



SPARKS of Interest

Newsletter # 10



New Year's Resolutions (Better late than never)

Protect your home against potential wildfires by using the following

RESOURCES FOR HOMEOWNERS

Disposal of landscape slash/branches

Las Vegas City Transfer Station, North Las Vegas 35 Aragon Rd. 505-425-0360. Hours: 7:30-3:30 M-F; 9:12 Saturday

Permit Required. Available at Utilities Building, 1335 1st Street (just off Mills Ave). Ask for "Memo Billing, Landfill Account" form.

Bills will be mailed to you.

Call to make sure they have space for your load. Cost: by the pound (e.g. \$180 lb.= \$4.20) plus vehicle (pickup \$10.; trailer-\$20.) No stumps. Branches no longer than 6 ft., 6" in diameter.. Allowable landscape material incl. scrub oak, leaves, pine cones, etc.

Chipper Rental for brush disposal

Tierra Y Montes Soil and Water Conservation District 505-425-9088, available T-F, 8-4

Rate is \$55/hr. with a 3 hr. minimum, if rental exceeds 4hrs it becomes a full day rental at \$200.00).

Call before you begin clearing for technical advice, availability, and other details. Brush must be recent, old brush cannot be disposed of via this chipper.

Do It Yourself Chipper / Equipment Rental

FLOYD'S RENTAL CENTER 505-425-5858 1801 N. Grand

BTU DO IT CENTER 505-434-1020 900 Mills

Equipment possibilities: (Call for prices and availability)

Stringer (walk behind) mower

Chippers

String trimmer

High weed Billy Goat

Dump trailer

Etc.



Recommended Resources from Ojitos Frios Ranches Residents

Reflective Sign w/ Emergency address number. \$6.00 (including delivery) 707-462-1085

Wildfire Risk Assessment Checklist, free, 707-462-1085

Woodstove Installation & Chimney Sweep
Matt Jensson 505-670-3267

Sawmill, Hwy 283
Ralph Barela 505-425-9479 505-760-1490

Yard Work/ Landscape & Tree Cutting
Manual M. 575-781-1459

Alfalfa Hay. Las Vegas
Dallas 505-429-5463

Road Work/ Dirt work
Girard Garcia 575-387-2794 575-517-9059

Tree Trimming & Pruning
Abe Dykestraw 505-426-6963 505-426-6990

Sun Ridge Electric
Michael Espinoza 505-425- 5777 505-429-0595

Fence Line & Tree clearing
Benjamin. 720-936-5127

Right-of-Way Grass Mowing
Rubin. 505-617-5942

Tree Trimming
Juan Duran 505-429-2407

Platinum Junk & Waste Removal
Joseph & Pete Martinez 505-426-6211

Handyman, Tree trimming/pruning, Hauling, Weed-eating
Trinity Dale 505-429-7837.

Forestry Consultation

Shannon Atencio: Las Vegas District Ranger
NM Forestry Division. 505-425-7442

Jarrold Duran: Fire Management Officer
NM Forestry Division 505-425-7442

Alexander Etkind, Timber Management Officer
NM Forestry Division. 505-425-7472

Homeowners' Insurance

Call your insurance agent with questions or to conduct assessment at your home.

or

Farm Bureau Financial Services.

JoAnn Alcon-Ortiz, agent 505-425-5404, 2501 Church St.

