



Mount Veeder Fire Safe Council
Neighbors in Need
Defensible Space Assistance Program

QUALIFICATION GUIDELINES

1. Applicants must be at least 65 years of age OR disabled
2. Applicants must have an annual gross income of less than \$40,000 for a 1 person household or \$50,000 for a household of 2 or more people
3. Inspection and contract coordination are free of charge to those meeting the age and/or disability requirements
4. If the applicant is not the property owner, the property owner's approval, signature, and possibly financial information will be required before work can be performed on the property
5. Work will not be performed on a neighboring parcel that is located less than 100 feet from the house that is the subject of the application
6. The property must not currently meet the standards of California Public Resource Code 4291, which requires a minimum of 30-foot clearance of all flammable materials (needles, dry grass, brush etc.) around the house and also fuel reduction from 30 out to 100 feet (or to the property line).
7. All non-vegetative human debris must be cleaned up prior to receiving assistance from the Mount Veeder Fire Safe Council
8. All work through the assistance program will be accomplished by a contractor retained by Mount Veeder Fire Safe Council. The work will be completed as close as possible to CA PRC 4291 requirements and at a cost not to exceed \$5,000



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APPLICATION

Applicant: _____ Are you the property owner? YES NO

Property Owner: _____ Qualifications: 65+ years Disabled
Low income

Property Address: _____ Disability: _____

Parcel number: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Proof of income, age and/or disability is required upon visitation of Program Coordinator

What assistance do you need in clearing defensible space?

I certify that the information on this form is correct and true. All requirements in this application/contract will be followed if assistance is received from Mount Veeder Fire Safe Council.

I understand that this is only an application for assistance. I understand that the Mount Veeder Fire Safe Council will determine whether to have work performed on my property based on the eligibility criteria for the Neighbors in Need Defensible Space Assistance Program.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Owner Signature: _____
(if not owner-occupied)

Date: _____

Submit application via US Mail or email (include Neighbors in Need Program in subject line) to:

Neighbors in Need Defensible Space Assistance Program
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