



MEETING LOG

MEETING TITLE/SUBJECT: Kick-off meeting for the new task (WK95805) on The Classification of Products in the Defensible Zone.

OP PLAN ENTRY: Building Codes

DATE OF MEETING: November 19, 2025

LOCATION OF MEETING: Virtual

CPSC STAFF FILING MEETING LOG: Shonali Nazare

FILING DATE: November 26, 2025

CPSC STAFF ATTENDEE(S): Shonali Nazare (LSF) and Scott Ayers (ESEF)

NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S): Alex Morgan, Anthony Serge, Chris Brown, Jourdain Charlie, Dan Gorham, Laura Hasburgh, Jen Hershberger, Jason Smart, Josh Roth, Karen Carpenter, Kevin Scott, Eric Link, Marcelo Hirschler, Matt Dobson, Noah Fetterly, Sara Krompholz, Evan Sluder, Michelle Sluga, Antonius Agelink.

Summary of Meeting:

This was the kick-off meeting for the new task (WK95805) on The Classification of Products in the Defensible Zone in wildfire-urban interface (WUI) communities. Attendees introduced themselves at the start of the meeting. CPSC staff led a discussion on the proposed standard's scope and provided input towards the development of methodology to classify consumer products in the defensible zone of a home. Most stakeholders agreed the concept of consumer product classification would enable consumers to identify appropriate products typically found in the defensible zone of a home. Appropriate labeling, based on the product classification, at the point of sale was also discussed. CPSC staff solicited stakeholders to help clarify the approach and methodology for the classification of products. Stakeholders were curious about the consumer products that would be considered for classification and if there was a priority list for the same.

Next Steps:

The next working task group meeting date is TBD in January 2026.