



**Douglas County Conservation District**

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Fuels Mitigation Grant 2018

Landowner,

We appreciate your interest in the Douglas County 2018 Fuels Mitigation Assistance Program. The conservation practice that is applied for, and if approved, needs to be completed and bills need to be submitted by October 31, 2018.

Interested landowners can apply for assistance for fuels mitigation and defensible space practices on their property. The district will assist small acreage landowners with a 50% cost share of the total project treatment costs not to exceed \$500.00 reimbursement per property. **This does not include any costs for landscaping.**

Fuels mitigation and Defensible space practices must include but not limited to: creating defensible space around home through ladder fuels removal and heavy fuels reduction, creating tree crown spacing via whole tree removal and brush removal. Technical services may also be included in the project treatment costs to be cost shared which would include: defensible space assessments and recommendations, property assessments, tree marking and written Scopes of Work completed and paid to the Colorado State Forest Service. Contracted labor, and equipment rental will be cost shared. Landowner labor or fuel will not be cost shared. This grant for fire mitigation and defensible space practices will be available until all the funds have been spent.

Please return the enclosed completed application no later than April 19, 2018. Applications will be reviewed by the district board. They will rank each application according to the district's ranking criteria. Priority will go to landowners that do not have other funding assistance. You will be notified the beginning of May after your application has been reviewed and let you know if it has been approved or not. If the application is received after April 19, 2018 then it will be considered in the second round of funding if funding is still available.

Return applications to:  
**Douglas County CD**  
**c/o Pam Brewster**  
**PO Box 688**  
**Franktown, CO 80116**

**Or you can scan and email the signed application form to:** DCCDistrict@gmail.com  
If you have any questions, please call the office at 303-218-2622.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pam Brewster".

Pam Brewster, District Administrator  
Douglas County Conservation District

**APPLICATION FOR FIRE MITIGATION ASSISTANCE THROUGH  
THE DOUGLAS COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT (DCCD)  
DOUGLAS COUNTY 2018 FUELS MITIGATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

County DOUGLAS	Application No.  (completed by District)
I (We)	Property Address, City, State, zip
	Mailing Address, City, State, zip
	Email Address
Phone	Legal Description of Property

Do hereby apply for participation in this program and submit the following information in support of the application.

I (We) understand this application does not obligate the applicant(s) or Douglas County Conservation District (DCCD) into a contract. I(We) hereby attest that the name(s) listed directly above, have complete control of the property described in the Legal Description for the proposed contracted period.

This program is available through the Douglas County Conservation District to assist Douglas County landowners in fire mitigation / defensible space on their property.

(1) Description of property, (subdivision if applicable)? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of acres owned ? \_\_\_\_\_ Is the land owned by the applicant(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

(2) Fire mitigation / defensible space:

Number of acres wanting to treat? \_\_\_\_\_

Conservation Practices you would like to implement on your property? \_\_\_\_\_

(3) It is recommended that landowners get a property assessment and written Scope of Work from the Colorado State Forest Service (CSFS) before beginning any treatment. Do you plan on contacting the CSFS? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

(4) Do you have any other funding, or will receive any other funding for fire mitigation work? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

(5) When do you plan to begin fire mitigation/defensible space treatment? \_\_\_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_\_\_ Summer \_\_\_\_\_ Fall

Comments if any:

I (We) understand this application does not obligate the applicant(s) or DCCD to enter into a contract.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Contracted labor, fuel, equipment rental, fire mitigation plan and site visits from CSFS will be cost shared only.

District Administrator:

Date Received:

This section to be filled out by district personnel