

# Floods follow fires. Wildfires raise your flood risk for years.

Wildfires leave the ground charred, barren, and unable to absorb water. That means even light rain can potentially turn into a financially devastating flash flood or mudflow. Just one inch of floodwater in your home can cause \$25,000 of damage.

But with flood insurance, you have peace of mind knowing that you can recover more quickly. It helps cover the cost of repairing your home and replacing your belongings.

Most homeowners and renters insurance policies do not cover flood damage, and flood insurance policies don't automatically renew. **Call your insurance agent today or learn more at [FloodSmart.gov/wildfire](https://www.floodsmart.gov/wildfire).**



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