

Pine Forest Firewise Program

Who: The Pine Forest Owners

What: Becoming a recognized Firewise Community

Why: To reduce the risk of catastrophic fire in Pine Forest, along with the attendant risk to life, limb, & property, & in so doing, to honor the sacrifice of Richard Wheeler, Andrew Zajac, Tom Zbyszewski, and Daniel Lyon, the young firefighters who died or were severely injured during the initial response to the Twisp River fire, which came so close to burning into Pine Forest.

Where: Individual lots & homes, as well as greenbelts & road rights-of-way

When: Already started & will be ongoing

How: Assessing fire risks in and around Pine Forest & implementing an action plan to incorporating Firewise principles into our individual & community property management & maintenance & fire preparedness. For more information on these principles & how Pine Forest is incorporating them, visit this site's other pages.