

LIVE FIREWISE

Missoula Rural Fire District (MRFD) working in partnership with other Missoula County fire districts and agencies has obtained federal grant monies to help homeowners and landowners in Missoula County better prepare for wildfire this season.

Using the proceeds from a recently awarded \$300,000 Western States Fire Grant, the MRFD will work with its wildland-fire-mitigation crews and local district/agency partners to create needed Firewise change around structures and communities. This minimally involves an assessment of your risks and hazards for a wildfire on your property and/or in your neighborhood. Once risks and hazards are established, you, as the property owner, can make choices about how to carry out the needed work, including doing it yourself, partnering with the MRFD crews to achieve mitigation, where possible, and hiring fuel-mitigation contractors. The MRFD program requires a minimal financial contribution and commitment to maintenance of your Firewise landscaping.

Contact us today (549-6172) to learn how you can become involved and learn to live Firewise on a fire planet.

