Free Chipping - Monday, May 8, 2017

Participation takes three easy steps:

- 1 Make your curbside pile(s).
- 2 Flag your pile(s) using the pink flagging tape in the mailbox shed.
- 3 Email **grants@yosemitewest.org** to let us know you have pile(s). (If we have already flagged your pile, we know it's there.)

The chipping crew will "sweep" through the community Monday, May 8th and then periodically throughout the duration of the CAL FIRE SRAFPF grant-funded project. Property owners do *not* have to be present when the chipper comes. The chips will be blown back and dispersed or piled on your property as determined by the crew.

Chipping Pile Guidelines

Chipping Do's

- ✓ Hand pile brush and branches with cut ends pointing in the same direction towards the street.
- ✓ Generate substantial-sized piles; consolidate piles with your neighbors where possible, which will speed up chipping.

Chipping Don'ts

- X No piles in the street.
- X No rocks, pine needles, pine cones, lumber, or garbage.
- X No limbs greater than 8" in diameter.
- X No piles higher than waist height.
- X No machine-made or dozer-made piles.
- X No "kindling-sized" piles; which wastes the crew's time (i.e., if it looks like kindling, it is).

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