry heavy fire equipment. If your driveway is too steep or poorly surfaced, fire equipment may not be able to reach your home. Gates must be wide enough to allow passage of fire equipment. Turnouts along long driveways will allow fire equipment to reach your home while your family is escaping a fire. Vehicle turnaround

areas near your home allow fire equipment to maneuver safely and allow firefighters to exit if the fire becomes too intense.

You can reduce the risk of your home becoming fuel for a wildfire by reducing the existing fuel (trees, brush and grass) around your home. A **fire safety zone** (fuel-break), an area where flammable vegetation is selectively removed, will slow down a wildfire's approach and reduce its intensity. Fire equipment can't always access your home during wildfires. Having a home that can survive a wildfire on its own will allow firefighters to fight the fire. If the fire equipment is available and can access your property, a fire safety zone provides firefighters an area to work safely. The fire safety zone will also help prevent a structure fire on your property from starting a wildland fire.

Construction materials can also reduce the chance of your home becoming fuel for a wildfire. Burning embers from wildfires can be blown a mile ahead of the fire. Wood roofing is easily ignited by embers and is often the cause of ignition during wildfires. For this reason, all roofing material must have fire rating class A or B (no wood roofing is allowed) and all chimneys must have spark arresters.

***Find more fire safety information at:
www.co.josephine.or.us/files/art_76_final_version.pdf
www.firewise.org***

Josephine County Land Use Code Article 76 – Wildfire and Emergency Service Safety Standards Self-Certification Checklist

Directions: Check all applicable safety standards or place “NA” (not applicable) in the space provided. All owners of record must certify compliance by signing this form and returning it to the Planning Office. A Certificate of Occupancy for your dwelling will then be issued by the Building Safety Department.

Type of Dwelling:

1. ___ New Dwelling (check all safety standards or an “NA” if not applicable).
2. ___ Relocated or Replacement Dwelling (check safety standards #24 through #37 only).
3. ___ Improvement to an Existing Dwelling (check safety standards #27 through #30 and #36 & #37 only).

Access:

4. ___ Driveway development that disturbed areas with slopes at or above 15% or in granitic soils meet an approved erosion control plan prepared by a registered engineer.
5. ___ The driveway is developed to within 50' of all habitable structures and 150' of non-habitable structures.
6. ___ The driveway is at least 12' wide in straight sections and at least 14' wide in all curves that have a centerline radius at any point less than 150'.
7. ___ Driveway curves have a minimum curve radius of 48'.
8. ___ The driveway approach has an inner radius of 20' or more in both directions.
9. ___ No portion of the driveway has grades that exceed 15%, except where grades increase to 18% for intervals of not more than 100' and there are no more than three 100' sections in excess of 15% per 1,000' of driveway.
10. ___ All driveway curves have a centerline radius of less than 150' and do not exceed a 15% grade.
11. ___ Any change in the driveway grade does not exceed 1% in 3'.
12. ___ The driveway over the entire length and width is clear and will be kept clear of obstructions for a minimum vertical distance of 13.5'.
13. ___ A strip at least 2' wide along both sides of the driveway is and will be kept clear of obstructions that are more than 6" in height.
14. ___ Driveways on slopes below 15% are constructed with a base course of 6"- 8" of pit run rock, and a leveling course of 2" - 3" of 3/4" minus angular gravel, and compacted by proof-rolling the rocked and graveled courses with a fully loaded 10 cubic yard dump truck or other vehicle with equivalent weight; or constructed to standards specified by a registered engineer certifying that the surface, as built, will support 50,000 pounds, provide adequate drainage and traction and prevent significant degradation or deterioration as a result of rain or freezing and thawing.
15. ___ Driveways on slopes 15% or greater are constructed to standards specified by a registered engineer certifying that the surface, as built, will support 50,000, pounds, provide adequate drainage and traction and prevent significant degradation or deterioration as a result of rain or freezing and thawing.
16. ___ Driveway transitions from dirt, rock or gravel to a hardened surface have a hardened surface extended 25' beyond the change in slope to minimize dig outs and other deterioration of the surface.

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17. ___ Driveway structures or fills and culverts crossing live streams, ravines, gullies, irrigation ditches and similar features have the same width as the width required for the driveway.
18. ___ All bridges are certified by a registered engineer as being capable of supporting at least 50,000 pounds.
19. ___ All culverts are a minimum of 12" in diameter and carry an American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) HS-20 Loading rating.
20. ___ Driveways leading to water sources used for fire suppression terminate in a turnaround that is surfaced consistent with the surface requirements for the driveway and have a minimum inner radius of 27' and a minimum outer radius of 42'.
21. ___ Driveways in excess of 600' have vehicle turnouts immediately adjacent to the driveway that are 12' wide by 25' long at a maximum spacing of every 400' and surfaced with the same surface as the driveway.
22. ___ Gates are set back at least 30' from a public road or highway and have a clear opening of at least 12' on straight stretches or 14' on curves.
23. ___ Driveways will be maintained to the above standards for accessibility and protection of fire fighters and other emergency personnel.

Signs:

24. ___ Address and direction signs with numbers or letters at least 3 inches high of light reflective material are permanently posted and will be maintained at driveway entrances, at any intersections, and to the location of any water sources used for fire suppression so that they clearly and effectively direct approaching emergency vehicles.

Slopes:

25. ___ Home sites on slopes above 40% have been developed only after the disturbance or alteration was authorized by the requirements for Modification of Standards contained in Article 76.090 of the RLDC.

Construction Materials:

26. ___ Roofing materials are Fire Rating Class A or B.
27. ___ Chimneys and stovepipes are capped with a spark arrester
28. ___ Areas under porches, decks and balconies 3' or less above the ground are enclosed with 1/4" or smaller, non-combustible, corrosion resistant metal mesh.
29. ___ Areas under decks, porches, etc. greater than 3' above the ground are free of combustible materials.
30. ___ Attic openings, soffit vents, foundation louvers and vents and other direct openings in outside walls, overhangs and roofs are no larger than 144 square inches and are covered with 1/4" noncombustible, corrosion resistant metal mesh.

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Fire Safety Zones (fuel breaks):

31. ___ A primary fire safety zone is in place for a distance of 50' in all directions from the dwelling.
32. ___ Ground cover in the primary safety zone consists of asphalt, bare soil, concrete, rock or other nonflammable material; or dead grass cut to 4" or less, leaves, needles, twigs and other similar flammable materials, provided such materials are at least 4' away from structures; or an area of low growing vegetation species such as green grass, ivy, succulents and other similar species in a green condition and substantially free of dead plant material; and single specimens or isolated groupings of native trees and shrubs, and fire resistant ornamental trees, shrubs and other plants, in a green condition and substantially free of dead plant material and pruned and maintained so that crowns are separated by a distance of 15' and limbs below 8' in height are removed. (Live fruit trees are exempt from crown separation distances and limb height above the ground.)
33. ___ Vegetation is pruned and maintained so that no limbs touch a structure, or overhang a roof or are within 15' of a chimney or stovepipe.
34. ___ Open firewood storage is at least 30' from all structures.
35. ___ A secondary fire safety zone is in place around the primary fire safety zones for an additional 50' in all directions. On sites on which the slope abutting any structure exceeds 20%, the secondary fire safety zones extend an additional 50' in all directions. Trees within the secondary safety zone are pruned and maintained so that a distance of 15' separates trunks and any branches below 8' in height are removed. Live fruit trees are not required to meet these spacing and limbing requirements. Under the remaining trees, small trees, brush, dead vegetation and other debris have been removed.

Fire Service Protection:

36. ___ In a Fire District: ___ Applegate, ___ Illinois Valley, ___ Williams, or ___ Wolf Creek.
37. ___ Have a Fire Service Contract with: ___ Grants Pass Rural Fire Department ___ Rural Metro Fire Department. ___ Other private provider

By signing this document I(we) certify the above standards have been performed.

Property owner(s) Signature(s) _____ Date _____

_____ Date _____

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4 - M Forest Products & Services		✓				✓	✓	Herbicide application; road construction; tree planting; clearing
A & P Logging	✓							
A Thru Z Land Improvements & More		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	Hand brushing; tree thinning; removals and trimming; chipping; slash burning and piling; hazard trees; defensible space
A to Z Tree Service, Inc.	✓	✓	✓		✓			
ABC Tree Service Plus			✓					
Abraham Contracting, Inc.						✓	✓	Slash piling; thinning; chipping; prescribed burning
ATC Logging			✓					
Victor A. Ayala						✓	✓	Mechanized brush cutting of all brush and small diameter ladder fuel trees
Barnes & Associates, Inc.	✓							
Beaver Creek Consulting, Inc.	✓		✓				✓	
Ben Watts			✓					
Britannia Enterprises, Inc.		✓						

FORESTRY STEWARDSHIP SERVICES	SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT	DISPOSAL OF MATERIALS	CERTIFICATION & COMMENTS	COUNTIES WHERE SERVICES ARE OFFERED
	Flail chopper/cleaver	Hog chips; clean chips; logs, posts or poles; firewood; chip on-site	Licensed to spray all chemicals	Statewide
Hazard trees; pruning; tree planting and trimming	Stump grinder	Hauled off; firewood; chip on-site; burned in piles	Insured; bonded; Lic # 156237; clearing; thinning; fire hazard safety; tree and stump removal	Josephine, Douglas
			Arborist; Bonded; Insured; License # 157014	
Tree planting; thinning	Water tender trucks (contract engines); chippers	Sell poles; sell/donate wood chips	Farm/Forest Labor Contractor (20+ years licensed); National Wildfire Suppression Assoc.; wildland firefighting certification; SB360 assessor training	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
	12' long Cat with rubber tracks and carbide teeth masticator (highly maneuverable)	Masticate all material on-site, inhibiting regrowth of unwanted brush and leaving no brush stamps	Certified wildland firefighter; 25 years on-job training in woods of thinning and brush cutting	Jackson, Josephine
Writing Forest Stewardship plans; preparing and managing timber sales (getting bids, marketing, accountability administration); management of reforestation projects; timber cruising and timber appraisal services; GIS analysis and mapping; watershed analysis; forest inventory and NEPA			Key staff have Bachelor's degrees in Forest Management; two are Certified Foresters according to Soc. of American Foresters; member of Assoc. of Consulting Foresters of America	
	rent or sub-contract when necessary		BONDED, California Registered Professional Forester #2450, Oregon Construction Contractor #134846	

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C.C. Patterson & Assoc.	✓							
Covered Bridge Construction		✓	✓					
Cowboy Solutions		✓				✓	✓	Brushing; defensible space; chipping; slash piling; burning
Cromen Corp.			✓					
Dake Forest Management	✓					✓	✓	
Dan Merrill Logging	✓							
Dennis Page Forestry LLC	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	Slash piling; burning; thinning; chipping
Don Billings			✓					
Don Hamann Inc.			✓			✓	✓	Mechanized; specialize in utilization
Eagle Pass Reforestation		✓						
Edward Pariera Logging			✓				✓	
Equine Engery Horse Logging			✓					
Eric's Tree Service		✓	✓			✓		Chipping; slash piling; burning; thinning
Estremado & Estremado Logging Inc.			✓					
FLC & 7ET Logging			✓					

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Mapping; Remote Sensing; Geographic Information Systems (GIS); Stewardship and restoration planning support	GPS software; map production; aerial photography; terrain analysis; LIDAR data analysis		American Soc. of Photogrammetry & Remote Sensing; Expertise in GIS and remote sensing	Jackson, Josephine
Hazard trees; pruning; tree planting		Firewood; chip on-site	Specialize in residential fire hazard reduction treatment to bring properties into compliance with SB360	
Forest management plans for stewardship; timber cruising; coordination of reforestation projects, timber stand improvement and fuels reduction for small woodland owners			Certified tree farm inspector; real estate broker specializing in the sale of land and conservation property; timber harvest administration	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Klamath
Hazard trees; tree trimming	Chipper	Chip; burn; firewood; posts and poles	Certification - Forest Lic. #9660; Contractor Lic. - 174132; Hazard tree faller; Bonded, certified, insured with BOLI	Jackson, Josephine
Have completed stewardship contracting w/ BLM on Federal lands	LGP harvesters; forwarders; skidders; big and little chippers; loaders; trucks; dozers	Alternative fuels	Forest/Farm contractors license; A.O. L. professional logger; American Tree Farm; OSWA member	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
			Logging	
	Chipper; dump truck	Chip on-site (leave chips on-site or haul away for free give-away); wood not chipped taken to a biomass location	Certified Arborist; Licensed; Bonded; Insured, plus carry worker's comp	Jackson, Josephine
			Independent contractor; Oregon certified logger	

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Forest & Resource Consulting	✓							
Forest Management Consultant	✓							
Forestry Action Committee		✓						
Genetechs	✓							
Greg Stout Logging	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Slash piling; burning; thinning; mechanized brushing; chipping
Hanscom Bros. Inc.			✓					
Hernandez Reforestation		✓					✓	Thinning; brush cutting; hand piling
Hi Desert Timber Service	✓							
High Country Restoration		✓	✓		✓	✓		Thinning; lop and scatter; slash piling; burning; chipping
Hilltop Logging Inc.			✓					
Integrated Resource Management	✓					✓	✓	Mechanized
J.O. International Reforestation, Inc		✓				✓	✓	Thinning; slash piling; slash removal; pruning; defensible space; fuel reduction; hazard trees; chipping; controlled burning
J.W. Blumenfeld Logging		✓	✓			✓	✓	Slash piling; thinning; mechanized brushing; chipping

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Stewardship planning and implementation; harvest planning & administration; timber cruising and inventory; silviculture prescriptions; timber appraisals; project coordination for riparian restoration & pre-commercial thinning & tree planting; growth modeling	GPS data collection and GIS Products		BS Michigan State University; 25 years federal Forest experience; 10 years private consulting experience	
			Association of Consulting Foresters of America; web page searches can be made to locate ACF Foresters; www.acf-foresters.com	
Harvest plans; written plans for ODF; burn and burn restoration	Small log harvester; chipper; slash buster; Cat w/ brush rake; excavator w/ brush grapple	We blanket all counties for hog fuel, chips, log posts and poles; firewood; chip on-site	Forester	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Will provide tree planting and post-burn restoration as sub-contractor under an overall stewardship plan	Small tractor with grapple (to move small to medium woody material)		Farm/Forest Contractor Certificate (US Dept. of Labor); State of Oregon Farm/Forest Labor Contractor License	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Klamath
Forest plans; tree planting	650g dozer	Logs; firewood; self-loader	Contractor	Jackson, Josephine
Stewardship plans; oak restoration plans; logging supervision	Rubber tracked Crawler with Fecon Bullhog masticating head		FSC certified; commercial pesticide license; see www.irmforestry.com	All state
Tree planting; micro-site planting, paper mulch; burn restoration	Chipper; climbing equip.& trained climbers; water truck; trained firefighting crew	Chip on-site; pile & burn or remove to Biomass	Bi-lingual (English/Spanish); Wildland firefighting certified; Bureau of Labor & Industries Farm/Forest Contractors Lic.; Migrant seasonal license; first aid and CPR	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
	Cat; skidder; excavation; log loader	Logs; chips	Certified with Oregon Professional Logger Program	Jackson, Josephine; Douglas

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Jeff Dean's Tree Service Inc.		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
John R. Wood Trucking			✓		✓			Brushing; slash piling; defensible space
Kevin Schubert		✓						
Knight Forest Management & Logging	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	Mechanized; brushing; chipping; slash piling; slash removal; burning; defensible space
Land & Water Environmental Services LLC	✓							
Len Woody Contracting	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Littlefield, Bill			✓			✓		
Lomakatsi Ecological Services, Inc.	✓	✓				✓	✓	Ecologically-based fuels reduction approaches and treatments. Manual thinning; pruning; hand piling and burning; swamper burning; prescribed fire applications and chipping; defensible space and landscape treatments; strategic fuels planning and implementation

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		Hog chips; clean chips; logs; posts or poles; firewood; chip on-site and take to Bio-mass	CCB#182223	Jackson, Josephine
Fertilization; habitat improvement; hazard trees; herbicide application; pruning; road construction and maintenance; stream restoration; tree planting	Cat, all up to D8; hog loader shovel front; backhoe-225- cat; Case 590 4x4	hog chips; peelers; chip on-site		
			Specializing in remote sites, camp on-site	
Fertilization; habitat improvement; hazard trees; herbicide application; pruning; road construction and maintenance; stream restoration; tree planting	Skidder; dozer; self-loader	Firewood; burning	#8585; Farm and Forest Labor Contractor number 9307	
Forest stewardship services			Also perform wetland delineations; permit applications to DSL and Corps of Engineers; mitigation planning	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
	Chainsaws; dozers; backhoes; dump truck; fire truck (tender); water truck		Associated Oregon Logger; Construction contractors license; CDL; fire fighting certification; professional logger; licensed and insured	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
	D-4 Cat with brush rake		CCB# 122532; Logging; Sewer systems; Road building and excavation	Jackson, Josephine
Treatments are designed to enhance forest health resiliency and diversity while extracting timber as the by-product of restoration work. Forest Stewardship Management Plans; prescription design; harvest planning and layout; GIS/GPS mapping; botanical inventories; stand exams; timber cruising and appraisal; ecological services (stream and riparian restoration, aquatic habitat improvement, tree planting and erosion control fire rehabilitation)	Access to and in possession of a wide diversity of innovative equipment of varying sizes including small log harvesters, chippers	Established local and regional markets for small diameter logs; post and pole; biomass; chips; value added forest products	Specializing in a holistic ecological restoration forestry approach to land care. Forest Farm Labor Contractor License #12065; member of GIS Users Group; NWOG Wildland Fire Fighter and Prescribed Fire Certifications; Member of National Network of Forest Practitioners; specialized training in restoration forestry	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas

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Mark Harris		✓					✓	Brushing; slash piling
Michael Maas Organic Forestry Services		✓	✓	✓			✓	Brushing; chipping; slash piling; burning; defensible space
Mike Bartlett Tree Service				✓		✓	✓	Chipping; thinning
Mike Wonslyd Logging			✓		✓			Slash piling
MSM Forestry, LLC	✓						✓	
Northwest Timber Fallers, Inc.			✓			✓	✓	Thinning, chipping, piling, hazard tree removal, brush cutting
NW Forest Resources Management	✓							

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Burn restoration; habitat improvement; pruning; stream restoration; tree planting		Firewood	Lic. #8887; Plant identification and inventory	
Habitat improvement; pruning; tree planting	Portable sawmill	Chip on-site, broadcast, chip removal		
Habitat/wildlife enhancements; tree planting	Portable sawmill; bucket trucks; crane; stump grinder; chippers; dump trailers; saws, root fertilization machine		Certified arborists on staff; professional pruning; hazard tree removals; consultations; tree preservation plans; cabling; stump grinding; deep root fertilization; stem injections for pests; tree planting	Jackson, Josephine
		Firewood		Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Forest Inventory/mapping; Plantation establishment; Noxious weed control			Commercial Pesticide Operator; Commercial Pesticide Applicator; Oregon Small Woodlands Assoc.; Soc. American Foresters	Jackson
Hazard tree removal	Professional timber fallers	In past have done mastication and chip; however, we would utilize the most sustainable method as feasible if a different method were desired	SBA 8(a) Hub zone, Woman owned; bonded	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Forest stewardship plans' stocking surveys; forest development; contract development and admin.; forest land assessments			Soc. of American Foresters	

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O. L. Yawn Trucking			✓		✓	✓	✓	
Oakleaf Grading and Milling			✓	✓			✓	
Out of the Woods Eco-Forestry, Inc.	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	Thinning; burning; chipping
Pacific Oasis	✓	✓					✓	Brushing; chipping; slash piling; burning; defensible space
Pacific Slope Tree Co		✓	✓	✓				
Paul & Robert Wampler, Inc.			✓					
Plumley, Inc.			✓					
Progressive Restoration Stream and Upland Revegetation		✓						
Prompt Logging	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	Slash piling; burning; thinning; mechanized brushing; chipping
R&S Trucking			✓		✓			
Robert Nolan Logging			✓					
Roger's Tree Service		✓	✓			✓	✓	Chipping
Rogue Associates	✓							
Ron Wilson's Machine Brush and Tree Mulching						✓	✓	Mechanized brushing with T-300 Bobcat; blackberry and up to 8" trees; rubber truck; eco-friendly

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Logging; thinning; roads	Sawmill; chipper			
	Portable sawmill; Track loader; Mini-excavator; Small grader	Firewood; Lumber	CCB# 154115	Jackson, Josephine
Forest Stewardship planning; harvest planning; inventories; tree planting; burn restoration	Portable mill; portable pole peeler; long line chute system	Peel and sell poles; process and sell firewood; dry kiln; shaper moulded planer	Forest Farm Laborers Contractors License; property management; 20+ years experience	Jackson, Josephine
Burn restoration; fertilization; habitat improvement; hazard trees; herbicide application; pruning; stream restoration; tree planting	4x4 tractor loader; chipper	Firewood	Bonded; Oregon Farm Forest Labor contractor; plantation management; Federal MSPA Redi; NWSA National Wildfire Suppression Association; Wildland Fire Fighters Association; Reforestation Contractors Association	
			Contractor #106737	
Stream and riparian restoration services; removal of non-native plant species (e.g., blackberry); soil compaction remediation; provides personnel to plant and maintain sites	Mini-excavator			
Forest stewardship plans; harvest planning; inventories; tree planting; burn restoration	Small log harvester, chipper; GPS data collection; slash buster	Hog chips; clean chips; logs; posts; poles; firewood; chip on-site	Licensed; bonded; many references; logging in Oregon since 1891; same telephone since 1966	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
	Chipper; bucket truck; chip truck			
Forest Incentive Program plans; habitat improvement				
				Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Klamath, Curry

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Russell Frink			✓		✓			
RW Jacks Logging & Road Building			✓					
Seekel's Tractor Service						✓	✓	Defensible space;, weed abatement; firebreaks
Siskiyou Woodland Community	✓							
Small Woodland Services Inc.	✓	✓				✓	✓	Slash piling; burning; thinning; mechanized brushing; chipping
Strata Forestry Inc.		✓						
Stuntzner Engineering & Forestry, LLC	✓						✓	
Summit Wood Products			✓		✓	✓	✓	Small diameter thinning
Swanson Group Road Construction								
The Brush Buster						✓		Mechanized; Brushing
Timberland Logging			✓			✓		Mechanized brushing; chipping
Tom Brooks Trucking		✓	✓			✓	✓	Chainsaws; hand pile; Pole saw; brushing tools; burn slash; biomass

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			Firebrakes, free estimates; weed abatement	
Forest stewardship plans; harvest planning; inventories; tree planting; burn restoration		Pile and burn; posts and poles; firewood	BOLI Farm and Forestry Labor Contractor license; \$10,000 bond; Broadform B property damage insurance; Soc. of American Foresters; Masters of Forestry, University of Washington	Jackson, Josephine
			Lic. Reforestation Contractor (Oregon); Lic. Pesticide Operator (Oregon); Member National Wildfire Suppression Assoc.; Strata Forestry in business since 1990	
Specialized training in writing ODF Stewardship Plans	GPS and GIS hardware and software - resource grade and survey grade		Soc. of American Foresters; CF# 1147; Assoc. of Consulting Foresters; wetland delineation and mitigation; licensed surveyors; licensed engineers	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Thinning; stewardship contracting	Low ground pressure tracked harvester	Hog chips: firewood		
			Road construction and maintenance; Oregon Professional Logger certified	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Lane
Road construction and maintenance	Helicopter; slash buster	Hog chips; posts and poles; masticate	Oregon Professional Logger; Licensed LTO CA; Oregon Contractors licensed and insured	Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Siskiyou
	D4 cat; Garrett striper; Cat 966 loader; dump truck; 300 gallon fire truck	Pile and burn; firewood; chip on-site		

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Umpqua Resource Management Inc.	✓	✓				✓	✓	Hand piling slash; mechanical slash pile; thinning; hand-fed chipper; contract administration
Van Epps, Inc. DBA Light Touch Logging & Thinning	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Thinning of both merch and non-merch timber; brush piling (hand or dozer); hardwood thinning for habitat and aesthetics; brushing roads; burning piles; road construction-rebuilding; hazard trees; defensible space
W.R. Weathers & Associates	✓							
Werner/McCormick, LLC	✓	✓	✓			✓		Mechanized and hand work; brush and tree chipping; hand piling and burning; thinning and pruning
WJ Cummings			✓					
Wolf Creek Woodworks			✓				✓	
Wood Mizer Portable Sawmill				✓				
Woodfirst Sustainable	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	Slash piling; thinning; pruning; defensible Space; hazard trees; chipping; slash removal
Yankee Creek Forest Works	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	Thinning; fuels reduction; slash pile and burn; chipping

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Forest stewardship planning; harvest planning; inventory creation and maintenance; GIS; mapping; tree planting; burn restoration; hardwood treatment; timber cruises; wildlife surveys	GPS data collection; GIS software; 54" wide format printer; aerial photos; maps; inventory data software; timber cruising software and reports	Markets firewood, especially hardwoods	Soc. of American Foresters; B.S., Forest Management	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Thinning; habitat improvement; provide stream habitat logs to Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, Partnership of the Umpqua Rivers; work for Douglas Soil and Water Conservation District; harvest planning	International TD-15-C dozer w/ winch; Koller 300 thinning yarder; possibly willing to procure chipper or other equipment; chainsaws, bar length to 60"; Alaska sawmill (chainsaw)	Logs; firewood; post and poles (if market is good); possibly chips; brush piles to burn; lumber, if possible	Professional timber faller since 1982; began logging in 1976; specialize in thinning; knowledge of hardwood sawing and drying; specializing in environmentally sound logging practices	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Coos, Lane
Stewardship and harvest planning; General forest management; Forensic forestry		Disposal of byproducts depends on markets and character of the material	SAF certified forester; Certified general appraiser in OR and WA specializing in forest property; registered professional forester in CA.	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas (Pacific NW and Alaska as well)
	Chipper on tracks with self-loader arm	Chip on-site up to 19" diameter material	Lic. # 159457; Degree in Forestry; Certified Arborist; environmentally-friendly land clearing; local since 1978	Jackson, Josephine
	Unique yarder - low impact		Custom milling; small logging jobs	
	Portable computerized sawmill; hydraulic wide spread sawmill operations	Small logs; firewood; chip on-site	Ecological and sustainable principles (see www.woodfirst.com)	Jackson, Josephine, Douglas
Forest stewardship plans; reforestation; pre-commercial thinning	Chipper	Small logs; posts or poles; firewood; chip on-site	Bonded	Jackson, Josephine

Forest Landowner Checklist:

- Define your goals and objectives
 - Select a contractor suited to your job
 - Determine if permits or restrictions apply
 - Evaluate marketing opportunities
 - Begin forest fuels reduction work
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