

Division of Forestry Structure Protection Matrix

Structure Location Identified
In Known Sites Database

Legal Ownership

No Legal Ownership

Primary Residence or
Commercial Business
CRITICAL

Secondary Residence or
Recreational Structure or Part-Time
Business
FULL

No Permanent
Structure
NON-SENSITIVE

Fire Manager Direction: Examples of Criteria to Consider

- Resources available
- Weather
- Defensible space
- Firefighter safety
- Fuel type
- Time
- Availability of supplies

Plumb and Defend

Plumb and Run

Burn Out and Mop-Up

No Protection