

**TREE MORTALITY TASK FORCE
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Group Objectives

1. Support local-level identification of community storage locations for removed trees by:
 - a. Providing resources to assist local entities with regulations, agreements and policies associated with storage facilities.
 - b. Developing guidelines to limit liability related to the use of storage facilities.
 - c. Identifying applicable safety regulations associated with the use of such storage sites.
2. Encourage local entities to consider storage locations that can also act as utilization sites for various wood products and bioenergy production as appropriate.
3. Coordinate with the Resource Allocation Group and Bioenergy Group on distribution and location of portable equipment across high hazard zones.
4. Develop emergency guidelines setting forth the relevant criteria to remove dead and dying trees and incidental vegetation in high hazard zones (CAL FIRE).
5. Conduct public meetings as appropriate on regulations and guidelines developed pursuant to the Directives in the Proclamation.
6. Provide regular updates at Task Force meetings to ensure effective communication and geographic coordination among all task force groups and stakeholders.

Special Instructions

- Work assignments are consistent with Directives 2, 3, 7, 15 and 17 of the State of Emergency Proclamation.
- Suspension of regulations are specific to high hazard zones.
- Work with other federal, state, local, tribal, private and non-governmental entities as needed.

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