



BRITISH COLUMBIA  
**FireSmart**™



There's insurance that  
requires a signature,  
and insurance that  
requires a **LITTLE**  
elbow grease.

It's great to have coverage for your home in case of wildfire, but completing a few simple chores around the house can also add extra peace of mind.

## The best thing about being FireSmart™ is how easy it is to get started.

Wildfire season is here. Thankfully, there are simple steps you can take to increase your home's wildfire resiliency. From guides to home assessments to videos and much more, FireSmart BC is your complete resource for keeping your home and neighbourhood prepared for wildfires.



## Here's a simple checklist you can use to drastically reduce your property's risk.



Clean and maintain gutters and roofs.



Remove weeds and cut grass to 10 centimetres or less.



Relocate propane, firewood and other fuel sources 10 to 30 metres away from structures.



Prune trees to create a two-metre clearance from the ground to the lowest branches.



Plant wildfire-resistant vegetation to reduce potential fuels on your property.



Clean under your deck to remove any combustible material. Establish a 1.5-metre non-combustible zone around the perimeter of the house and deck.



HOME PARTNERS PROGRAM

Get a professional home assessment to ensure your house is FireSmart.

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