2026 District of Mackenzie FireSmart Rebate Application

As part of the Community Resiliency Investment Program, homeowners could be compensated up to $1,000 for performing FireSmart activities on their properties. To qualify for this funding, homes must be assessed by a District of Mackenzie Wildfire Mitigation Specialist through the FireSmart BC Wildfire Mitigation Program. The rebate application intake is open from May 1st through October 31st, 2026.

STEPS TO APPLY FOR A REBATE

Step 1 - Get a free FireSmart home assessment from a District of Mackenzie Wildfire Mitigation Specialist by filling out the online application at District of Mackenzie FireSmart emailing firesmart@districtofmackenzie.ca or calling 250-997-4221.

Step 2—Work with your Wildfire Mitigation Specialist to complete a rebate work plan. This is where you can plan out your FireSmart mitigation actions and receive feedback on how to best prioritize your efforts.

Step 3 - Act on the recommendations from your FireSmart home assessment. This can be accomplished by yourself or by using contractors. Use the table on the FireSmart Rebate Work Hours Form to keep track of both your hours as well as any money spent on contractors or materials.

Step 4 - Submit your complete rebate application package. Please note that rebate applications will require a follow-up visit from your Wildfire Mitigation Specialist.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Mackenzie residents can apply for a FireSmart rebate for any amount up to $1000. The rebate is a 50% cost share with the resident. This means one must complete $400 worth of mitigation work to receive $200, $2000 or more to receive $1000 and anything in between.
- Each year we have a limited amount of funding to administer rebates. Rebates are on a first come first serve basis starting in May.
- Only recommended mitigation work within 30m of the home completed after the FireSmart assessment is eligible.
- Work with your Wildfire Mitigation Specialist to complete a FireSmart Rebate Work Plan before applying.
- Refer to the Mackenzie FireSmart Rebate Guide found on our website at www.districtofmackenzie.ca/firesmart for a full list of rules.
- A complete rebate application package must include a complete rebate application form, photos showing the completed work, and any applicable receipts for all expenditures listed in the left column.

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PART 1 – HOMEOWNER INFORMATION

Name:		**Email Address:**	
Phone Number:		**Street Address:**	
Mailing Address:			
Have you previously received a District of Mackenzie FireSmart rebate?		Yes ☐	No ☐

PART 2 – DESCRIPTION OF FIRESMART WORK

Describe the Work completed on the Home:

Describe the Work completed in the Immediate Zone (0m – 1.5m):

Describe the Work completed in the Intermediate Zone (1.5m – 10m):

Describe the Work completed in the Extended Zone (10m – 30m):

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PART 3 - APPLICATION CHECKLIST

1. Wildfire Mitigation Specialist Assessment Completed ☐
2. FireSmart Work Plan Completed ☐
3. FireSmart Work Hours Form Completed ☐
4. "Before & After" photos of work Completed ☐
5. FireSmart Rebate Application Form Completed ☐
6. Original Receipts of Expenses Incurred ☐
7. Submit the completed Application Package ☐

PART 4 - SUBMISSION

OPTION #1 - EMAIL

Email the completed package to firesmart@districtofmackenzie.ca for the fastest review and approval.

OPTION #2 - IN PERSON

ATTN: FireSmart Coordinator
Mackenzie Fire Hall
60 Centennial Drive

For more information

firesmart@districtofmackenzie.ca | 250.997.4221 | or visit www.districtofmackenzie.ca/firesmart

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