## **Making Victoria FireReady:**



This is the signage that will identify a Neighbourhood Safer Place – Place of Last Resort.

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

The purpose of a Neighbourhood Safer Place -Place of Last Resort is to provide some protection from the effects of radiant heat during a bushfire.

A Place of Last Resort is only intended for use when all other plans have failed and should not be considered as a place to relocate to when leaving early as it will not guarantee safety or survival from fire, embers or radiant heat.

Travelling to a Place of Last Resort when there is a bushfire may be extremely dangerous due to dense smoke, radiant heat, flying embers, fallen trees and power lines, traffic congestion and accidents.

A Neighbourhood Safer Place - Place of Last Resort may not have the capacity to cater for special needs; and there will be no support services (food or drink, material aid) or provision for pets. There is no guarantee that emergency services will be present during a bushfire.

This information is up-to-date as at January 2013. Check the CFA website regularly for a full list of **NSP** locations.

Council տ

## Neighbourhood Safer Place

Places of Last Resort have been designated at:

**Natimuk Showgrounds Recreation Reserve** Corner Mitchell Street and Jory Street Natimuk.



Further information on the NSP-PLR can be found on the CFA website at: www.cfa.vic.gov.au

A Neighbourhood Safer Place – *Place of Last Resort* should not replace a personal bushfire survival plan.

If your plan is to leave early, the safest option is to leave early in the day when the Fire Danger Rating is declared Severe or Extreme.

On a Code Red day, the safest option is to leave the night before, or early in the day - do not wait and see.





1800 240 667 www.cfa.vic.gov.au