

Rossmoor, Walnut Creek CA

The retirement community of Rossmoor has been a long-term partner with Diablo Fire Safe Council and Contra Costa Fire Protection District. Each year they work on the open space surrounding homes. Over the years they have seen the direct benefit from this work; preventing fires from spreading from structure through the wildland. In 2010 the Rossmoor/DFSC project focused on Mutual #3 below buildings 1710 - 1780.

Rossmoor hired tree crews thinned a thicket of oaks located down slope of homes. Funding provided by a National Fire Plan grant from the USDA Forest Service through the California Fire Safe Council paid for chipping. The chips were used as landscape mulch in other parts of Rossmoor.

Before



After



Project statistics

Address: Stanley Dollar Drive Walnut Creek CA 94595

Acres treated: 12 acres

Project Funding: \$5,000

Project Match: \$20,355

Contractor: Waraner Bros. Tree Service, Clayton CA

Fire Department: Contra Costa Fire Protection District

Community members protected: 702

