**Santa Margarita Area**
**Chipping Event 2012**  
*Fire Safe / Green Waste*

**WHAT:** The Fire Safe Council, with the assistance of CAL FIRE, is conducting a **FREE** chipping event to be held in portions of the Santa Margarita area. Sustained high temperatures and dry weather in the summertime create dangerous fire conditions. Chipping is a great way to clear your property of potential fire hazards. Disposing of green waste without burning also preserves our air quality.

**WHERE:** The event will cover portions of the Santa Margarita area including Tassajara Creek Rd, Carmel Ranchos, and the Parkhill Area. The project will be divided into 3 zones and chipped throughout the multi-week schedule.

| Zone 1: June 4-8 | Tassajara Creek Road |
| Zone 2: June 11-15 | Carmel Ranchos, Garden Farms |
| Zone 3: June 18-29 | Parkhill, Las Pilitas, Huer Huero |

Chipping will be done on weekdays only. Have your pile ready by the start date for your zone.

**WHEN:**

Zone 1: June 4-8  
Zone 2: June 11-15  
Zone 3: June 18-29

**HOW:** Sign up to reserve your spot. Fill out the attached form and drop it off or mail it to the Parkhill CAL FIRE Fire Station. **Sign-up forms will be accepted until** June 1 for Zone 1; June 8 for Zone 2; June 15 for Zone 3.

**VERY IMPORTANT – HOW TO PREPARE FOR THE CHIPPING EVENT:**

- Material to be chipped must be clean yard waste only (tree limbs, brush, etc.) – no metal, nails, barbwire, garbage, rocks, etc.
- **Not allowed:** grass, vines, bark, piles of leaves, juniper bushes and other light non-chippable material; No processed lumber and other non-vegetation material.
- All chips will be left on site in a pile for homeowner use. Chips will not be hauled away.
- Branches can not be thicker than 4 inches in diameter
- ALL material must be piled in a location easily accessed by the chipping vehicle. Vehicle will not leave the public roadway to access a green waste pile. Crews will not drag material long distances or over fences.
- Pile size limited to one ton. Pile dimensions no larger than 15ft. by 15ft by 4ft. high

**CHIPPING QUESTIONS? Call:** (805) 242-6305  
**Or visit our Website:** WWW.FSCSLO.ORG or WWW.NCSD.CA.GOV

Fill out required information below  
Clip on line

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**FIRE SAFE / GREEN WASTE CHIPPING EVENT**

Name: ___________________________________________  Phone: ___________________________________________

Address: _________________________________________  Nearest Cross Street: _________________________

Estimate the size of your green waste pile (length x width x height): ______ ft x ______ ft x ______ ft

Estimate the number of hours for you to create green waste pile? ________ Hours.

Comments: ______________________________________________________________________________________
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**To reserve your spot, take or mail this form to:**  
CAL FIRE Parkhill Station, 6140 Parkhill Rd, Santa Margarita, CA 93453

*Forms must be received before deadlines listed above!*  
*NO LATE REGISTRATIONS*
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