



TOWN OF
HILLSBOROUGH
WILDFIRE HOME HARDENING



Every action you take helps protect your home and your community.



SMALL STEPS. STRONGER HOMES. SAFER HILLSBOROUGH.

Wind-blown embers can penetrate and ignite roofs, gutters, vents, decks, fencing, and debris and vegetation.

Voluntary home hardening steps can help reduce ignition risk and support community wildfire resilience.

INSURANCE TIP



California's Safer from Wildfires insurance framework recognizes home hardening and community actions.



Eligible actions can qualify you for an insurance discount. By doing more, you can save more.



Get your Firewise Certificate for insurance reduction.



Keep photos, receipts, product information, inspection letters, and Firewise documentation.



REMOVE LEAVES AND DEBRIS

Remove leaves, pine needles, and debris from roofs, gutters, under decks, stairs, and along fence lines.



KEEP EMBERS OUT

Consider installing ember-resistant vents and noncombustible gutter guards.



SEAL GAPS AND WEAK POINTS

Inspect siding, doors, garage doors, flashing and exterior openings. Seal gaps where embers could enter.



CLEAR THE FIRST 5 FEET

Keep the area closest to your home free of combustibles. Replace mulch with gravel or decomposed granite and plant non-woody plants.

0-5 FT



USE IGNITION-RESISTANT MATERIALS

Choose composite or other ignition-resistant materials for decks and fences attached to the house.



THIS MONTH'S EASY ACTION:

Use your yard waste service to remove leaves, pine needles, branches, and vegetation debris from around your home.



LEARN MORE:

www.hillsborough.net/wildfirepreparedness

A COMMUNITY WILDFIRE READINESS MESSAGE FROM



TOWN OF
HILLSBOROUGH



FIREWISE USA
RESIDENTS REDUCING
WILDFIRE RISKS



HNN
Hillsborough
Neighborhood
Network



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YOUR COMMUNITY. YOUR HOME.



Shred & E-Scrap Event

Shred documents and confidential materials.
Limit **THREE** standard-size bankers boxes (10 x 12 x 15) per household.

Saturday, June 13, 2026
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Hillsborough Town Hall
 1600 Floribunda Avenue
 First Come, First Served!



The event lasts until the time listed or until the truck is full - whichever comes first!



Accepted E-Scrap Items

TVs, computers, printers, monitors, laptops, cables/cords, cell phones, MP3 and DVD players, and more (working or not).



Not Accepted

Household appliances such as fans, floor heaters, smoke detectors, vacuum cleaners, cooktops, dishwashers, microwaves, ovens, stoves, refrigerators, freezers, or any household hazardous waste.



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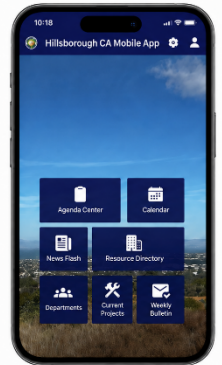
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Town of Hillsborough See Click Fix for any Code Compliance Complaints!



Concerned About Safety Issues or Nuisance Violations?

Here's Who to Contact

Debris, overgrown vegetation, nuisance conditions, construction issues, and infrastructure or public safety concerns can often be addressed quickly when reported to the right department.



Fire Safety Concerns

Vegetation, debris, defensible space, or other possible fire hazards.



Report online: use the QR Code or ccfd.org/report-a-fire-safety-concern



Code Compliance Concerns

General nuisance, property maintenance, zoning, construction, or neighborhood character concerns.

Call: (650) 375-7572

Email: code.enforcement@hillsborough.net

Report online: seeclickfix.com/hillsborough



Public Works Concerns

Streets, storm drains, sewer, water, and related public infrastructure concerns.

Call: (650) 375-7444

Email: pw@hillsborough.net

Report online: seeclickfix.com/hillsborough



After-Hours or Immediate Safety Concerns

For urgent after-hours public safety concerns, after-hours parking issues, and noise complaints.

Call Police Dispatch Non-Emergency: (650) 375-7470