

No Cost Roadside Chipper Service

Fire Hazard Reduction



You cut it – we will chip it!

Here's all you need to do:

1. Call the Amador Fire Safe Council at 296-6220 to get the schedule for your neighborhood. We will need your name, physical address and phone number. Please tell us if this is a county road or private road for traffic control purposes.
2. Cut brush and limbs should be stacked within 5 feet of the road edge, with cut ends facing towards the road, no higher than 4 feet. The chipper can take material up to 6 inches in diameter. Pile in windrows like firewood, not heaped like a beaver dam. Keep materials free of mud, rocks, wire. Do not stack in the road or culvert area or in any way impede normal traffic on the road.
3. Natural material only, no building debris. We also cannot chip poison oak, blackberries, vines, or Scotch broom.
4. You may bring as much material to the roadside as you wish to be chipped, but we do need a 3 hour minimum along your stretch of road. That is the equivalent of 2 average-sized bedrooms stuffed with brush.
5. Get your neighbors involved! Have a block party and cut brush! Take pictures and we will post them on our website.

Amador Fire Safe Council – 295-6200

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Properly stacked brush piles:

