

Hazard Control

- Eliminate the hazards with qualified sawyers, blasters/explosives, or heavy equipment.
- Avoid hazards by designating No Work Zones (flag, sign, map, and communicate).
- Modify suppression tactics or fireline location to avoid high-risk areas.
- Post lookouts to help secure high-risk areas.
- Utilize road/traffic controls in high-risk areas.
- Fireproof potential hazard trees to prevent ignition.
- Keep clear of bucket drops near trees/snags.
- Reposition firefighters to secure areas in response to high winds in forecast.
- Provide timely feedback to others regarding any hazard trees.

In addition to suppression and mop up operations, assess, control, and monitor hazard trees along roads and when selecting break areas or campsites.