



SANTA CLARA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Dear property owner,

Your property, which is located in the Wildland-Urban Interface Fire Area, was recently inspected by the Santa Clara County Fire Department. At that time, your property was found to be non-compliant with Wildland Safety Regulations. Enclosed is a copy of the notice that was left at the residence and indicates the corrections that are necessary.

Please note that a public hearing will be held during the City of Cupertino council meeting on June 16, 2020 at 645pm. At that time, all properties identified by the Fire Department as being non-compliant with Wildland Safety Regulations will be declared to have hazardous conditions requiring abatement. An additional inspection of all identified properties will be conducted after the hearing and prior to ordering any abatement work. If your property is found to be in compliance at the time of the re-inspection or upon the arrival of the abatement contractor, no work will be done and no charges will be imposed.

If you are interested in having the County of Santa Clara do any brush or weed removal or wish to have an inspection for a cost estimate, please contact the Hazardous Vegetation Department at (408) 282-3145. For your convenience, a price list indicating the rates for the County Contractor is included with this notice.

If you should have any questions about the information on this notice, please contact the Fire Prevention Division of the Santa Clara County Fire Department at (408) 341-4420.

CUPERTINO WEED ABATEMENT PROGRAM SCHEDULE

2020 COUNTY WEED ABATEMENT FEES

Please be advised that the property owner of any parcel found to be non-compliant on or after the June 1st deadline will be scheduled for abatement by the County contractor. If you complete the abatement work before the County contractor performs the abatement, you will not incur further charges. Should the abatement work be performed by a County contractor, you will be assessed the contractor's charges plus a County administrative fee of \$984.00 per parcel.

2020 COUNTY CONTRACTOR'S WEED ABATEMENT PRICE LIST

A) Disc Work**

PARCEL SIZE:	1 st Disc	+ 2 nd Disc	= Total Discs
0-12,500 sq.ft.	<u>\$399.80</u>	<u>\$160.73</u>	<u>\$560.53</u>
12,501sq.ft.- 43,560sq.ft.	<u>\$399.80</u>	<u>\$160.73</u>	<u>\$560.53</u>
Larger than 1 Acre	<u>\$290.41</u>	<u>\$141.83</u>	<u>\$432.24 (PER ACRE)</u>

** It is required that parcels be disced twice a year. The cost for the first discing is higher due to additional work normally required during the first discing.

B) HANDWORK.	<u>\$5.40 PER 100 Square Feet (SF)</u>
C) FLAIL	<u>6 Foot Mower \$6.89 PER 1,000 SF</u>
MOWING	<u>12 Foot Mower \$6.89 PER 1,000 SF</u>
D) LOADER WORK.	<u>\$165.20 PER HOUR</u>
E) DUMP TRUCK	<u>\$152.49 PER HOUR</u>
F) BRUSH WORK	<u>\$5.16 PER 100 SF</u>
G) DEBRIS REMOVAL	<u>\$56.73 PER HOUR</u>
H) DUMP FEE	<u>100%</u>

Added to orders with debris removal at 100% of the dump site charge.

*Please note this program does not offer herbicide application as a method of abatement.