# INCLINEPINES

### 2025 Wildfire Risk Mitigation Report

#### Introduction

Inclines Pines is a community of 40 freestanding homes on 12 acres overlooking Lake Tahoe's north shore.

# **Background**

The community was built in the mid-1970s as a condominium development- although it doesn't fit the common "condo" definition.



# **Open space**

Each unit comes with roughly one-third acre of undivided open space.

All that open space comes with responsibilities.





# Fire-safe programs

# Defensible space

The Incline Pines Homeowners Association spent \$34,000 in 2024 to clear pine needles, brush and the remove dead or dying trees identified by a licensed arborist.

The HOA works closely with the North Lake Tahoe Fire Protection District to identify potential fire hazards.





# Fire-resistant siding

The homes were originally built with wood and shake siding (pictured above).

All the original siding has been replaced with fire-resistant fiber cement material.

#### Fire-resistant decks

Many homeowners have replaced their original wood decks with fire-resistant composite lumber such as TimberTech and Trex.



#### Fire-resistant roofs

The roofs are a combination of metal and asphalt sheeting.

There are no attics or crawlspaces in the community, further restricting the ability of a wildfire to spread to the inside of the structures.

There are also no carports or garages.

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#### BurnBot

The HOA is in discussions with BurnBot, a California-based company operating remote-controlled machines that masticate and burn fuels in place to create "halo of protection".



# Summary

Incline Pines has taken extraordinary steps to address the growing danger of wildfire and has been recognized by the local fire agency for its leadership in fire prevention efforts.



