



BUSHFIRES NT

Volunteer Information

*Protect Life, Property & Environment
from the threat of Wildfire*



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What is Bushfires NT?

Bushfires NT is the lead government agency for rural bushfire management in the Northern Territory. Under its jurisdiction, there are five fire management zones.

Bushfires NT works with landowners and the wider community to manage bushfire in the Northern Territory by providing support for mitigation, management and suppression activities, and by coordinating landowner and volunteer participation in response to significant fires.

Bushfires NT supports 20 volunteer bushfire brigades across the Northern Territory by providing training, vehicles and operational funding.

For more information on Bushfires NT visit: nt.gov.au/bushfires

The Fire Management Zones of the Territory



Volunteers make a real difference

The role played by volunteers in bushfire management is crucial to safety in rural communities throughout the Territory. Bushfire volunteers are landholders and members of the community - men and women from all cultural backgrounds, age groups and professions.

Role of Bushfires NT volunteers

There is a wide range of Bushfires NT volunteering roles that suit a variety of people.

Volunteers take part in the following types of work:

- fighting and preventing bushfires
- fuel hazard reduction
- going to bushfires and operating firefighting equipment
- operational support during a bushfire
- fund raising for local brigades
- brigade management and committee membership

How to volunteer

You must be aged 16 years or over to volunteer.

No experience is necessary. You will be given training to ensure you are a confident, safe and competent brigade member.


Contact your local Bushfires NT office to discuss how you could help make a difference in your community.



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