Malvern Club, Inc.

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Dear Fellow Malvern Property Owners:

The greatest cause of wildfire in Virginia is from **open burning**. Help reduce the threat of wildfire in Malvern by participating in the Firewise Program.

In 2014, Malvern received a \$4900 grant from Firewise Communities to pay for a professional tree crew to come into our community to chip large limbs, shrubs and smalls trees. Chipping Day will be held **again** on **April 22, 2015**, weather permitting.

PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM

- HAVE BRANCHES, BRUSH OR SMALL TREES CHIPPED UP FOR FREE
- GET A FREE INDIVIDUAL WILDFIRE HOME RISK ASSESSMENT

YOU MUST

- Please notify the program coordinator by April 15, 2015 if you wish to be added or removed from the list of 2014 participants. (<u>malvernfirewise@gmail.com</u> or 948-3230)
- KEEP A LOG BEGINNING JANUARY 15, 2014 and/or JANUARY 2015 OF ALL FIREWISE WORK COMPLETED to meet your 20% in-kind requirement.
- BRING MATERIAL UP TO 8" IN DIAMETER, WITH THE CUT OR BROKEN END OF EACH PIECE FACING THE ROAD, TO THE EDGE OF YOUR PROPERTY OR WITHIN 10' FROM THE ROAD, BY April 21, 2015.
 MATERIAL STACKED AFTER THIS DATE WILL NOT BE CHIPPED.
- REMOVE ALL BRANCHES FROM TREES
- NOT INCLUDE VINES, BRIARS, WEEDS, PLANTS, ROOTBALLS WITH DIRT, LEAVES OR LUMBER. THEY
 WILL NOT BE SHREDDED
- TELL THE CREW OR NOTIFY THE PROGRAM COORDINATOR IN ADVANCE IF YOU WANT TO HAVE MULCH

Logs and instructions are available from the Malvern web site or by contacting the Program Coordinator. Learn more about Firewise at http://www.malvernofmadison.org/firewise.shtml.

Contact your Malvern Firewise Program Coordinator at malvernfirewise@gmail.com or 948-3230 for more information or questions.