Homeowner Risk Reduction Behaviors Concerning Wildfire Risks Month 200X

Please answer the following	questions by circling	the number that	best fits
with how you feel.			

1)	How v		ble do	you fe	el abo	ut the po	ossib	ility of a	a wildf	ire phy	sically affo	ecting you or
		at all erable	2		3		4		5		6	7 extremely vulnerable
2)	How v				el abo	ut the po	ossib	ility of a	a wildf	ire affe	ecting you	r property
	_	at all erable	2		3		4		5		6	7 extremely vulnerable
3)	What i			ved like	lihood	of fire h	nappe	ening n	ear yo	ur hon	ne within t	he next
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	No char	nce	prob will hap	noť		50-50 chance		proba wi happ	_		certain to happen	
4)	On a s	cale o	f 0 to 1	10, how	sever	e will th	e im	pact of	a wildt	fire be	where you	ı live:
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
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		Āl	ready (on your	hom	e				

____ Will do in next 3-6 months

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Wh	at is	the likeliho	ood of do	ing the fo	ollowing a	ctions to you	ır property	?
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	g.	your home a Already Will do Will do	nd proper y done in next m in next 3- next year	onth 6 months	-	et a personal fi	re safety ins	spection at
6)		/ confident (risk of wildfir		el in your	ability to	protect your	property and	d yourself from
		1 2 not at all confident		3	4	5	6	7 very confident
7)						to taking some ecify:		

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Please circle the number that indicates the <u>effectiveness</u> of these actions at reducing the risk of fire.

8) How **effective** are the following actions at helping to reduce the risk of fire impacting your property and lives:

ACTION	Not	at all	effectiv	/e effectiv	e	V	ery
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Creating a minimum 30-foot defensible space around your home:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Putting a fire resistant roof on your home:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Removing any dead branches from your home's roof and around the chimney:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Making sure that your home is easily identifiable and accessible from a main road:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Making sure that all the trees on or near your property are planted away from structures:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Stacking firewood and scrap wood piles at least 30 feet from any structure:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Contacting the local fire department to get a fire safety inspection at your home & property:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

9)	By doing a	ny of the abo	ve actions or	n your proper	ty, how effe	ctive can yo	u be at
	preventing	wildfires fro	m impacting	your persona	I property an	id your life:	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

We are interested in the extent of your experience with issues related to wildfires:

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		There have be There have be There have be I\we have be phic fire. Other. Please	een fires 5 to een fires 51 t en evacuated	50 miles fror o 100 miles f	n my propert rom my prop	y erty	eat of a
11)	How we risks:	ell informed d	o you consid	der yourself	to be about	wildfire and	l wildfire
	1 Not at all info	2 c ormed	3	4	5	6	7 very informed

12) To what extent do you find information about wildfires to be personally relevant:

1 Not at all relevant 2

3

4

5

6

very relevant

7

13)	I am motivated undertaking th						k
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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	all motivated					motiva	ated
14)	Have you rece last year? Plea how helpful is each source of scale:	ase check eac this informati	th source that on in prepar	it has provide ing your prope	d you wildfire erty to be de	e information fensible? P	on. Also, lease rate
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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		U.S.D.A. Fore		e.g. Firewise onal brochure	c)		
		_Community County/City			5)		
		Local and St	•				
				TV, newspape	er. radio		
		Neighbors a	_	,	,		
		Environment		ions			
		Other (pleas	e specify)	_	
15)	We are interes How credible a that is relevan	ire these orga	nizations fro	m your persp			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	not at all credible					cro	very edible
	Credible	Socia	l Entities		Degree of		
		U.S.D.A. Fore					-
		U.S.D.I. Natio	onal Park Ser	vice			
		County/City	Fire Departm	nent Individua	ls		
		State Forest	-				
		Neighbors a					
		Research Re	•				
		Environment	_				
				TV, newspape			<u> </u>
		Otner (pleas	e specify		_)		

16)	How responsible should	YOU be for	protecting	yourself	and your	property	from	the
	impact of wildfire:							

17) How responsible should **your homeowners' association** be for protecting you and your property from the impact of wildfire:

18) How responsible should the **US Forest Service** be for protecting you and your property from the impact of wildfire:

19) Consider a scenario in which you have undertaken and finished considerable defensible space work around your home and property. If your neighbors **do not** do any defensible space work around their homes, how vulnerable do you feel about a wildfire affecting your property and home.

 1
 2
 3
 4
 5
 6
 7

 Not at
 very

 Vulnerable
 vulnerable

20) Below is a picture and description of the fire danger ratings used by the USDA Forest Service to describe the degree of fire risk in a particular area. We are interested in knowing what you believe is the risk of fire happening near your home within the next couple of years.

Please draw an arrow from the center of the picture to the level of fire danger that represents your belief about the risk of fire happening near your home within the next couple years:



21) Two of the primar prescribed fires (c method based on management opti	ontrolled burns) how you feel abo	and mechanic	cal removal (l	ogging). Please	
	a) Prescribed fires	S:				
	1 2 Least preferable	3	4	5	6 Most p	7 referable
	b) Mechanical ren	noval or logging:				
	1 2 Least preferable	3	4	5	6 Most p	7 referable
	c) No active fire m	anagement:				
	1 2 Least preferable	3	4	5	6 Most p	7 referable
	r the following qu propriate informa		e check the a	appropriate	category or f	ill in the
1.	Please identify you	r age group:				
	18-25 26-34 35-44	45-54 55-64 65 and	 d over			
2.	Please identify you	r gender: I	Male _	Female		
3.	What is your highe	st level of educa	tion complete	d:		
				ree		
4.	How long have you	had a home in t	his area?	years		
5.	How many months	per year do you	live in this ho	me?	# of months	
6.	Please check the ca	ategory which be	est fits your ho	usehold inco	me level per ye	ear:
	Less than \$15,000 \$15,000 - \$24,999 \$25,000 - \$34,999			\$5	5,000 - \$49,99 0,000 – 74,999 5,000 – over	

7.	How close is your home to the closest National Forest or Grassland?
	less than 1 mile 21 to 50 miles 1 to 10 miles more than 50 miles 11 to 20 miles Other (please specify)
8.	Please identify the zip code for your primary residence :
	THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

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