



Los Angeles County Public Works

900 South Fremont Avenue, Alhambra, CA 91803-1331

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Website: recovery.lacounty.gov

OPT-OUT

LOS ANGELES COUNTY LOCAL FIRE DEBRIS REMOVAL PROGRAM

Who needs to complete this form? Property owners with destroyed structures identified by a government agency who elect **not** to participate in the Government-run debris removal program (Program) and choose to clean up their property on their own, or with a qualified contractor OR properties that do not qualify for the Program. The work must be done to standards established in ordinances and regulations so that health and safety risks are adequately addressed for the community and the environment. Documentation on adequate cleanup and proper disposal will be required including US EPA Phase I clearance. Federal/State disaster funding will not be able to reimburse for this work.

Where do I submit this form? You may submit application in the following ways:

- At any County Building and Safety Office near you. To find the nearest office, visit dpw.lacounty.gov/building-and-safety/about#buildingLocation
- At any Disaster Recovery Centers open daily from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM. Visit recovery.lacounty.gov/recovery-centers/ for locations
- By mail to: Los Angeles County Public Works - Environmental Programs Division
Attention: Debris Removal Team, P.O. Box 1460 Alhambra, CA 91802-1460
- By email to optout@pw.lacounty.gov

Please include the Property Address or Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) in the subject line and limit file size to 150 megabytes (MB).

Property Owner Name: _____ Phone(s): _____

Property Address: _____ City: _____

Assessor's Parcel Number (APN): _____ Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Mailing City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Description of Debris Being Removed (how many structures, type of waste, etc.)



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A. Program Participation

Who will perform the debris removal? ☐ Owner ☐ Licensed Contractor

If hiring a contractor, please provide the following:

Name of Contractor: _____

License Number: _____

Proposed Start Date: _____

Required: Phase I clearance from USEPA and a permit from Los Angeles County Public Works is required prior to starting debris cleanup.

B. Property Owner Acceptance

I understand that I will have to follow the protocols outlined in the "**Management of Los Angeles County Wildfire Debris**" document and specifications for private debris removal. I agree that the appropriately licensed contractor(s) that will perform the work in accordance with the work plans that demonstrate that the standards and requirements established for the Local Program are met. I understand the ash and debris shall be wetted down prior to removal and dust shall be controlled. The ash and debris shall also be completely encapsulated with a tarp ("burrito wrap" method) prior to being transported for disposal.

Property Owner Signature (Required): _____ Date: _____

Contractor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Los Angeles County Acknowledgement: _____ Date: _____