# EL DORADO COUNTY FIRE SAFE COUNCIL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

The El Dorado County Fire Safe Council offers three grant-funded assistance programs to help residents reduce wildfire risk by improving the defensible space around their homes. These programs provide both financial and labor assistance, making it easier for homeowners to obtain good defensible space.

## **CHIPPING**

Provides two free chipping services per calendar year for homeowners on the West Slope of El Dorado County. Each address is limited to six hours of chipping on each visit.

### **DEFENSIBLE SPACE**

Helps to create defensible space around the primary homes of seniors, veterans, low income and disabled residents on the West Slope of El Dorado County. Participation in this program is voluntary and at no cost to the applicant. Homeowners are entitled to one defensible space service per year.

### **HAZARD TREE REMOVAL**

A cost share program between the El Dorado County Fire Safe Council and homeowners to help with costs of hazard tree removal within 100 feet of a permitted structure.



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