









DEFENSIBLE

NON - COMBUSTIBLE SPACE

ZONE ZERO BE SAFE

EXTENDS 0 TO 5 FEET FROM BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, DECKS AND STAIRS. THIS IS A **NON-COMBUSTIBLE** ZONE AND FUNCTIONS TO REDUCE IGNITION FROM EMBERS THAT LAND NEAR STRUCTURES. **ZERO COMBUSTIBLES IN THIS ZONE**

COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS IN THIS ZONE ARE PROHIBITED

-  **NO: MULCH, BARK, RUBBER MULCH OR TREES ALLOWED WITHIN FIVE FEET OF STRUCTURES**
YES: ROCK, GRAVEL, PAVERS OR DIRT
-  **NO: WOOD FENCING OR GATES**
YES: METAL OR CONCRETE
-  **NO: COMBUSTIBLE PLANTS, POTS, CONTAINERS, WOOD, PLASTIC, WOVEN BASKETS**
-  **NO: COMBUSTIBLE PATIO FURNITURE, ARTWORK/DECOR MADE OF WOOD, STRAW, BRANCHES, ETC.**
YES: METAL FURNITURE, ITEMS MADE OF METAL, CERAMIC OR TERRACOTTA
-  **REMOVE TREE LIMBS THAT EXTEND INTO THE FIVE FOOT ZONE ZERO AREA**
-  **GENERAL PROPERTY CLEARANCE: EXISTING TREES SHALL BE TRIMMED TO PROVIDE A MINIMUM OF 10 FEET SEPARATION FROM ROOF LINES, BARBECUES, FIRE PITS, CHIMNEYS AND STOVEPIPES**

- Defensible Space is **REQUIRED BY LAW** and includes Zone Zero.
- Local - Alpine Fire Protection District, 2026 California WUI Ordinance
- County - County of San Diego 2026 Wildland-Urban Interface Code
- State - Public Resources Code 4291



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FIREWISE USA
RESIDENTS REDUCING WILDFIRE RISKS

Alpine is a FireWise designated community and conforms to the FireWise framework to reduce wildfire risks and to increase the ignition resistance of homes within the community.