



## **Mendocino County Redwood Complex Fire Debris Cleanup and Removal Requirements**

Property owners with any burned structure from the 2017 Redwood Complex Fire are required to participate in an approved fire debris cleanup and removal process. Property owners can choose between the two options below:

### **1. Participation in the Consolidated Debris Removal Program-**

Cleanups under this program are conducted by Army Corps of Engineers contractors and paid for by State and Federal disaster assistance funds; there is no out of pocket expense to property owners. To participate in this program, you must submit a completed **Right of Entry** form to Mendocino County Planning and Building Services (PBS) no later than November 13, 2017.

PBS is located at 860 N. Bush St. in Ukiah, and can be reached by phone at (707) 234-6650.

### **2. Conducting your own private cleanup with a qualified contractor at your own expense-**

Private cleanups must be conducted in accordance with the Mendocino County Debris Cleanup and Removal Program. This self-certification process requires an asbestos assessment by a Certified Asbestos Consultant, proper handling and disposal of burn debris at an approved landfill, erosion control measures, and confirmation soil sampling to demonstrate cleanup goals have been met. Please note that disaster funding will not reimburse for this work. To conduct a private cleanup, you must submit a **Private Cleanup Form** to Mendocino County Environmental Health (EH) no later than November 16, 2017.

EH is located at 860 N. Bush St. in Ukiah and can be reached by phone at (707) 234-6625.

If you do not complete an approved site cleanup process as described in the above options, Mendocino County may pursue abatement and seek to recover costs for contract work, staff time, and administration time with a lien recorded on the property deed should abatement expenses not be reimbursed.