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## **Cold Creek Canyon HOA is Awarded NFCA Wildfire Risk Reduction Program (WRRP) Grant.**



We are pleased to announce that our Cold Creek Canyon HOA has been awarded a \$68,570 grant for Wildfire Risk Reduction in the Cold Creek area (including properties outside the HOA) by the Nevada Fire Chiefs Association ([NFCA](#)).

As several home insurance policies are being canceled or not-renewed due to wildfire risk, we need to combat this risk and mitigate the damage to our homes with grant funded programs such as this one. Cold Creek was awarded this for two reasons: Cold Creek is a recognized Firewise USA community and our location is in a Wilderness Urban Interface (WUI) area. As a Firewise USA community we demonstrate our commitment to reduce hazardous fuels, hardening our homes, and reducing fire threats to first responders and our neighbors which qualified us as an ideal recipient for this grant.

Grant funding comes from our tax \$ and the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (\$1.2T, \$550B for programs). Also, there are no cost sharing requirements for this program, just direct funding for the project. The project will start this May and run until June 2026. The main focus will be to reduce hazardous fuels (dead and dying trees and shrubs) in our community at no cost to the property owners. The work will be performed by the Nevada Department of Forestry in cooperation with the Cold Creek property owners and contribute to our efforts as a Firewise USA recognized community.

This is our first grant we have applied for, and the first grant awarded to Cold Creek. This is very positive because it could lead to additional grant opportunities for our community. It is with great appreciation that we accept this grant from NFCA and BLM and all the support we receive from USFS, CCFD, and NDF in our effort to protect our community.

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