



Big Bear Roof Replacements



The threat of climate-related wildfires called the California Office of Emergency Services to action. Partnering with the Big Bear Lake Fire Protection District, The City of Big Bear Lake, and San Bernardino County Fire Protection District, the Office of Emergency Services set out to replace hazardous wood shake shingle roofs on structures identified by the Mountain Area Safety Taskforce near the San Bernardino National Forest boundaries. These high-risk structures were enhanced by replacing the wood shake shingles with 30-year Class A composition roofing material and by retrofitting homes with non-ember intrusion vents with the goal of reducing the risk of wildfire-destroyed homes by 51%. With the advent of climate-exacerbated wildfire, these precautionary measures are critical to protecting California homes.



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