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**NEW: Megafire Action Statement on the California Board of Forestry and Fire Protection's
Adoption of Zone 0**

SACRAMENTO, Calif. – Today, the California Board of Forestry and Fire Protection adopted new Zone 0 regulations aimed at reducing the risk of home ignition during wildfires. In response, Megafire Action released the following statement:

“California is taking a big step toward making more homes resilient when catastrophic wildfire strikes,” **Eric Horne, California Director, Megafire Action.** “Today’s rule is grounded in science, practical for homeowners, and strengthened by the voices of Californians who helped shape it. We commend the Board of Forestry for putting forward a thoughtful standard that will meaningfully reduce wildfire risk and help protect more homes. As the compliance period begins, we stand ready to partner with the state in enacting new policies and programs to make adoption desirable, achievable, and affordable.”

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