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**GENERAL PUBLIC INTEREST  
ADDITIONAL WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD**

**California Code of Regulations  
TITLE 14. Natural Resources  
DIVISION 1.5. Department of Forestry and Fire Protection  
CHAPTER 7. Fire Protection  
SUBCHAPTER 3. Fire Hazard  
ARTICLE 1. Fire Hazard Severity  
SECTION 1280.01. Fire Hazard Severity Zones in the SRA**

**TITLE 19. Public Safety  
DIVISION 1. State Fire Marshal  
CHAPTER 17. Fire Hazard Severity Zones, 2022**

**NOTICE OF ADDITIONAL WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD**

On December 16, 2022, the Office of the State Fire Marshal published a Notice of Proposed Action concerning the Regulations Relating to Fire Hazard Severity Zones in the State Responsibility Area. (California Regulatory Notice Register 2022, No. 50-Z, December 16, 2022, p. 1490.)

The original written comment period for this action was:  
December 16, 2022, through February 3, 2023.

The Department then provided an additional written comment period to allow more time for review of the map entitled "State Responsibility Area Fire Hazard Severity Zones." The additional written comment period for this action was:  
February 3, 2023, through April 4, 2023.

**The Department is now providing an additional written comment period to allow for review of changes made to the map entitled "State Responsibility Area Fire Hazard Severity Zones" dated June 15, 2023. This written comment period also allows for review of the intermediate data used to create the map. The additional written comment availability is:  
June 26, 2023, through August 9, 2023.**

Written comments may be submitted by U.S. mail to the following address:

Office of the State Fire Marshal  
California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection  
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Attn: Scott Witt, Deputy Chief

Written comments can also be hand delivered or sent by courier to the contact person listed in this notice at the following address:

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Office of the State Fire Marshal  
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#### **AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS**

The Additional Written Comment Period, Notice of Proposed Action, Initial Statement of Reasons, Express Terms (TEXT) of Regulations, and any other materials concerning this rulemaking can be accessed on the Office of the State Fire Marshal website: [Title 19 Development \(ca.gov\)](#) under the tab titled: (FHSZ) Fire Hazard Severity Zones Classification in the State Responsibility Area.