

## Board of Forestry and Fire Protection

### SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

**“Fire Risk Reduction Community List Amendments, 2025”  
Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations (14 CCR),  
Division 1.5, Chapter 7,  
Subchapter 1, Article 3**

The Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (Board) intends this Supplement to the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR) to reflect changes that have been made to the 45-Day proposed rule text and Initial Statement of Reasons, which was distributed on December 6, 2024.

**SPECIFIC PURPOSE OF EACH ADOPTION, AMENDMENT OR REPEAL (pursuant to GOV § 11346.2(b)(1)) AND THE RATIONALE FOR THE AGENCY’S DETERMINATION THAT EACH ADOPTION, AMENDMENT OR REPEAL IS REASONABLY NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSE(S) OF THE STATUTE(S) OR OTHER PROVISIONS OF LAW THAT THE ACTION IS IMPLEMENTING, INTERPRETING OR MAKING SPECIFIC AND TO ADDRESS THE PROBLEM FOR WHICH IT IS PROPOSED (pursuant to GOV §§ 11346.2(b)(1) and 11349(a) and 1 CCR § 10(b)).**

#### **Amend § 1268.03(a)**

The proposed rule change modifies the sentence “Local Agencies wishing to be added to the Fire Risk Reduction Community List shall complete the Fire Risk Reduction Community List form, provided on the Board’s internet website, and submit the form and any supporting or substantial evidence electronically” to include “during the enrollment period between July 1 and”. This change is complementary to the addition proposed in the 45-day rule text which added to the existing regulation “by October 1 of each odd-numbered year”. As part of the changes proposed to the rule text “by” has been removed as with the addition of new language it is no longer grammatically correct in the proposed sentence’s structure. The problem was that in both the existing and proposed regulation there was a defined date of application submission, but no date clarifying the opening of the enrollment period. Defining the start and end date of the enrollment period was necessary for the clarity and consistency of the rules.

#### **Non-Substantive Amendments**

1. Minor changes have been made in the rule text, these changes were made for consistency in formatting between the existing and proposed regulatory text