

CALIFORNIA WILDFIRES

In 2017, 2018 and again in 2020, Insurers incurred billions of dollars in losses due to the wildfires that have devastated California. Insurers recognized a sobering reality that companies did not secure enough capital and reinsurance to write the risks they had already accepted. Nor did they appropriately rate for the risk of catastrophic wildfires in California.

With the reality that wildfire season will be a regular annual occurrence, there is an inevitable tightening in the insurance marketplace for California property risks. All carriers writing in the state of California are mitigating their losses through significant underwriting/coverage restrictions, rate increases and non-renewals.

With over 40 years of experience in Winery and Vineyard Risk Management, **National Winery Insurance** has market access to virtually every Agri/Winery program available in California and understands that the contract of an Insurance Policy may not be the only way to mitigate from loss.

If you are a California Winery who has suffered a loss due to the devastating wildfires or is now having difficulty finding property coverage in the insurance marketplace, please contact our office and speak to a Specialized Risk Strategist who may be able to bring you an alternative solution to your Risk Management needs.

National Winery Insurance is deeply saddened for all who have been impacted by the wildfires and we are committed to helping the Winery and Vineyard industry rebuild for a better brighter future.



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