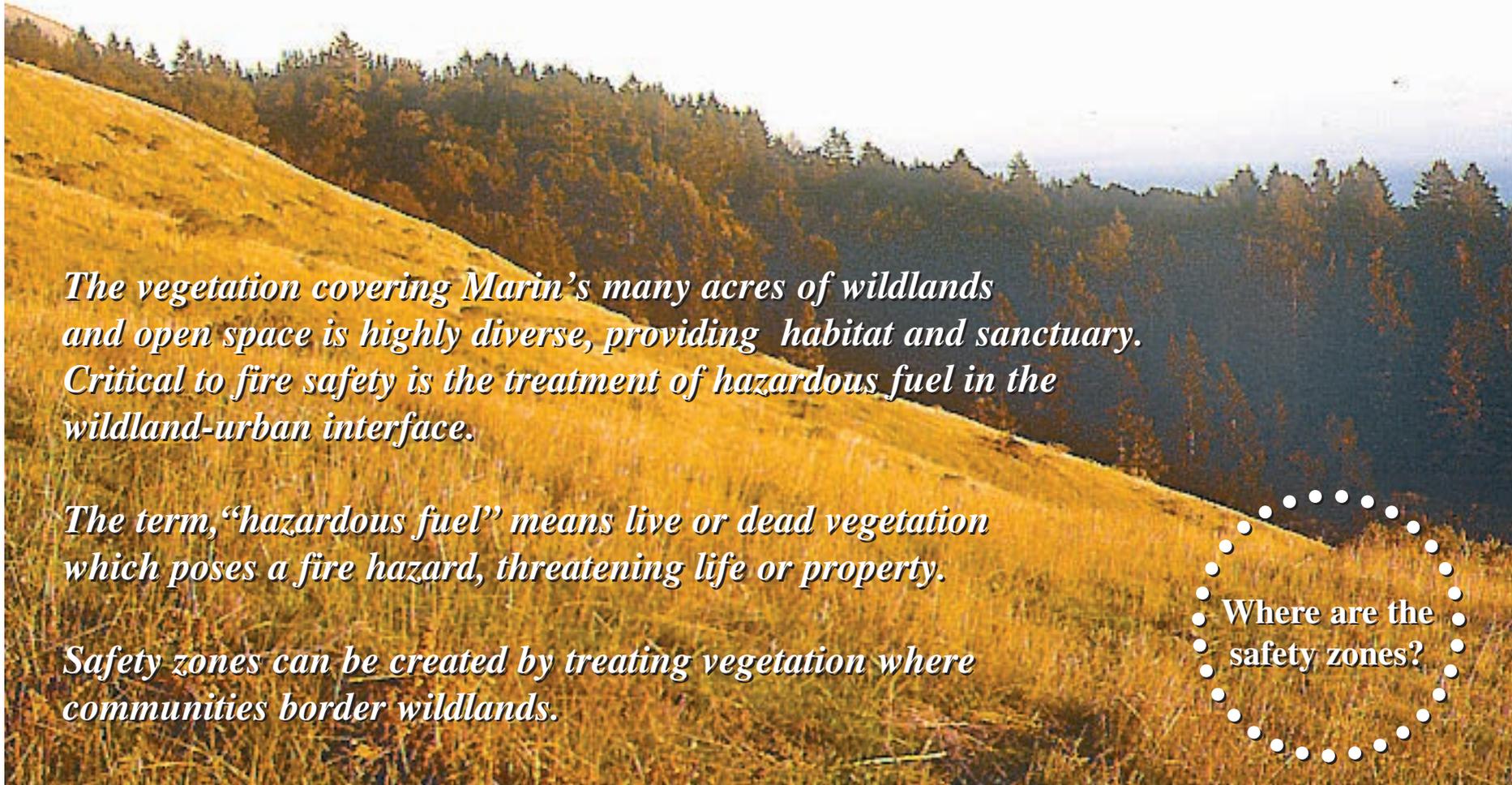


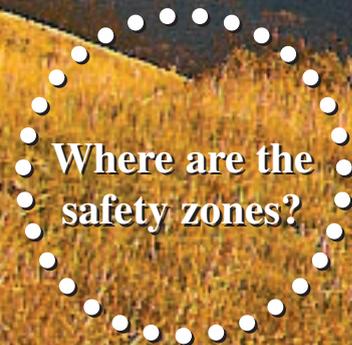
Wildlands in Marin



The vegetation covering Marin's many acres of wildlands and open space is highly diverse, providing habitat and sanctuary. Critical to fire safety is the treatment of hazardous fuel in the wildland-urban interface.

The term, "hazardous fuel" means live or dead vegetation which poses a fire hazard, threatening life or property.

Safety zones can be created by treating vegetation where communities border wildlands.



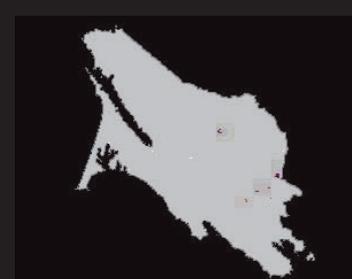
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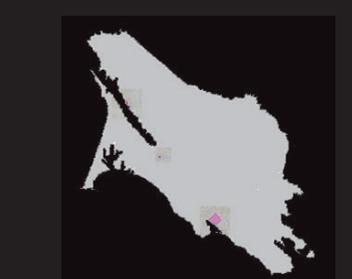
State Park Lands



Water District Lands



County Parks and Open Space



Private Biosphere Preserve Lands

Fire Prone Natives

These plants are part of a natural system which includes periodic fire.



Bishop pine

Examples:

- California bay
- Douglas fir
- Tanoak
- Coyote brush
- Manzanita
- Huckleberry
- Chamise
- Chinquapin
- Coffeeberry

Fire Prone Non-Natives

These plants increase fuel loads and make wildland fires burn hotter.



Broom



Pampass grass

Examples:

- Eucalyptus
- Monterey Pine
- Gorse



Velvet grass

Fire Resistant Natives

These plants are ideal for fire safe landscaping.

Examples:

- Coast redwood
- Geranium
- Star jasmine
- Yerba santa
- Salal
- Red flowering current
- Stickey monkey flower
- Big leaf maple
- Buckthorn



Coast live oak (and other native oaks)