



PLUMAS WILDFIRE RECOVERY



A Bi-Monthly Newsletter for Plumas County

Debris Removal

State Program:

Total: 696

Returned: 162

Debris Removed: 515

Helpful Contact Numbers

Social Services:

530-283-6350

Behavioral Health:

530-283-6307

Building/Planning Dept:

530-283-7011

Debris Removal

Alternate Program:

Total: 113

Returned: 32

Debris Removal: 46

A Spotlight on Assistance for Wildfire Victims

Plumas Rural Services (PRS) offers a variety of immediate, short-term and long-term assistance to survivors of natural disasters, including the Dixie and Beckwourth Complex Fires. Disaster Resource Management staff can assist with the following:

- household goods, clothing and emergency food
- heating assistance and supplies to insulate living arrangements against the elements
- names and contact information for organizations providing additional support
- connections and referrals to other PRS and non-PRS services (including those not specific to disaster recovery)
- simple and complex case management to support those looking to rebuild their homes and their lives after a disaster
- assistance navigating local, state and federal aid programs

PRS staff is local, connected to the community, well trained, and trauma-informed. For assistance or more information, please contact 530-283-2735 x832

Question & Answers

Q: Timeline for clean-up of Warner Valley and Frenchmen Lake area?

A: It is unknown at this time. Debris Team/ contractors must wait until the properties are dry as they are not allowed to transport wet soil or ash. There is NO snow allowed in the removal process.

Q: Will hazard trees that present a risk to public safety and other property be addressed?

A: In order to have "hazard trees" removed property owners must be in state program or the alternate program. The county will remove "hazard trees" if it is hazardous for county roads and right-of-way. Owners are responsible for any other trees remaining on a property after the "Hazard trees" are removed. "Hazard trees" mean only those that may impact a public road or right-of-way, but many other trees are still considered a hazard by property owners or neighbors. Utility companies may also remove hazardous trees on private property if trees pose a threat to the utility.