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FROM: Laura Schweitzer, Council of Western State Foresters' Executive Director

SUBJECT: FY 2019 Western States' State Fire Assistance WUI Competitive Grant Recommendations

DATE: February 7, 2019

The Council of Western State Foresters (CWSF) requests that the USDA Forest Service (USFS) State and Private Forestry disburse Fiscal Year 2019 National Fire Plan (NFP) State Fire Assistance (SFA) competitive funding to the western states according to the enclosed table.

The Western State Fire Managers' (WSFM) Wildland Urban Interface Grant Committee met in September 2018 prior to initiation of the grant review period in October 2018. 92 grant applications submitted by 15 western states and requesting a total of \$23.99M were received, reviewed, scored, and prioritized by the Committee. The enclosed table reflects the distribution of the targeted funds totaling \$13,516,932 towards 54 grants.

The CWSF membership discussed and unanimously approved the western recommendations at their 2018 Fall Meeting in San Diego, CA.

Many successful applications will go unfunded. The rigorous process established in the west to review, rank, and select applications allows any additional funds from your office to be distributed to the next application(s) in queue; the CWSF respectfully requests such distribution of additional funds should they become available.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laura Schweitzer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Laura Schweitzer
Executive Director, Council of Western State Foresters

FY18 Western States' SFA WUI Projects Funding Recommendations

\$13,516,932 allocation Amount Allocated

15% cap: \$2,027,539 \$ 13,516,932

State	Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
AK	Buidling Resilience	\$260,000	\$260,000
AK	Alaska State Parks	\$300,000	\$300,000
AK	Tok Area 2019 WUI	\$299,875	\$299,875
AK	LEARN BeforeYou Burn	\$253,300	\$253,300
AK	Anderson Community	\$300,000	\$300,000
AK	MSB Hazard Fuels	\$273,000	\$273,000
AK	Sunset Fuels Break	\$300,000	\$300,000
AK	KPWUID-Space&Ed.	\$276,880	\$41,364
Grant will be partially funded due to hitting 15% cap (\$2,027,539)			
			\$2,027,539

State	Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
AZ	Heritage	\$41,670	\$41,670
AZ	White-Mountains	\$299,998	\$299,998
AZ	Pinetop	\$137,600	\$58,137
Grant will be partially funded; max amount available for allocation			
			\$399,805

State	Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
CO	Greater Larkspur	\$300,000	\$300,000
CO	USPP Phase II	\$300,000	\$300,000
CO	South Boulder Fuels	\$100,000	\$100,000
CO	Caribou Ranch	\$300,000	\$300,000
CO	Baca Grande	\$300,000	\$300,000
CO	Golden Gate	\$300,000	\$300,000
			\$1,600,000

State	Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
ID	New Hope	\$300,000	\$300,000
ID	IDPR	\$300,000	\$300,000
ID	Peck	\$300,000	\$300,000
ID	Boise Front	\$300,000	\$300,000
			\$1,200,000

State	Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
MT	GCSI Phase 2	\$300,000	\$300,000
MT	FRFD_Frenchtown Face	\$250,000	\$250,000
MT	FEPC_Many Lakes	\$300,000	\$300,000
MT	Swan River Watershed	\$300,000	\$300,000
MT	BRRCD Mineral County	\$300,000	\$300,000
			\$1,450,000

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
NE CWPP	\$300,000	\$300,000
NE Loess Canyon WUI	\$300,000	\$300,000

\$600,000

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
NV WWRA	\$150,000	\$150,000
NV Rosewood Canyon Fuel	\$210,625	\$210,625
NV Smith Valley Fuels	\$97,200	\$97,200
NV Indian Hills-Johnson	\$296,889	\$296,889
NV Job's-Sheridan Acres	\$294,425	\$294,425

\$1,049,139

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
OR Monroe Fishback	\$300,000	\$300,000
OR East La Grande	\$300,000	\$300,000
OR Wallowa County	\$300,000	\$300,000
OR Long Tom Interface	\$300,000	\$300,000
OR Evans Gall	\$300,000	\$300,000
OR Northern Prineville	\$300,000	\$300,000

\$1,800,000

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
SD Neck Yoke Rd.	\$300,000	\$300,000
SD Hot Brook Canyon	\$300,000	\$300,000
SD Rapid City	\$300,000	\$300,000
SD Lawrence County	\$300,000	\$300,000

\$1,200,000

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
WA NE - Old Dominion	\$200,000	\$200,000
WA SE - Ahtanum	\$210,000	\$210,000
WA SE - East Klickitat	\$300,000	\$300,000
WA NE - Sourdough	\$300,000	\$300,000
WA SE - Mission/Blewett	\$300,000	\$300,000
WA NE - Lookout	\$300,000	\$300,000
WA NE-WildernessLake	\$300,000	\$300,000
WA SE - Lake Wenatchee	\$200,000	\$117,539
WA NE - Storm King	\$300,000	\$0

Grant will be partially funded due to hitting 15% cap (\$2,027,539)

Grant will not be funded due to hitting 15% cap (\$2,027,539)

\$2,027,539

State Project Name	Funds Requested	Funds Allocated
WY Esterbrook 2019	\$107,910	\$107,910
WY Story	\$55,000	\$55,000

\$162,910