

Subject: URGENT INFORMATION RE: FL Green Waste Transfer Station

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Hello Forest Lakes Property Owners and Property Cleaning Commercial Businesses,

The good news is that since Jan 1, 2018 through April 22, 2018 there have been 352 green waste loads deposited at the Green Waste Transfer Station (henceforth referred to as the GWTS) and the volume of green waste deposits is increasing as FL property owners clean up their lots. Please keep up the excellent lot clearing efforts, thus making the Forest Lakes community a more "Firewise" place to reside.

NOW the business issue requiring Forest Lakes property owners attention and corrective action as applicable. Bottom line if the shoe fits, we need your assistance and corrective action immediately. Some property owners and/or some Commercial business they may have been hired to clean their property, have dumped concrete blocks, household trash, (which should be picked-up by Larson Waste Services), appliances, excessive dirt and rocks, stumps with large root balls containing dirt, and building construction materials from modifications / renovations being made to their residences, are making its way to the GWTS location.

If the debris described in the above paragraph continues to be deposited at the Forest Lakes GWTS, the contractor who services this site for the USFS, through the permit authorization awarded FLOA / FLFD, can and will stop their transfer services. This, in turn, will cause the USFS, Black Mesa Ranger District, to review our permit process and can result in suspension of the permit and a strong possibility of closing the GWTS location.

In closing, if this were to happen, (the closing of the GWTS), we the property owners would lose an excellent benefit for the entire Forest Lakes Community. With its existence, we as property owners have a rare luxury that many other rural communities don't have; a local facility to deposit mother nature's raw material, thus in turn protecting our property and reducing our fire material threat exposure. Let's not lose this GWTS location because we don't follow the common sense rules that we all should be aware of and operate within.

Thank you for your understanding and active support in depositing/dumping only green waste raw material, not foreign debris and other illegal material as previously discussed in this mailing.

Best Regards,

Wayne Rothwell
President, FLOA