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Open-house style public information session Tuesday

Residents will have an opportunity to provide input and review maps of the proposed Firesmart logging in the Wapiti Sand Dunes at an open house Tuesday.

“We will continue our proactive approach to reducing the wildfire hazard caused by these stands that are infested with mountain pine beetles,” explained Project Consultant Jerry Bauer. “Residents and recreational users of the area are urged to attend the open house. Their input is crucial to our efforts to protect our natural resources and their homes.”

Date: Tuesday, September 27, 2011

Time: 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Location: TEC Centre Evergreen Park

The County of Grande Prairie is committed to reducing the forest fire risk by mitigating hazards created by the mountain pine beetle infestation.

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