

Dave Farmer

From: Jon Stocking [jstockin@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2004 5:40 PM
To: 'Jan Hackett'; David A. Farmer
Subject: RE: CLARIFICATION: ACCOUNT 536860 I&D Prevention & Suppression, 2003

Dave –

Thanks for the information – we don't know how many approved applications are out there, but we absolutely plan to honor those that are approved – it will just require some juggling, so this advance notice like you've provided was critical -- especially to avoid any delays in payment. Based on your response, Jan was already able to cover yours (see below).

Jon

-----Original Message-----

From: Jan Hackett [mailto:jhackett@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2004 4:05 PM
To: stocking, Jon
Subject: FW: CLARIFICATION: ACCOUNT 536860 I&D Prevention & Suppression, 2003

Jon,

The additional amount (> \$10K) will be from the FLEP account.

Jan

-----Original Message-----

From: Dave Farmer [mailto:dfarmer@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2004 3:39 PM
To: 'Jon Stocking'
Cc: Michael Hughes (Michael Hughes); Norland Hall; Jan Hackett; Tom Ostermann (Tom Ostermann); David Farmer
Subject: RE: CLARIFICATION: ACCOUNT 536860 I&D Prevention & Suppression, 2003

Jon,

Attached is a spreadsheet with our LOA (I&D Prev&Supp) grants. The total cost share amount approved was \$12,750 (\$2400 of this amount was FLEP slippage; not I&D funds). To date the district has not submitted any reimbursements for these grants; the deadline for reimbursement submittal from the landowner is November 15. We are, however, beginning to receive the reimbursement submittals. We will inspect these projects before the reimbursement request is forwarded to the State Office.

All applications for the above were approved in May 2004 otherwise landowners could not begin work! Landowners will submit their reimbursement paperwork to the District by November 15 and will, rightly so, expect their reimbursement shortly thereafter. I hope there is no delay in payment as promised in May to these landowners.

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To: 'Jon Stocking'; 'Tom Ostermann'; 'Boyd O. Lebeda'; 'Brian C. Ayers'; 'Charles A. Kostecka'; 'Clarence K. Morey'; 'Damon M. Lange'; 'Daniel E. Ochocki'; 'David Allen Owen'; 'Donna H. Davis'; 'John W. Denison'; 'John W. Grieve'; 'L. M. Allen Gallamore'; 'Michael E. Harvey'; 'Michael G. Babler'; 'Michael G. Bahm'; 'Paul R. Janzen'; 'Peter M. Barth';

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Importance: High

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3. Please DON'T proceed with approving any further applications from this account unless further notified.

Sorry for the confusion!!!

Jan – thanks for bringing this to my attention!

Subject: Acct 536830 I&D Prevention & Suppression, 2003

To all Districts:

I just discovered that each district (with the exception of Fort Morgan and Woodland Park) was given spending authority of \$10,000 "incentive" funds to contract with Landowners using account 536830 (2003 I&D Prevention & Suppression). However, that account is already overspent! Pending any further resolution would you please do the following:

- 1) If you have signed land-owner contracts not yet submitted to the State Office, please fax a copy today to Jan Hackett (970-491-7736).
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Once Jan has gathered all of the commitments we have so far, we'll determine an appropriate funding source. At this time, it appears we must immediately close this program for this year. However, If Jan and Joe identify additional funding and determine that we can proceed with this program this year, they will let you know.

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From: Michael Hughes [mhughes@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, August 31, 2004 8:31 AM
To: Jan Hackett; Kathryn Hardgrave
Cc: David A. Leatherman; Tom Ostermann; Joseph A. Duda; A. Vince Urbina; Andrew J. Schlosberg; Boyd O. Lebeda; Brenda W. Orth; Brian C. Ayers; Brook Lee; Charles A. Kostecka; Clarence K. Morey; Cory Secher; Craig D. Jones; D. Kent Grant; Damon M. Lange; Daniel E. Ochocki; Daniel F. Wand; David A. Farmer; David Allen Owen; David H. Root; Denise L. Dulac; Dennis L. Will; Donna H. Davis; Eldon J. Rizzi; Elizabeth L. Anderson; F. Chuck Dennis; Hans Rinke; James M. Fischer; Janis R. Meeseey; Jeffrey D. Burns; Jennifer C. Chase; Joel R. Stewart; John Twitchell; John W. Grieve; Karyl K. Scarlett; Kathy R. Porter; Kelly J. Rogers; Kristin L. Garrison; Kristy L. Boscheinen; L. M. Allen Gallamore; Linda S. Jones; Lindsay M. Towne; Mark L. Reichel; Melanie L. Moorman; Michael E. Harvey; Michael G. Bahm; Naomi Marcus; Norland K. Hall; Patrick L. McLaughlin; Paul R. Janzen; Peggy J. Hiller; Peter M. Barth; Robert Bundy; Robert L. Irvine; Ronald J. Cousineau; Russell W. Lewis; Scott Formby; Scott M. Woods; Stephanie L. Scott; Terry L. Wattles; Tim G. Reader; Van Landingham, Shelly; Vaughn T. Jones; Wendy B. McCartney; William Micheel
Subject: Re: Forest Health \$\$

Last year the Fort Collins District received \$29,700 in requests.

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Assistant District Forester
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Sent: Tuesday, August 31, 2004 8:07 AM
Subject: RE: Forest Health \$\$

Kathryn,

Yes, there will be Forest Health cost-share funding this next year. However, due to tighter budgets it won't be \$10,000 per District. The amount is still being determined and Districts will be notified.

It would be helpful to know what Districts are receiving in requests.

Thanks,
Jan

-----Original Message-----

From: Kathryn Hardgrave [mailto:khardgrv@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Monday, August 30, 2004 3:10 PM

8/31/2004

To: Jan Hackett

Subject: Forest Health \$\$

Hi Jan,

I have people wondering about forest health cost-share for this coming winter/spring. Do you know at this point if districts will be receiving another \$10,000 to distribute as cost-share?

Hope you had a nice weekend and all's well.

Kathryn

8/31/2004

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Mike Babler

From: Michael Hughes [mhughes@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Monday, June 07, 2004 3:02 PM
To: Jan Hackett; Norland K. Hall; David A. Farmer; Michael G. Babler
Subject: Re: FLEP

Yes. Project completion date is not until Sept. 15th and I suspect most will contact us near then. More money could be used if you get any slippage from other districts. We continue to have landowners ask for grant money.

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----- Original Message -----

From: Jan Hackett
To: Norland K. Hall ; Michael M. Hughes ; David A. Farmer ; Michael G. Babler
Sent: Monday, June 07, 2004 1:10 PM
Subject: FLEP

Hi Guys,

I'm reviewing FLEP and fund status. Fort Collins District had \$34,000 allocated in FLEP. (The District had requested > \$100,000 additional, and received \$19,000). Thus far \$1,000 has been paid out. Are your funds obligated with projects just not completed yet? Other status information?

Thanks,
Jan

6/7/2004

March 1, 2004

Dear Forest Landowner:

I have some good news and I have some bad news.

I will start with the bad news. After barely a year in existence, the Forest Land Enhancement Program (FLEP), is not going to be funded.

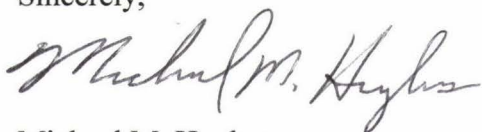
However, there is another program specifically geared toward insect and disease prevention and suppression. Here, we are giving you the opportunity to apply for cost-share under this new Landowner Assistance Program. The forestry practice must include an I & D Prevention/Suppression component.

Enclosed is an application for this program. It is only a one-page application and there are only \$10,000 allocated for Larimer County, so please apply and apply soon. The deadline is April 30, 2004.

I particularly encourage landowners in the Forest Ag Tax Program who have not been able to get much done these last few years to apply. You can use this opportunity and this cost-share to hire a contractor to do some thinning on your property. Though it may not sound like a lot of money, I know of many contractors who will treat forestland at \$800 to \$1000 per acre.

Please look over this material and call me at (970) 491-8453 if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Michael M. Hughes".

Michael M. Hughes
Asst. District Forest
Fort Collins District

Encl.

CSFS FC Landowner Assistance Program

Updated: 5/28/2004

Landowner	Practice No. & Component Title	Quantity Requested (acres)	Quantity Approved (acres)	C/S Amount Requested	C/S Amount Approved	Date Approved	Date Completed	PROGRAM	Reviewing Forester
Budge, David & Carol	666-1 Forest Thinning	5	1.5	\$2,500	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D (FLEP)	
Budge, David & Carol	666-2 Chipping	5	0	\$1,500	\$0	na	na	na	
Ronca, Mark & Carlie	666-1 Forest Thinning	3.25	1.5	\$1,625	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D (FLEP)	
Wind River Ranch	666-1 Forest Thinning	1.5	1.5	\$750	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D (FLEP)	
	TOTAL	14.75	4.5	\$6,375	\$2,250				
Baasch, Wayne	666-1 Forest Thinning	2	1.5	\$1,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Baasch, Wayne	666-3 Slash Treatment (hauling)	2	0	\$600	\$0	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Cannon, Kathleen	666-1 Forest Thinning	1	1.5	\$500	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Colard, Chris	666-1 Forest Thinning	2	1.5	\$948	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Herrmann, Ray	666-1 Forest Thinning	2.4	1.5	\$1,200	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Jensen, Eric	666-1 Forest Thinning	3	1.5	\$1,500	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Lance, William	666-1 Forest Thinning	4	1.5	\$2,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Mergler, Randy	666-1 Forest Thinning	4	1.5	\$2,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Myers Estes Park LLC	666-1 Forest Thinning	2.4	1.5	\$1,200	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Pickens Resource Corp.	666-1 Forest Thinning	4	1.5	\$2,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Ryder, Sherry	666-1 Forest Thinning	2.5	1.5	\$2,500	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Snyder, Glenn	666-1 Forest Thinning	2	1.5	\$1,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Snyder, John & Tam	666-1 Forest Thinning	9	1.5	\$4,500	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Wieder, Carl	666-1 Forest Thinning	4	1.5	\$2,000	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Young, Michael & Debbie	666-1 Forest Thinning	3.5	1.5	\$1,750	\$750	5/28/2004		I&D Prev&Supp	
Ronca, Mark & Carlie	338-3 Pile Burning	3.25	0	\$325	\$0	na	na	na	
	TOTAL	51.05	21	\$25,023	\$10,500				

Landowner Assistance Program: Applicants and Requested Amounts

Applicant Name

Amount Requested

John Snyder

\$4,500.00

Wayne Baasch Yes

\$800.00

William Lance

No Amount (4 acres DM removal/thin dead)

Ray Herrmann

\$1,200.00

~~David Budge~~

\$4,000.00

\$1,600

Glenn Snyder

\$1,000.00

Carl Wieder

\$2,000.00

~~Wind River Ranch~~

\$750.00 (for portable sawmill)

Pickens Resource Group

\$2,000.00

Randy Mergler

\$2,000.00

Michael Young

No Amount 3.5 acre thin

Sherry Rider

\$2,500.00

Myers Estes Park LLC

\$1,200.00

Eric Jensen

\$1,600.00

Kathleen Cannon Yes

\$500.00

Chris Colard

\$947.66

1950.00 \$1,200

~~Ronca~~

\$ 9750
+ 500

1250