

We live in Springfield and lost our family cabin on the McKenzie River to the Holiday Farm Fire on September 7th. Navigating the paperwork and trying to find the right county people to help us has been a nightmare. We are trying to rebuild our cabin and we have heard that we only have a year from the date of the fire to get started, but that is looking impossible. We still have an acre of trees to remove, and we hear that just getting building plans approved and permits signed takes a year in Lane County. We need help! Please make this process easier by relaxing the old rules so we can move forward in a timely manner.