

## Detroit

### What You Need to Know about Debris Removal

We know many are anxious to return to properties damaged or destroyed by fires; however, it's important to follow the process carefully to protect your health, the environment, and the community's ability to rebuild as quickly as possible.

Most important will be for you to complete a **Right of Entry form by October 16** to allow state and federal authorities temporary access to your property for removal of hazardous household waste and debris.

This service will be provided at no charge to you and is the first step in a two-step cleaning process for removing fire debris:

- Step 1: Clearing properties of household hazardous waste (this includes batteries, chemicals, and fuels that can negatively impact human health, waterways and drinking water resources, and soil). ***This is being offered free of charge to property owners.*** The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency will assess and remove household hazardous waste from burned properties. This work is being funded by FEMA and the State of Oregon. Using this service is optional but highly recommended to ensure debris is properly removed and disposed of to protect the health of soil, waterways, and the community.
- Step 2: Removal of ash, debris, and burned-out structures. State, county, and federal partners are actively working to develop options for ash and debris removal. We will notify you when more information becomes available for this step of the process.

Learn more about the two-step clean-up process at [www.wildfire.oregon.gov/cleanup](http://www.wildfire.oregon.gov/cleanup).

### Watch for updates coming soon!

The **Right of Entry form** will be available on the Marion County website within the next few days. In the meantime, please begin gathering the following information so that you are prepared when the form is available:

1. Gather your insurance information for the property as well as secondary insurance information for other damaged or lost items on the property such as vehicles, RVs, boats, etc. This should include the following items:
  - Insurance policy
  - Proof/statement of loss
  - Insurance settlement agreement

2. Property account number
  - Find your account number at <https://mcasr.co.marion.or.us/>. Search by situs address (physical property address rather than your billing address).
3. If you are an authorized agent, rather than the property owner, you must provide a copy/proof of being an authorized Agent of Owner.
4. Property address

Age of structure