

INTRODUCING THE FIRST NATIONS' EMERGENCY SERVICES SOCIETY FIRESMART ™ TEAM

The First Nations' Emergency Services Society (FNESS) and FireSmart BC are working together to support First Nations in building community wildfire resiliency.

WHAT WE DO

Every FireSmart **journey** is unique. We are passionate about helping First Nations navigate where to start and what steps to take to build a more wildfire resilient community. Contact us for help with:

- Questions, feedback, or support regarding the FireSmart BC program.
- Guidance on FireSmart BC resources and programing
- Work with the FNESS Mitigation Specialist/Liaison and First Nation communities in accessing funding through the Community Resiliency Investment (CRI) or the FNESS-Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) On-reserve FireSmart Program.
- Suggestions on ensuring First Nation perspective and input are included in the FireSmart program.
- Support for local FireSmart positions working for First Nations in BC.
- Support for research projects within a community, or to serve a community.
- FireSmart Training/Mentoring to FireSmart staff positions
- Deliver FireSmart Education Presentations
- Participate in FireSmart Community events

WHO WE ARE

- Amanda Reynolds: FireSmart Division Supervisor
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