

In many areas of the Rocky Mountains, wildlands have become overgrown and unhealthy. This buildup of vegetation leads to volatile fire conditions and makes forests more susceptible to bark beetle attacks.

Through fire prevention efforts, thinning trees and other vegetation, and community wildfire protection planning, fire managers can help prevent losses before wildfires start. These efforts are most effective when communities, agencies and others work together to create a healthy, productive environment.

To learn more about the natural role of fire and what you can do to help you and your community steer clear of fire danger, visit the Rocky Mountain Wildland Fire Information website at:

www.rockymountainwildlandfire.info

