



Fire Adapted Communities Learning Network

Post-Fire Recovery Resources

A state-by-state guide to recovery tools and post-fire landscape resources

ABOUT THIS INDEX

Wildfire recovery needs vary widely by place and by fire. This index highlights state, local-government, and land-grant Extension resources that can help residents, landowners, local leaders, and community organizations navigate wildfire recovery.

Resources range from individual assistance and rebuilding to post-fire flooding, watershed recovery, reforestation, rangeland management, and financial assistance. Not every state maintains a dedicated wildfire-recovery portal; this list emphasizes states with substantive recovery resources.

Links were checked in August 2026 and we will add to and update this list as new content becomes available. To submit a link to this resource email info@fireadaptednetwork.org.

Arizona

After Wildfire: A Guide for Arizona Communities | Arizona Wildfire Initiative / Northern Arizona University and partners

A comprehensive guide for residents, local officials, emergency managers, and community organizations navigating the period after wildfire. It brings together guidance on financial assistance, insurance, post-fire flooding, erosion, health and safety, animals, emotional recovery, and longer-term community resilience.

California

California Statewide Wildfire Recovery Resources | California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES)

California's statewide portal for people and communities recovering from wildfire. It brings together information on disaster assistance, debris removal, rebuilding, housing, health and safety, and other state and federal recovery services.

Colorado

Response and Recovery | Colorado State University Extension

A practical Extension hub for households, landowners, agricultural producers, and communities recovering from disasters, including wildfire. Resources address property and landscape recovery, financial and family needs, livestock and agriculture, and longer-term resilience.

Hawai'i

Maui County Office of Recovery | County of Maui

Established following the August 2023 Maui wildfires, the Office of Recovery serves as the County's central hub for coordinating long-term recovery. The site provides information on Maui's recovery framework and plans, rebuilding and infrastructure efforts, funding and assistance programs, community engagement, and coordination among community and government partners.

Idaho

Recovery Resources After a Wildfire | Idaho Office of Emergency Management

A statewide clearinghouse for wildfire survivors and affected landowners. It organizes resources for housing and individual assistance, farms and ranches, forest and landscape restoration, financial support, health and safety, and other recovery needs.

Kansas

Kansas Wildfire Recovery Resources | Kansas Department of Agriculture

A recovery collection developed for communities and agricultural producers affected by major Kansas wildfires. It emphasizes ranch and farm recovery, livestock needs, fencing and infrastructure, financial assistance, donations, and connections to state and federal programs.



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Minnesota

[Financial Recovery After Disaster](#) | University of Minnesota Extension

A practical guide to the financial side of disaster recovery for individuals and families. It covers organizing records, insurance and assistance, prioritizing expenses, avoiding scams, and making financial decisions during a stressful recovery period.

Montana

[Post-Fire Landscape Recovery Guide](#) | Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation

A landowner-focused guide to what happens on burned landscapes and how to make sound decisions after fire. It addresses tree mortality, erosion, revegetation, weeds, reforestation, salvage, wildlife habitat, and when active treatment may - or may not - be needed.

Nebraska

[Wildfire Recovery Resources for Landowners and Producers](#) | University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension

A substantial collection designed for ranchers, farmers, and rural landowners recovering from wildfire. Topics include livestock, fencing and infrastructure, grazing and rangeland recovery, financial assistance, taxes, mental health, and available federal and state programs.

Nevada

[Wildfire Rehabilitation & Restoration](#) | Nevada Division of Forestry

A state forestry resource focused on ecological recovery following wildfire. It explains Nevada's approach to soil stabilization, watershed and hydrologic recovery, revegetation, invasive species, restoration, and building longer-term landscape resilience.

New Mexico

[After Wildfire Guide](#) | New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department - Forestry Division

One of the most comprehensive state post-fire resources available. The guide covers organizing community recovery, individual and public assistance, post-fire flooding and debris-flow risk, erosion and watershed treatments, landowner decisions, financial resources, and long-term recovery.

North Dakota

[Wildfire Recovery](#) | State of North Dakota

A centralized state recovery page created for people, producers, and communities affected by wildfire. It connects users to agricultural assistance, financial resources, health and behavioral-health support, damage reporting, donations, and state and federal recovery programs.

Oklahoma

[Wildfire](#) | Oklahoma State University Extension

A practical collection for Oklahomans before and after wildfire, with a particularly strong focus on rural residents and agricultural producers. Recovery topics include assessing losses, livestock and pasture needs, damaged trees and landscapes, financial impacts, stress, and rebuilding.

Oregon

[After a Wildfire](#) | Oregon State University Extension Fire Program

An accessible starting point for landowners and residents recovering from a wildfire. It links to guidance on assessing fire effects, tree survival and mortality, erosion, invasive plants, regeneration, reforestation, salvage, and long-term land management. Resources include stories, podcasts, guides, checklists, and practical tools.



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Texas

[Get Help After the Fire](#) | Texas A&M Forest Service

A direct assistance and resource hub for Texans affected by wildfire. Landowners can connect with Texas A&M Forest Service specialists for post-fire assessments and find information on recovery practices, financial assistance, grants, and other programs.

Utah

[Utah Post-Wildfire Team](#) | Utah State University Extension and partner agencies

Utah's Post-Wildfire Team is a multi-agency effort that helps communities understand and manage risks after large fires. The program supports local leaders and emergency managers with technical expertise, education, post-fire hazard information, and recovery strategies.

Washington

[After the Fire Washington](#) | Washington Resource Conservation and Development Council

A centralized post-fire recovery hub for landowners, businesses, and communities across Washington State. The site organizes practical resources by recovery need including personal and family recovery, homeowners, agriculture, forest and landscape recovery, erosion control, debris cleanup, and financial and technical assistance.

Wisconsin

[Recovery](#) | Wisconsin Emergency Management

Wisconsin's general disaster-recovery hub for individuals, communities, and local governments. Although not wildfire-specific, it provides a useful entry point to state and federal assistance, recovery planning, damage assessment, and community recovery resources.

Wyoming

[Wildfire Recovery Resources](#) | University of Wyoming

A resource covering the full fire cycle from preparedness and evacuation to recovery and rebuilding. It compiles state and federal grant and assistance programs, burn severity assessments, erosion control, fencing and rebuilding and connections to local technical assistance.

A note on recovery resources: Programs and funding change after individual disasters. Users should confirm current eligibility, deadlines, and requirements with local partners and agencies.