



PREPARE FOR WILDFIRE NEIGHBORHOOD CHIPPING

CHIPPING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Your neighborhood must be within the City of Colorado Springs Wildland Urban Interface. Find your address on the Wildfire Risk Map: <https://bit.ly/coswuimap>
- Participants **MUST** attend a neighborhood meeting or have a **FREE** onsite consultation before their scheduled chipping period

CHIPPING REQUESTS

- Individual homeowners must register to participate **EVERY** year for **EVERY** chipping period offered in their neighborhood. To register, go to <https://bit.ly/CSFDChippingRequest> or call 719-385-7493 or email melissa.hoffman@coloradosprings.gov
- We **ONLY** accept woody limbs and branches up to 9 inches in diameter
- We **ONLY** accept properly stacked piles
- We do **NOT** accept construction or building materials, nails, wire
- We do **NOT** accept grass clippings, bags of leaves, trash, weeds, yuccas, root wads, dirt, or rocks

PILE GUIDELINES

- Piles must be stacked curbside by 8:00 a.m. Monday morning on your designated chipping block
- Please limit pile size to 5'x5'x5'. There is no limit as to the number of piles along the curb
- Piles must be within 5 feet of the roadway
- Piles must be stacked neatly with cut ends facing the road
- Do not tie or band piles

REMEMBER

- **INCORRECT PILES WILL NOT BE PICKED UP**
- Addresses not registered **WILL NOT BE PICKED UP**
- Do not combine piles with neighbors or haul in from other neighborhoods
- Chipping will occur during the 1-2 weeks following the listed date
- Piles will be picked up by the end of the chipping block



GOOD PILE EXAMPLE



BAD PILE EXAMPLE



**"SHARING THE RESPONSIBILITY"
YOU CUT AND STACK, WE CHIP & HAUL**



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