## **Local Response**

A Proclamation of a Local Health Emergency

#### What kind of HELP is needed?

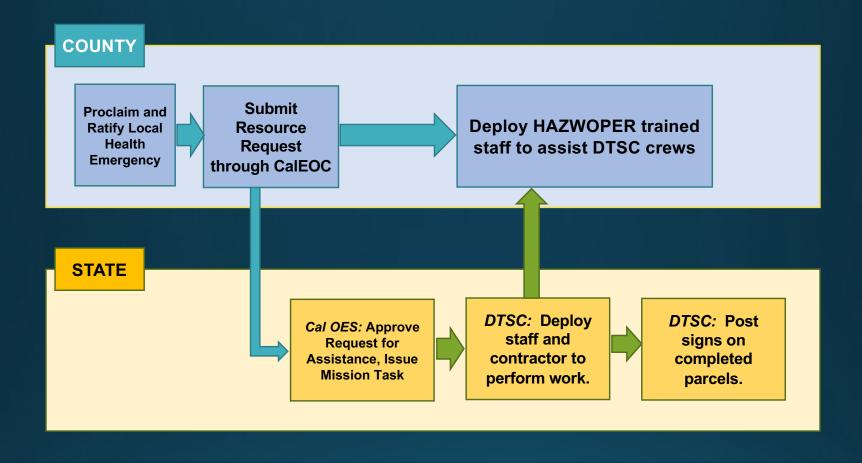
Proclaim a local state of emergency

Request State/Federal Assistance

Request Private Property Debris Removal

**Urgency Ordinance** 

Proclaim a Local Health Emergency



## Request Process

## County Continues Engagement



Proclaim a Local Health Emergency for the City/County



Collect, review and approve Right of Entry (ROE) forms



Coordinate with local, state, and federal agencies regarding regulatory requirements for debris operations.



Organize Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO)



Review completed work for each APN to verify all work is completed and sign off so that APN can be returned to Homeowner.



## Disaster Debris Types

- PHASE I: HHW
  - Paints
  - Cleaners
  - Fuel
  - Acute asbestos
  - Lithium-ion batteries

- PHASE II: Ash & Debris
  - Asbestos
  - Construction / Concrete / Household Contents
  - Electronics
  - Vehicles & Tires
  - Remains
  - Unexploded Ordinance (UXO)

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Other Types of Debris: Vegetation, Sediment, Dead animals

# Debris Related Health & Safety Concerns

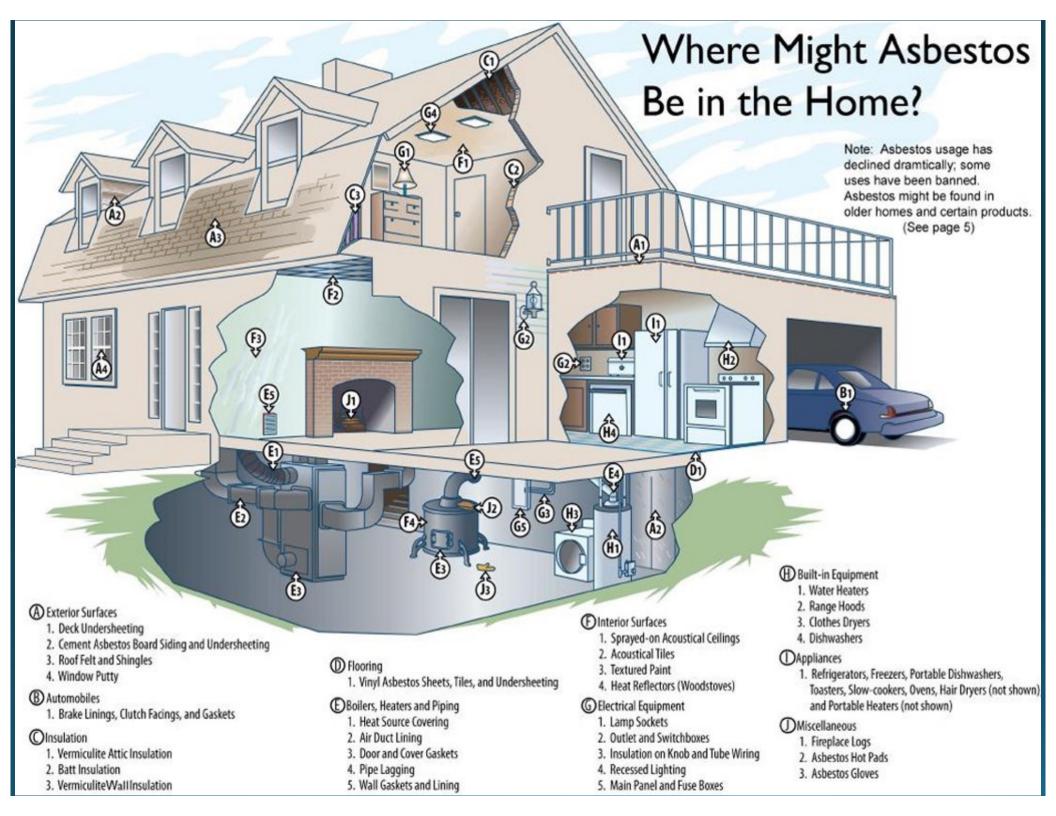


3 Paths to Human Exposure



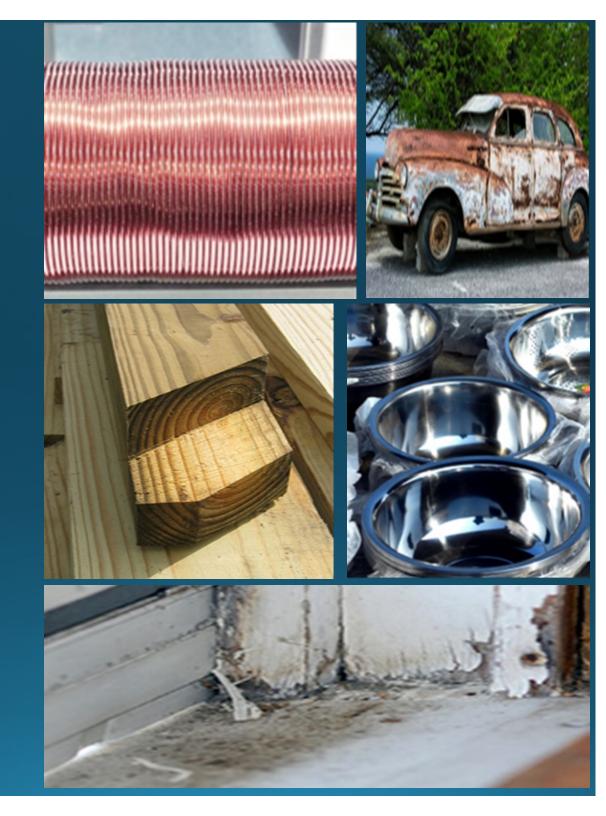
## Ash & Debris





# Toxic Metals Found in Fire Debris

- ARSENIC
- COPPER
- CHROMIUM
- LEAD



## **Debris Streams**

#### Landfills are reviewed and approved at the early stages of the project.

#### Asbestos

 Must be taken to a lined Class III Landfill, permitted to accept asbestos

#### Chimneys

- If not containing asbestos, will be removed with ash/debris
- If containing asbestos, must be taken to a permitted and lined Class III Landfill

#### Vehicles

 Recycled as metal once the appropriate adjudication is completed

#### Metals

Taken to a metal recycling facility

#### Ash/Debris

This is disposed of at an approved landfill

#### Concrete

 Recycled or transported to an approved landfill

#### Soil

Disposed of at an approved landfill

\*Hazardous Materials – Sometimes not all hazardous materials are located and removed earlier in the process. If found during debris removal, these are set aside for DTSC to conduct a pick-up.

## Soil Sampling Confirmation (mg/kg)

	Sb	As	Ba	Be	Cd	Cr	Со
Regulatory Screening Levels	31	0.11	9,999	16	7.1	2,499	23
Background Level	0.38	4.9	210	0.44	1.1	51	14
Tv Area Cleanup Goal	31	4.9	9,999	16	7.1	2,499	23

Cu	Pb	Hg	Мо	Ni	Se	Ag	TI	V	Zn
2,499	80	1	390	820	99	390	5	390	4,999
68	74	0.4	2.3	44	0.7	0.17	0.10	90	210
2,499	80	1.0	390	820	99	390	5.0	390	4,999

- DTSC, Office of Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment, Note 3, June 2020 (HERO Note 3)
- CalEPA, Revised California Human Health Screening Levels (CHHSL), September
   2010
- California Hazardous Waste Total Threshold Limits Concentration (TTLC),
   California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Chapter 11, Article 3
- U.S. EPA Regional Soil Levels (RSL)

## Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

- Respirator
- N-95 mask
- Gloves
- Long shirts and pants
- Shoe coverings
- Safety eyewear

Wear Protective Gear

## WHO PAYS?

#### **Public program**

- Federal/State/ Local partnership
- Insurance + public disaster funding

#### **PRIVATE** (residential Phase II)

• Private/Insurance

#### **COMMERCIAL**

- Special Inclusion request made by county
- FEMA may fund

#### **INSURANCE\*\***

- The County is responsible for collecting insurance
- Only collect "debris removal" portion of insurance policy (if any)
- Do not take all insurance proceeds
- No charge to Homeowner if there is no insurance