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**Press Release**  
**Notice of Fuels Reduction**  
**Cohasset Loop Mastication Project**

The Butte County Fire Safe Council (BCFSC) is pleased to announce a Forest Health & Fuels Reduction Project in the community of Cohasset, Ca. This collaborative effort, supported by the California Climate Investment (CCI), is an example of our desire to mitigate wildfire risks and promote forest health practices throughout Butte County.

Set to commence in July 2024, this project will provide fuels reduction efforts within a rural community landscape. Through the strategic application of fuels reduction techniques, our objective is to establish a resilient zone within the wildland-urban interface (WUI), effectively reducing the potential impacts of wildfires on neighboring communities. This proactive strategy not only safeguards the residents of Cohasset but also contributes significantly to the long-term sustainability of our forests.

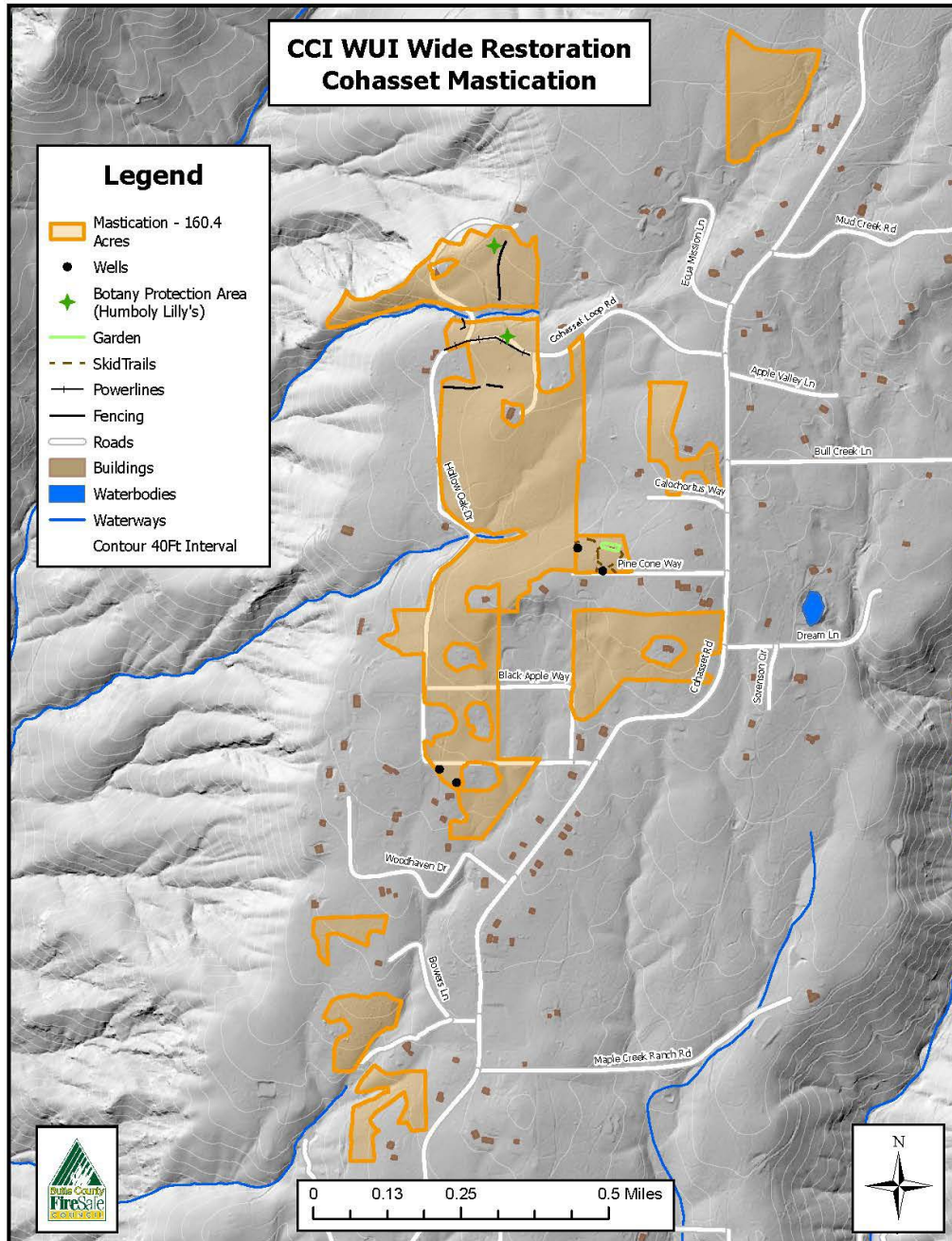


*Overcrowded forest in Cohasset Loop*

*"Funding for this project provided by the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's Forest Health Program as part of the California Climate Investments Program."*

The BCFSC is a grassroots, non-profit organization that has a variety of fuels reduction and forest health projects in operation around Butte County, including Forbestown, Berry Creek, Forest Ranch, Cohasset, Paradise, and Oroville Foothills.

More information can be found on our website [www.buttefiresafe.net](http://www.buttefiresafe.net) or by calling the office at (530)877-0984.



"Funding for WUI Wide Forest and Watershed Restoration Project was provided by CAL FIRE's Forest Health Program, as part of California Climate Investments. California Climate Investments, a statewide program that puts billions of Cap-and-Trade dollars to work reducing GHG emissions, strengthening the economy, and improving public health and the environment- particularly in disadvantaged communities. The Cap-and-Trade program also creates a financial incentive for industries to invest in clean technologies and develop innovative ways to reduce pollution. California Climate Investments projects include affordable housing, renewable energy, public transportation, zero-emission vehicles, environmental restoration, more sustainable agriculture, recycling, and much more. At least 35 percent of these investments are located within and benefiting residents of disadvantaged communities, low-income communities, and low-income households across California. For more information, visit the California Climate Investments website at: [www.caclimateinvestments.ca.gov](http://www.caclimateinvestments.ca.gov)."