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# Tree Mortality Task Force

## Guidelines for High Hazard Zone Tree Removal Public Meeting Notice

Governor Brown's October 30, 2015 Emergency Proclamation (EP) indicates that any entity issuing guidelines pursuant to the EP shall conduct a public meeting on the guidelines prior to adoption. The Tree Mortality Task Force has developed guidelines needed to carry out the provisions of the EP specific to dead/dying tree removal in High Hazard Zones.

- The authority to issue emergency guidelines that establish relevant criteria for removal of dead/dying trees from High Hazard Zones is provided by EP Directive 2:  
[https://www.gov.ca.gov/docs/10.30.15\\_Tree\\_Mortality\\_State\\_of\\_Emergency.pdf](https://www.gov.ca.gov/docs/10.30.15_Tree_Mortality_State_of_Emergency.pdf)
- During the public meeting the guidelines will be reviewed and the public will have an opportunity to provide public comment. The draft guidelines are located at:  
[http://www.fire.ca.gov/treetaskforce/downloads/Draft\\_Tree\\_Removal\\_Guidelines\\_3-1-16.pdf](http://www.fire.ca.gov/treetaskforce/downloads/Draft_Tree_Removal_Guidelines_3-1-16.pdf)

### Meeting Information

**Location:** Mariposa County Board of Supervisors Chambers

5100 Bullion Street

Mariposa, CA 95338

**Time:** 10:30AM-12:30PM

**Date:** April 25, 2016

Remote participants can access the meeting via phone (877-336-1829, code: 366483).

Written comments should be submitted by May 2, 2016 to CAL FIRE, Attention: Matthew Reischman, 1416 Ninth Street, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento CA 94244-2460, or emailed to [TreeTaskForce@fire.ca.gov](mailto:TreeTaskForce@fire.ca.gov)