



**Mission:** A collective voice and representative organization for Colorado that provides educational and networking opportunities for communities, groups and individual stakeholders focused on reducing the negative impacts of wildfires in the state.

**Vision:** Fire Adapted Colorado (FACO) provides a statewide platform for information sharing and forward thinking discussion as related to wildfire issues. FACO acts as a connecting force that works with a collective voice, aimed at creating safer and more resilient communities living with the threat of wildfire.

The following mission-related objectives will guide Fire Adapted Colorado in achieving its vision by:

- Functioning as a representative body in Colorado to provide coordinated opportunities for all stakeholders concerned with reducing the negative impacts of wildfires;
- Securing funding and providing coordination (via committees) for an annual statewide conference focused on all aspects of reducing the negative impacts of wildfires;
- Leveraging resources and relationships to provide fire adapted messaging, educational tools and outreach mechanisms to interest groups and partners;
- Assisting new and existing organizations by increasing their ability to obtain funding to promote capacity building and by;
- Maintaining a statewide directory of agencies and entities involved in wildfire related issues.



# Fire Adapted Colorado

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