CONDUCT YOUR RISK ASSESSMENT Name: ______ Phone #:_____ Email Address: Review your home for the following conditions and check all boxes that apply. HOME HARDENING Roofing materials: My home has metal, tile, Class A asphalt, or fiberglass shingles. No, my roof is constructed of Yes Soffit vents: My home has non-combustible soffit vents with mesh or screening. Yes No, my home has open eave construction. No, my soffits are made of combustible material. No, my soffits are not screened with a non-combustible material with openings of 1/8" or less. Siding: My home has non-combustible siding made of stucco, masonry, plaster, or cement. No, my home has combustible siding made of _____ Yes Skirting: My home has non-combustible material at the base of the exterior. Yes No, my home does not have any skirting. No, my home has skirting made of combustible material. Attachments: My home has no wooden attachments (decks, balconies, patio covers, gates, or fences). No, my home has a wooden deck or balcony attached to the siding. Yes No, my home has a wooden patio cover connecting directly to the siding. No, my home has a wooden gate or fence connecting directly to the siding. Windows: My home has multi-paned windows. No, my home has single-paned windows. Yes Roof/gutter debris: My roof and rain gutters are clear of leaves, pine needles, or other debris. Yes No, my roof or rain gutter has leaves, pine needles, or other debris. Gutter: My home has non-combustible rain gutters.

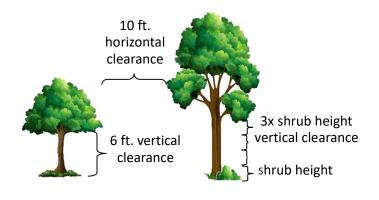
No, my home has gutters made of plastic or other combustible materials.

Yes

DEFENSIBLE SPACE

Immediate Zone Defensible Space $(0' - 5')$ from structure: I have treated vegetation and created an ignition resistant immediate zone.	
Yes	No, I have dead vegetation, dried leaves, pine needles, or ground debris near the foundation.
	No, I have wood mulch products adjacent to the home.
	No, I have bushes or shrubs next to my home.
	No, I have tree branches hanging over my roof or touching my home.
Intermediate Zone Defensible Space $(5'-30')$ from structure: I have maintained my ornamental landscaping to help decrease fire behavior in the intermediate zone.	
Yes	No, the majority of the vegetation in this area is contiguous. There are no driveways, walkways, or other non-combustible features creating a fuel break.
	No, the lawn or native grasses in this zone are taller than four inches.
	No, trees are too close together with branches forming a continuous mass.
	No, ladder fuels are present with low tree branches or bushes growing too close to tree branches.
	No, plants, trees, and lawns are dry and not irrigated.
Extended Zone Defensible Space $(30'-100')$ property line from structure): I have trimmed the vegetation in the extended zone to influence fire behavior and spread.	
Yes	No, there are heavy accumulations of ground litter or debris.
	No, there is dead plant and tree material present.
	No, vegetation in this area is contiguous with bushes and trees growing together.
	No, highly flammable chapparal is present in this area.

BEST PRACTICES FOR VEGETATION MANAGEMENT



2x shrub height horizontal clearance

