



Gold Mountain® Homeowners Association
Gold Mountain Community Services District

FIRE SAFE PRACTICES

The Gold Mountain Community and the Nakoma Golf Resort lie in a heavily forested and fire prone area. It is imperative that fire safe practices be followed at all times to help protect and retain the natural beauty of our community, the forest and our surrounding areas.

Although not inclusive, this list provides common sense practices that must be followed to avoid a fire ignition. It only takes one spark or one ember to start a WILDFIRE. Please do your part to keep our forests and community safe.

- ❖ Never toss a cigarette or cigar on the ground. Never use a planter box to extinguish smoking materials. Always immerse cigarettes and cigars in water to extinguish.
- ❖ Fireworks of any type are prohibited.
- ❖ Insure that children do not have access to fire or to items that start fires.
- ❖ Burning of brush clippings and brush piles is prohibited in Gold Mountain.
- ❖ No fires or barbeques are allowed in receptacles that are not designated for such purposes.
- ❖ Extinguish charcoal BBQ briquettes in water.
- ❖ Outdoor fireplaces and fire pits must have proper screens installed to avoid embers from escaping.
- ❖ Be careful when using gas powered tools outdoors. Avoid use of any gas power tool during mid-day heat or in winds and always have a fire extinguisher handy.
- ❖ Only use string vegetation trimmers to cut tall, dry grass. Metal blades hitting rocks start wildfires.
- ❖ It is prohibited to use or park any type of motor vehicle off paved roads.
- ❖ Use only appropriate towing equipment including, appropriate safety pins and hitch balls when towing. Never substitute towing parts. Dragging chains can spark and cause a wildfire.
- ❖ It is recommended that all Gold Mountain homes have working fire extinguishers readily available in the following home locations; the kitchen area, the mechanical room area and in the garage.

REPORT ALL FIRES – CALL 911