

BC Local FireSmart Representative Workshop Series

The **BC FireSmart Committee**, in partnership with FireSmart™ Canada, is offering six Local FireSmart Representative (LFR) Workshops across British Columbia. These workshops will provide participants with the knowledge, skills and tools to protect their communities from wildfire by becoming *Local FireSmart Representatives*.

The Workshop Series will take place between **October 2018 and March 2019** in the following locations:

October 24-25	Kamloops	January 16-17	Prince George
November 21-22	Castlegar	February 6-7	Nanaimo
December 5-6	Williams Lake	March 13-14	Chilliwack

Who should attend?

Wildfire management staff, emergency management staff, rural or urban planners/managers, Office of the Fire Commissioner/Fire Marshall agency staff and Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) specialists are encouraged to attend. Local government, First Nation and elected officials familiar with WUI issues and FireSmart principles that wish to implement FireSmart initiatives and programs within their communities are also welcome to attend.

Space is limited and registration is required.

How will the workshop help your community?

The two day workshop provides participants with:

- An understanding of wildland fire behaviour, and how homes and structures could be threatened
- The full range of FireSmart mitigations for reducing wildfire risk in the WUI
- Strategies to aid residents in working together to reduce wildfire risk on the neighborhood scale
- Communication tools required to recruit, inform and motivate residents to take collective actions to reduce potential for wildfire losses

Workshop details

The two day workshop provides thirteen modules of FireSmart material that covers everything from WUI ignition information to the FireSmart Canada Community Recognition Program. The Community Resiliency Investment (CRI) Program and the BC FireSmart Committee will also be presented.

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To register please [click here](#)

You can also register by emailing FireSmart@gov.bc.ca



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