14. Comments

I donâ€[™]t understand question 6. What is "Answer 1,2 or 3?

Why are there 3 answers to choose from? TCE is working to become Fire Wise participants, to lower insurance rates, a protect our homes. TCE continues with its 25% incentive plan reimbursements to homeowners added to the counties 50% and ToBR \$100.

I'm not sure what you mean?

Homeowners and insurance companies should know what is best. Problem is education to reduce wildfires. Aren't a majority of wildfires caused by humans?

Important, but it should be at the homeowner level, not the national forest level. We messed that up generations ago.

I assume that this was meant to be high, medium and low as the others above - high concern for me

Iâ€TMm not sure if this question came across clear? The answers are answer. 12 and three I donâ€TMt know how to respond.

High priority ; Iâ€TM m not sure what one, two, and three mean. The

Protection of homes and natural forest is most important.

Fire pits should not be allowed, especially at rental properties. Cars should be ticketed for parking on roads - this is hazardous for fire trucks. I like the fire mitigation incentives provided tree management companies.

I think that it is wise to consistently work on fire mitigation projects and possibly plan and practice emergency evacuations

This is important but needs to consider private property rights.

NA

High concern

Yes weâ€[™]re still in the forest transition geography and need to continue to work to mitigate this risk.

High priority. We have already done our fire mitigation around our house and others need to do the same. Concern of fire from cigarettes thrown out of car windows driving on highway 9.

I wish all the trees in the neighborhoods got cut down instead of the mountainsides.

"Mitigation―means lessening the impact caused by wildlife. Without a clear understanding of specific "mitigation― the topic is too vague/nebulous to rate and give comment. It is a part of the "Safety" topic and need not be on the priority list.

I do t see any choices this is not a question and bad for the survey itself

Potential fuel for a fire; There is a property on Coronet adjacent to my property that has an excess of stacked wood. I believe it is in excess of the amount allowed in our ordinance.

High importance

what are the "answers"?

Good job on fuel mitigation

??? Unsure of what the 3 "Answers" entail. We have had fire mitigation, appreciated the Fire Dept consultation, and landscape with all due diligence.

But the renters in the adjacent duplex can have a campfire and

Doing everything we can, but not everyone doing so.

?? I suppose answer 1 is meant to be "high".

Timber Creek Estates reimbursed all homeowners 50% of the cost of mitigation and the Fire Marshall and County see TCE as the best example of proactive mitigation. We spent significant monies that we wish all of Blue rRiver homeowners would consider.

I know not everyone likes the fire mitigation but I think it is necessary and needs to be done. Same with the chipping program.

All fire mitigation should be a vital part of mountain communities.

high

safe zonesr around homes is essential and continuing slash cleanups

It is good to stay on top of this before there is a disaster.

Town government appears to justify illegal/unauthorized tree removal & wetland willows as "wildfire mitigation." Factors, such as nearness to waterways, should be considered acceptable mitigation practices. Implement acceptable mitigation practices.

Annual plans seem to fit the needs.

In addition to hazardous fuels reduction, water cisterns should be implemented throughout the Town of Blue River.

Seems like the Town has been good with this issue

Good to sponsor fire mitigation. Maybe the town could recommend which houses are considered a danger...

Assuming answer 1 = high priority.

The forest service has already ruined our view with its slaughter of live trees. NO MORE CUTTING

We need more cisterns in neighborhoods, both to fight an actual fire and also to help with homeowner's insurance premiums.

Camp Fire ðŸ"¥ regulation

Not sure what these choices mean

Have worked with Red White Blue to assess what I can do to protect my property and othersâ€TM should there be a wildfire in our area. Very helpful!

Well if the green wood burns then we all burn. Only issue is the beetle kill.

Liked that the city help do the bond for mitigation at our house, we feel much safer for it

We live in Colorado Springs and rent full-time to local tenants... having several weekends for disposal of branches/trees could be useful. Or more reseven more reources, list of willing companies who are available/paid to haul downed trees.

BIG TIME! we have done what we can for our yard and house, but others do not do anything.

Not sure what to put here!

I'm assuming this was supposed to read "high, medium, low―like the other questions so I picked "answer 1â€Indicating "high priorityâ€□

Not sure what answer 1-3 means. We need to continue to mitigate wildfire.

Very important with where we live. The current programs we stand behind and hope that they continue to make our town more fire safe. I hope that we continue with the chipping program in the future. The trees marked along the street we hope are remov.

Start the discussion and planning to underground utilities to harden that infrastructure.

insurance companies are making this a top priority for all mountain communities, and we all need to be very pro-active in wildfire mitigation and hope there are grants to be provided to help accomplish.

Wide fires are a concern and people driving highway 9 throughout cigarette butts.

The fire breaks are a good idea. I took advantage of the fire mitigation on my property, unfortunately my neighbors did not because they donâ€TMt live there- just rent it out

Is there some way to still have a beautiful forested surroundings and have less fire risk? Perhaps under ground power would be the ideal solution

Wildfire mitigation must be a high priority for Blue Rive. It isn't clear what the "Answers" pertain to.

WE have used it.

Stop cutting all trees. A plan to thin trees might be welcome.

I don't understand the options. But of course, fire mitigation is high priority. Probably the highest priority for me.

Most of us have been doing wildfire mitigation since the "Beetle Kill" came through years ago. I think the grants are helpful for some residents. Grant money should not be used for nearly clear cutting view corridors on lots.

The mitigation efforts seem to be needlessly ugly and perhaps useless They were never explained adequately

No concern, as the forest service has been clear cutting the valley.

"answer 1; answer 2, answer 3"?? What?

Wildfire mitigation is a nice idea, but the reality is short of clear cutting the entire valley, nothing will stop a wildfire. I don't think ToBR has anywhere near the resources that project would entail, nor d

All good. I worry about the short term rentals obeying the rules or even reading the rules. ATVs destroying the roads and noise pollution. Lights glowing in a carnival atmosphere. Short term doesnâ€TMt mean Lind term awareness.

This is a concern. I appreciate that the town and forest service continue to review and look at ways to mitigate the concern

The campers up Pennsylvania Creek make me nervous, due to the careless way fires are maintained. Iâ€TMve seen campsites with a burning fire when nobody was there.

Trying to cite "high" or answer 1? Beyond road safety, this is the other largest safety issue, is being address anywhere the town can.

Medium.

I don't know what your choices mean. It's obviously VERY important.

Thank you for asking.

I donâ€[™]t know what you are asking

Town can not control the environment which community is in, nor forest service and summit county.

If your answer is to clear cut then why live in this environment..

Okay

Always good to keep on top of

Is there a link to home insurance cost? As that has increased substantially since the fires north of us a couple of years ago.

See comments above.

High. Do something about the owners that refuse to cut down trees within 30 feet of their dwelling and affect their neighbors

Wildfire mitigation is high priority

I would hope that the insurance companies would take care of that by surveying the homes and making sure theyâ€TMre within a required distance along with Blue River fire department

Mitigation efforts having success. I don't see the STRs participating in our neighborhood however.

The town has done a nice job coordinating the wildfire mitigation efforts. It was a big impact having the logging trucks on Spruce Creek road but they did operate within the designated hours and did not speed.

Always a priority.

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We have participated in the fire mitigation on our lot. This an important topic.