

Green Waste Collection

available to Washoe County residents for free



WHERE & WHEN:

Saturday, November 10, 8am-1pm

TMFPD Silver Lake Fire Station
11525 Red Rock Road, Stead

TMFPD Lemmon Valley Fire Station
130 Nectar Street, Reno

Saturday, November 17, 8am-1pm

TMFPD East Washoe Valley Fire Station
1240 Eastlake Boulevard, Washoe Valley

PROTECT YOUR HOME AND PROPERTY FROM WILDFIRE

The Fire District encourages residents to create defensible space and dispose of dry and dead vegetation, shrubs, tree branches, and other wildland fuels for free at TMFPD's Green Waste Collection Days.

Conditions remain dry, and open burning is expected to remain prohibited in Washoe County this fall. TMFPD's Green Waste Collection Days offer the best alternative to create defensible space.

Defensible space is the buffer created between a building on your property and the wildland area that surrounds it. This space is needed to slow or stop the spread of wildfire. Defensible space protects homes and property from catching fire, either from direct flame contact or radiant heat. Defensible space is also important for the protection of firefighters defending your home.

The TMFPD Green Waste Collection program is available to Washoe County residents for FREE, to include residents in the City of Reno and Sparks. Disposed green waste is reduced to compost and helps air quality levels as an alternative to burning.

Items that will not be accepted:

Examples of items that cannot be accepted include fresh grass clippings, food, household trash and garbage, construction materials, e-waste, appliances, tires, paint, furniture, batteries or any hazardous materials. Collections will not be accepted from landscape companies or contractors.

For more information please contact Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District at 775.326.6000 or info@tmfpd.us.

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