COMMUNITY PLANNING ASSISTANCE FOR WILDFIRE

Together we can reduce wildfire risk in your community.

ABOUT CPAW

The Community Planning Assistance for Wildfire (CPAW) program reduces wildfire risk through improved land use planning.



Funded by the U.S. Forest
Service and private
foundations at no cost to
the community



CPAW team of planners, foresters, and researchers work with the community for one year



Result is local, customized planning recommendations and tools



Local jurisdiction retains authority to implement recommendations

CPAW COMMUNITIES

Communities apply through a competitive process to be a part of CPAW. Since our founding in 2015, we have worked with communities at all scales and sizes, from urbanized metropolitan areas to rural counties and small towns.



CPAW PROCESS

The CPAW team customizes its process to meet each community's unique needs. It typically takes one year, with ongoing support as needed.

PHASE 1 Identify community needs and stakeholders.

PHASE 2
Assess community

PHASE 3 Draft and refine recommendations

with stakeholders.

PHASE 4
Present final report.

conditions and

documents.

ONGOING

Support implementation as needed/funded.

