PROJECT NAME: EL GRANADA – QUARRY PARK



Summary: Quarry Park is an over-crowded forest of unhealthy eucalyptus. Heavy fuel loading and the vigorous sprouting of the species combine for a dangerous situation. Vegetation management projects will include lengthening and improving an existing fuel break on parts of the south, north and eastern perimeter, adjacent to homes. CAL FIRE will also augment San Mateo County Parks work along roads in the interior, to provide better emergency access. This project will help protect the communities of coastal San Mateo in the event of a wind driven wildfire.



What communities or habitats will project protect? This eucalyptus/pine forest is directly adjacent and upslope on the north side of the town of El Granada in San Mateo County. This area has a history of Eucalyptus fires up against the downslope subdivisions with several hundred residences. Some of the historical fires included multiple fatalities.

PROJECTED COMPLETION DATE:

12/31/19

LOCATION:

El Granada, Half Moon Bay, Montara.

