

# 2008 Wildland Urban Interface Building Code Changes: Training Workshop and Product Exhibit

Presented by the University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) in collaboration with the Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) and the County of San Diego



**Date:** Thursday, December 13, 2007  
**Place:** DoubleTree Club Hotel  
 1515 Hotel Circle South  
 San Diego, CA 92108  
**Time:** 8:30 am - 4:30 pm



## Chapter 7A of the California Building Code -

**Materials and Construction Methods for Exterior Wildfire Exposure** was approved by the Building Standards Commission and will become effective January 2008. This new chapter of the code applies to new construction in Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) areas. It establishes minimum standards for the protection of life and property by increasing the ability of a building to resist intrusion of flame and burning embers.

## What will this mean for you?

Learn how at this workshop designed for building officials, fire officials, planners, building materials manufacturers, developers, architects, structural engineers and other building professionals.

## Description:

Morning Session - The morning session will provide working knowledge of this new chapter in the California Building Code with:

1. Information on the mapping of Fire Hazard Severity Zones (FHSZ)
2. Information on the State Fire Marshal standards that apply to Chapter 7A, and other information on testing requirements and acceptance criteria for exterior-use building materials, and
3. Information on the State Fire Marshal Building Materials Listing (BML) program that provides a procedure for testing, labeling, and listing products that comply for use.

Afternoon Session - The afternoon session will provide information and discussion on how the California Building Code changes specifically impact the municipal and unincorporated areas of San Diego County.

Manufacturer Exhibit - The exhibit will feature manufacturers who offer building products that meet the new State building requirements.

## Topics Covered:

- How buildings are exposed to wildfire
- Applicability and Implementation
- Roof Coverings and Assemblies
- Gutters
- Vents
- Related test procedures
- Eaves
- Exterior Walls
- Windows
- Decking
- Doors
- Projections
- Other buildings on the parcel

**Registration Fee:** \$25.00 per person (Includes workshop packet, informational CD and lunch)

## Registration: Deadline—Friday, December 7, 2007

For credit card payment, register online at [www.cesandiego.ucdavis.edu](http://www.cesandiego.ucdavis.edu).

For payment by check, mail registration form and check payable to "UC Regents" (See below)



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 Last First

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Refreshments and lunch will be provided. Please let us know your preference:

- Turkey     Roast Beef     Ham     Vegetarian

RETURN TO: UC Cooperative Extension San Diego -Wildfire Zone, 5555 Overland Ave., Ste. 4101, San Diego, CA 92123

## QUESTIONS?

For registration and general workshop information, contact Jan Gonzales at (858) 694-8955, [janis.gonzales@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:janis.gonzales@sdcounty.ca.gov)

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## **CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE: CHAPTER 7A WORKSHOP TRAINING AND EXHIBIT**

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**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2007**

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#### **Workshop and Exhibit Schedule**

Check-In	8:00 am
Training	8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Lunch	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm (Lunch provided)
Local Impacts	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Product Exhibit	12:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Call UCCE San Diego for more information: (858) 694-8955

#### **Directions**

**From the North:** I-5 South to I-8 East (El Centro Fwy.); immediately move into right lane. Exit Hotel Circle/Taylor St.; turn left at stoplight onto Hotel Circle Drive South. Hotel is 1/2 mile down on the right.

**From the South:** I-5 North to I-8 East (El Centro Fwy.) and immediately move into the right lane. Exit Hotel Circle/Taylor St.; turn left at stoplight onto Hotel Circle Drive South. Hotel is 1/2 mile down on the right.

**From the East:** I-8 West (El Centro Fwy.); exit Hotel Circle/Taylor St. and follow the freeway overpass to the stop sign. Turn left at stop sign onto Hotel Circle Drive South. Hotel is 1/2 mile down on the right.

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