

LIVE IN COLORADO? OWN PROPERTY? INTERESTED IN PROTECTING YOUR HOME FROM FIRE?

On **Sunday, October 8**, RFOV will be holding a fire mitigation training for people, like you in the Roaring Fork Community.

This training is **FREE** and lunch is provided by Field 2 Fork, a local organic catering company and restaurant.

We will be visiting two private properties up near Elk Springs.

One property will be an excellent example of completed fire mitigation work and what it should look like. The other property, located on Colorado Mountain College's campus, will serve as an example of what fire mitigation work needs to be done and how it will be accomplished.

This training is a great opportunity to learn about what fire mitigation is, how to identify risks, and how to implement it on your own property.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

- Talks from fire mitigation expert, Mike Uncapher of Western Vegetation Management and fire mitigation specialist, Mitch Dahlke of Coalitions & Collaboratives
- Full Day Outdoors
- 10:00 AM 3:00 PM
- Dress in layers
- Bring at least 2 liters of water
- Wear closed-toe shoes/boots

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WILDFIRE IN THE NEWS

Interested in hearing more stories on why fire mitigation is so critically important? Explore below:

Miracle House in Lahaina - Maui Forest Fire 2023 - "A nearly 100-year-old wooden house survived the Lahaina fire. Its owners are stumped as to why, but experts say this photo reveals crucial lessons for homeowners."

<u>Fire mitigation saved home from wildfire</u> - video shows the importance of clearing brush around your property and having a metal roof

<u>Saving CO Homes</u> - "Wildfire mitigation increases the odds of saving Colorado homes"

<u>Fire mitigation saves</u> - "The one time cost of these measures is typically 5% of the cost of a home and its contents"

Learn more about what fire mitigation is and why it is important HERE



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