



# DEFENSIBLE SPACE

Defend your home against wildfires by  
creating a safe perimeter.

## ZONE 0



**Zone 0 extends 5 feet from buildings, structures, decks, etc.**

Use this checklist to make your home Zone 0 compliant!



Clear dead weeds, grass, and debris.  
Check roofs, gutters, and outdoor areas.



Use gravel, pavers, or concrete instead of  
combustible mulch.



Keep branches trimmed 10 feet away from  
chimneys and stovepipes.



Minimize combustible items like furniture  
and planters on deck.



Replace combustible fencing and gates  
with fire-resistant materials.



Shift garbage and recycling containers to a  
safer area outside this zone.

Don't forget to move firewood and lumber to Zone 2 (100 feet away) and relocate boats, RVs, and vehicles away from Zone 0 to reduce fire risks!

While not legally required yet, **Zone 0** is key for wildfire defense  
and preventing fires from spreading to your home!

Learn More at [ReadyForWildfire.org](https://www.ReadyForWildfire.org)

