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	Account	District (Abbreviations)	Reviewed By	District Priority Number	Name of Project	Dollar Amount Requested	TOTAL	Dollar Amount Receiving	
1	530850	Bundle 1							
2	530850-001	WP	JS/CD	1	Woodland Park Wildfire Project Implementation	\$ 50,000.00	11.75	\$50,000	
3	530850-002	FRFTP	DW/DR	1	FRFTP South Zone CWPP Implementation, Education and Planning	\$ 250,000.00	11	\$250,000	
4	530851	Bundle 2							
5	530851-001	BO	DW/BW	1	Mountain Mitigation Five (MM5)	\$ 39,500.00	12	\$ 39,500.00	
6	530851-002	FC	JS/DR	1	Carter Lake Fuels Treatment and Forest Stewardship Project Phase III	\$ 30,000.00	12	\$ 30,000.00	
7	530851-003	CE	DW/BW	1	FireWise Construction, Design & Materials revision	\$ 29,000.00	11	\$ 25,000.00	
8	530851-004	GJ	DW/BW	1	CSFS Grand Junction WUI Incentives Program	\$ 50,000.00	11	\$ 30,000.00	
9	530851-005	CC	SW/JL	1	Dawson Ranch Fire Mitigation Project-Phase 1	\$ 15,000.00	10.5	\$ 15,000.00	
10	530851-006	LV	DW/BW	1	Santa Fe Trail Ranch/Wooton Ranch Shaded Fuel Break	\$ 50,000.00	10.5	\$ 30,000.00	
11	530851-007	SA	SW/BW	1	Pile Burning Project Home Stake Trout Club	\$ 7,450.00	10.5	\$ 7,450.00	
12	530851-008	GR	DW/BW	1	Pine Beetle/Wildfire Prevention Program	\$ 50,000.00	10	\$ 25,000.00	
13	530851-009	FR	SW/JL	1	Dawson Butte Open Space Forest Management Phase I	\$ 50,000.00	9	\$ 20,000.00	
14	530851-010	SS	JS/CD	1	Stagecoach Community Fuels Reduction/ Hazard Mitigation Project	\$ 50,000.00	9	\$ 20,000.00	
15	530851-011	DU	JS/DR	1	Deer Valley Fire Mitigation Project	\$ 12,050.00	8.5	\$ 12,050.00	
16	530851-012	AL	CD/JL	1	Alamosa District Incentives	\$ 35,000.00	6.5	\$ 20,000.00	
17	530851-013	GU	SW/JL	1	Gunnison District Incentives Grant	\$45,000.00	5	\$20,000.00	
18	530851-014	GO	SW/BW	1	Lot 41 Defensible Space and General Thinning	\$ 10,000.00	5	\$ 5,000.00	
19	530852	Bundle 5							
20	530852-001	CE	DW/BW	1	FireWise Construction, Design & Materials revision	\$ 29,000.00	11	\$ 4,000.00	
21	530852-002	GJ	DW/BW	1	CSFS Grand Junction WUI Incentives Program	\$ 50,000.00	11	\$ 20,000.00	
22	530852-003	LV	DW/BW	1	Santa Fe Trail Ranch/Wooton Ranch Shaded Fuel Break	\$ 50,000.00	10.5	\$ 20,000.00	
23	530852-004	GR	DW/BW	1	Pine Beetle/Wildfire Prevention Program	\$ 50,000.00	10	\$ 25,000.00	
24	530852-005	FR	SW/JL	1	Dawson Butte Open Space Forest Management Phase I	\$ 50,000.00	9	\$ 30,000.00	
25	530852-006	SS	JS/CD	1	Stagecoach Community Fuels Reduction/ Hazard Mitigation Project	\$ 50,000.00	9	\$ 30,000.00	

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27	530852-007	BO	JS/DR	2	Button Rock Forest Stewardship Program	\$ 35,000.00	10	\$ 35,000.00		
28	530852-008	FR	DW/BW	2	Burning Tree Ranch 2009 Demonstration Site	\$ 3,750.00	10	\$ 3,750.00		
29	530852-009	GR	JS/DR	2	Hazard Tree Removal Along Grand County Road ROW Project	\$ 45,000.00	10	\$ 43,000.00		
30	530852-010	GO	DW/DR	2	Genesee Shaded Fuel Break	\$ 15,000.00	9.5	\$ 15,000.00		
31	530852-011	WP	SW/JL	2	Black Forest Slash and Mulch Program	\$ 15,000.00	9.5	\$ 15,000.00		
32	530852-012	SS	SW/JL	2	Jackson County WUI Landowner Cost-Share Program	\$ 50,000.00	8.5	\$ 30,000.00		
33	530852-013	FC	JS/CD	2	PHRCWPG Easement, Mitigation, and Education	\$ 6,000.00	7.5	\$ 4,000.00		
34	530852-014	ED	DW/DR	2	Fire Education for Educators	\$ 50,000.00	7.5	\$ 25,000.00		
35	530853	Bundle 6								
36	530853-001	FC	SW/JL	3	2009 CSFS Fort Collins District Incentives	\$ 30,000.00	10.5	\$ 30,000.00		
37	530853-002	BO	CD/JL	3	LHFPD Community Wildfire Hazard Reduction Project	\$ 50,000.00	10	\$ 50,000.00		
38	530853-003	GR	SW/JL	7	YMCA Fuels Reduction	\$ 25,000.00	10	\$ 25,000.00		
39	530853-004	WP	DW/BW	3	Woodland Park District CWPP Implementation Grant	\$ 50,000.00	10	\$ 50,000.00		
40	530853-005	WP	DW/BW	4	Fuel Reduction for Ute Pass CWPP	\$ 4,000.00	10	\$ 4,000.00		
41	530853-006	WP	DW/BW	7	2009 CWPP Goals	\$ 37,500.00	10	\$ 37,500.00		
42	530853-007	DU	SW/BW	3	Community Wildfire Protection Plan	\$ 7,500.00	9.5	\$ 7,500.00		
43	530853-008	FC	DR/JL	4	Little Valley Fire Mitigation	\$ 15,000.00	9.5	\$ 15,000.00		
44	530853-009	GO	JS/DR	6	Jefferson County Wildland Urban Interface Project	\$ 50,000.00	9.5	\$ 50,000.00		
45	530853-010	FC	CD/JL	13	YMCA of the Rockies Wildland Fire Protection	\$ 29,000.00	9	\$ 29,000.00		
46	530854	Bundle 7								
47	530854-001	GR	DW/DR	5	Bellyache Ridge Hazardous Fuel Reduction Project	\$ 50,000.00	9	\$ 50,000.00		
48	530854-002	WP	SW/JL	9	Wildfire Mitigation Education Forum and Newsletter	\$ 2,100.00	9	\$ 2,100.00		
49	530854-003	FC	JS/DR	8	Horsetooth Mountain Open Space	\$ 50,000.00	8.5	\$ 50,000.00		
50	530854-004	FC	DR/JL	15	Devil's Backbone Open Space Grassland Restoration & Fuels Reduction	\$ 9,600.00	8.5	\$ 9,600.00		
51	530854-005	SS	SW/JL	2	Jackson County WUI Landowner Cost-Share Program	\$ 50,000.00	8.5	\$ 20,000.00		
52	530854-006	BO	SW/BW	4	BMFPD Fuels Reduction 09-10	\$ 75,000.00	8	\$ 75,000.00		
53	530854-007	FC	SW/JL	10	2009 Chipper Program	\$ 2,500.00	8	\$ 2,500.00		
54	530854-008	GO	SW/JL	4	Bear Mountain Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project	\$ 46,500.00	8	\$ 46,500.00		



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July 17, 2009

<Salutation> <First Name> <Last Name>
<Organization>
<Address>
<City>, <State> <Zip Code>

Dear <Name >,

In August of 2008 you applied for a Colorado Western States Fire Wildland Urban Interface Competitive Grant to mitigate wildfire risk through assessment, planning, education, fuel hazard reduction, and/or monitoring. I thank you for your patience in waiting for the results of the grant process.

The Colorado State Forest Service received 95 applications requesting over \$3.7 million. Through a competitive selection process 48 applications will share in the \$1.4 million available.

Unfortunately, your application for <project> has not been funded.

I encourage you to continue to pursue mitigating wildfire risks in your community. Future applications may have a better chance for limited grant funds if they clearly express the following:

- how a project will reduce wildfire risk;
- mitigate risk to communities in addition to individual homes;
- occur in an area that has a County Wildfire Plan and/or a Community Wildfire Protection Plan;
- have a definite plan of work with measurable points of accomplishment;
- have multiple sources of support;
- and are cooperative, community based efforts.

Many projects were not funded this year simply because there was not enough grant funding available and those applying are becoming more competitive.

Thank you for your interest in mitigating wildfire hazards in your community.

Sincerely,

Jane M. Lopez
Fuels Mitigation and Prescribed Fire Program Manager

	A	B	C	D	E
1	2009 UNFUNDED APPLICATIONS				
2	Dist	Priority	Project Name	Request	
3	Bundle 3				
4	BR	JS/CD	FRWWP WG #1	Critical Community Watershed Wildfire Protection Plan Implementation	#####
5	GJ	JS/DR	2	Palisade Watershed Wildfire Protection Plan	\$ 5,000.00
6	FR	JS/DR	3	Denver Water Fuel Hazard Reduction	\$ 22,140.00
7	Bundle 4				
8	FRFT P	JS/DR	1	FRFTP North Zone CWPP Implementation, Education and Planning	#####
9	Bundle 8				
10	WP	JS/CD	8	Majestic Park Fuels Reduction	\$ 20,000.00
11	WP	DW/BV	10	Spruce Road Fuel Mitigation	\$ 2,000.00
12	WP	CD/JL	12	Birdsong Fuel Break Project	\$ 30,000.00
13	AL	DW/DF	3	FWCR Community Wildfire Protection	\$ 12,000.00
14	AL	JS/CD	4	Baca Grande Fuel Reduction and Wildfire Prevention	\$ 15,000.00
15	FC	JS/DR	5	W.P.O.A. Hazardous Fuels Reduction	\$ 15,000.00
16	FC	CD/JL	6	TMHA Community Fuels Reduction Project	\$ 6,500.00
17	GJ	CD/JL	3	Rifle Fire WUI/CWPP Fuel Mitigation Plan	\$ 50,000.00
18	WP	CD/JL	5	La Foret Fire Mitigation Plan	\$ 17,500.00
19	WP	DW/JS	14	Lone Ranger Road Fuel Mitigation	\$ 600.00
20	WP	JS/CD	15	Lutheran Valley Ranch Hazardous Fuel Reduction	\$ 16,200.00
21	ED	DW/DF	1	Fire Education for Educators	\$ 50,000.00
22	AL	SW/JL	5	Colorado College Campus at Baca/South Crestone Creek Fire Prevention	\$ 5,000.00
23	DU	CD/JL	2	Forest Lakes Fire Mitigation	\$ 20,000.00
24	FR	CD/JL	4	Sageport/ Perry Park East CWPP Cooperative	\$ 10,000.00
25	Bundle 9				
26	GR	CD/JL	3	Winter Park Highlands Assosiation Roadways Project	\$ 50,000.00
27	GR	CD/JL	10	PCMOA Open Space/Right of Way Fuels Reduction & Signage Project	\$ 14,500.00
28	LV	CD/JL	3	Spirit Mountain Ranch 2009	\$ 49,800.00
29	SS	CD/JL	5	Collaborative Project for South Ridge Preservation	\$ 15,000.00
30	WP	SW/BV	13	Schraml Defensible Space	\$ 1,200.00
31	BO	DW/DF	5	DLPOA Fire Mitigation	\$ 35,750.00
32	FR	DW/DF	6	Woodmoor Mtn Staging Area Treatments	\$ 23,500.00
33	GO	DW/BV	5	Golden Gate Fuels Reduction	\$ 40,000.00
34	Bundle 10				
35	WP	SW/JL	16	Cat L Ranch Fire Mitigation	\$ 18,288.00
36	FC	JS/CD	9	Community Slash Disposal	\$ 4,000.00
37	FC	DR/BW	11	W.P.O.A. Defensible Space Project	\$ 5,000.00
38	GR	SW/BV	11	Summit County WUI Fuel Reduction Projects	\$ 50,000.00
39	LV	JS/DR	2	Southern Colorado Education Project	\$ 4,500.00
40	FC	SW/BV	7	Thinning, Piling, and slash disposal project	\$ 12,000.00
41	FC	JS/DR	12	Pinewood Reservoir Phase 2	\$ 7,950.00
42	FC	SW/BV	14	Rustic Fire Mitigation Project	\$ 20,000.00

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43	GO	DW/DF	9	Genesse Curbside Chipping	\$ 6,000.00
44	GR	JS/CD	6	Summit-Upper Blue Wildfire Hazard Mitigation	\$ 88,000.00
45	GR	DW/BV	8	Vail Valley Fuels Reduction	\$ 18,500.00
46	Bundle 11				
47	GO	JS/CD	3	Genesse Village Hazardous Fuel Management Project	\$ 22,000.00
48	GO	SW/BV	8	Greystone Ranch Project	\$ 6,350.00
49	GR	DW/DF	12	Fuels Reduction-Beetle Kill Lodgepole Pine	\$ 15,000.00
50	SS	JS/DR	4	Knox Property	\$ 25,000.00
51	WP	DW/BV	17	1033-1043 Kings Crown Fuels Reduction	\$ 5,000.00
52	AL	SW/BV	2	Fire Prevention/Mitigation, Forbes Park	\$ 20,000.00
53	WP	SW/JL	11	Lone Rangers Road Users CWPP	\$ 1,750.00
54	SS	SW/BV	6	Mining Claims Group (fuels reduction) w/ NR CWPP	\$ 10,500.00
55	SS	DW/DF	7	Roulette	\$ 36,665.00

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This grant notification and application may also be found at: <http://csfs.colostate.edu/>

Once again, there is a very short turn around time.

Please submit your applications electronically to me by close of business, Wednesday, August 27th, 2008
 I will review and rank applications and submit to the CSFS Fire Division by Friday the 29th.
 As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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Date: June 26, 2008

To: CSFS District Foresters

From: Jane Lopez, Fuels Mitigation and Prescribed Fire Program Manager

RE: 2009 SFA WUI Grant Application

Attached, please find copies of the 2009 Colorado Wildland Urban Interface Grant Application, Score Sheet, Criteria and Instructions.

The deadline for getting the Applications to Jane Lopez is **August 29, 2008**. The address to submit the applications is: Jane.Lopez@colostate.edu the applications **must** be submitted in PDF format.

As always, we are encouraging all districts to submit grant applications. Districts must prioritize applications originating within their respective districts and note the prioritization in the upper right hand corner of the grant application.

~~This information will be posted on the CSFS website.~~

New this year: a copy of the CWPP that supports the project described in the application **must** be submitted with the application.

Thanks for your cooperation in meeting the application deadline of **August 29, 2008**.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (970) 491-8624.

Criteria and Instructions

2009 Colorado Wildland Urban Interface Grant Program

Congress has provided increased funding assistance to states through the USDA Forest Service State and Private Forestry programs since 2001. The focus of much of this additional funding was mitigating risk in Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) areas. In the West, the State Fire Assistance (SFA) funding is available and awarded through a competitive process with emphasis on hazard fuel reduction, information and education, and community and homeowner action. This portion of the National Fire Plan was developed to assist interface communities manage the unique hazards they find around them. Long-term solutions to interface challenges require informing and educating people who live in these areas about what they and their local organizations can do to mitigate these hazards.

The 10-Year Comprehensive Strategy focuses on assisting people and communities in the WUI to moderate the threat of catastrophic fire through the four National Fire Plan goals of improving prevention and suppression, reducing hazardous fuels, restoring fire-adapted ecosystems, and promoting community assistance.

Grant Considerations:

- Meets the grant criteria*.
- Meets the 50/50 match requirement**.
- Each grant request will be limited to a maximum of \$50,000.00.
- Application must be supported in a Community Wildfire Protection Plan that meets Healthy Forest Restoration Act minimum standards.
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- All grants will be scored based on the following:

Meets the grant criteria*		Yes = Eligible for scoring		No = Ineligible	
Meets the 50/50 match requirement**		Yes = Eligible for scoring		No = Ineligible	
1	Is this project achievable? (time, goals, budget, etc.)			Yes = 1	No = 0
2	Is this project measurable? (# of acres treated, # of education/outreach programs, etc.)			Yes = 1	No = 0
3	Is the applicant clearly showing collaborative elements and partners? (confidence level)			Yes = 1	No = 0
4	Is this project implemented from an existing community plan or is the request to develop the plan? (Note: preference will be given to those projects that are incorporated in a completed plan)	Completed = 2	In Progress = 1	None = 0	
5	Is the applicant clearly demonstrating project longevity? (Note: preference will be given to those projects clearly showing how it will remain effective over time)	Clearly Defined = 2	Mentioned not defined = 1	None = 0	

*Meeting the Hazard Mitigation Criteria in one or more of the following project category areas:

1) **Fuels:** Recipients may facilitate and implement mitigating fuel treatments in or adjacent to identified fire prone communities to reduce the threat of wildfire to communities. This can be conducted across jurisdictional boundaries, on adjoining private lands, or within respective communities, including all components necessary to plan and implement the project.

2) **Education:** Recipients can provide leadership to coordinate, develop, and distribute wildland urban interface education programs in association with insurance companies, communities, local government agencies, and other partners. Informational and educational programs must target mitigation of risk and prevention of loss. Programs should lead to the use or establishment of one or more fire program elements such as fire safety codes, implementation of Firewise safety practices, fuels treatments within fire prone communities, or community planning to define fire safe actions suited to the local ecosystem.

3) **Planning:** Priority will be given to those activities that tie back to an established community fire plan. Community Wildfire Protection Plans (CWPP's) are created by local communities and may address issues such as wildfire response, hazard mitigation, community preparedness, structure protection, or a

combination of the above. The process of developing these plans can help a community clarify and refine its priorities for the protection of life, property, and critical infrastructure in the wildland-urban interface. The Healthy Forest Restoration Act (HFRA) minimum requirements for a CWPP are: 1) Collaboration (must be developed with community members, local and state government representatives in collaboration with federal agencies and other interested stakeholders, CSFS District must be engaged in development of the plan, 2) Prioritized Fuel Reduction (plan must identify and prioritize areas for hazardous fuel reduction treatments and recommend the types and methods of treatment), and 3) Treatment of Structural Ignitability (must recommend measures that homeowners and communities can take to reduce the ignitability of structures throughout the area addressed in the plan). A copy of the CWPP Handbook can be found at <http://www.safnet.org/policyandpress/cwpphandbook.pdf>. Information on Colorado standards for CWPP development is available on the Colorado State Forest Service website: <http://csfs.colostate.edu>

Examples of Projects that DO NOT Qualify (not all inclusive):

- Preparedness and suppression capacity building; such as purchase of fire department equipment (try VFA, RFA, DHS and FEMA grant programs)
- Small business start-up funding
- Research and development projects (try Economic Action Program)
- Website, GIS, and database projects
- Infrastructure (building remodel, bridges, road maintenance/infrastructure, water development)

A 50/50 match. The allocated grant amount must be matched in full by the recipient using a **non-federal source. Exception: Title III funds under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000, PL 106-393 are not considered federal dollars and may be used as match. The matching share can be soft match (which includes training hours valued at an accepted rate, donated labor/equipment, etc) and/or hard match (which is actual dollars spent other than federal grant funds within the specified scope of work.)

The Colorado Wildland Urban Interface Grant may be used to apply for financial assistance towards hazardous fuels reduction and educational projects within the following four goals. These project categories may be complementary to one another. Note that these goals are not listed in priority order, and all are equally valued. Applicants are encouraged to identify local needs and submit proposals using one or a combination of these grant focus elements. Needs in any community depend on local fuels, topography, organization, public knowledge of the issues, and the will to address those issues.

Goal #1 – Improve Prevention in the Interface:

Expand outreach and education about wildfire prevention in the interface through the use of programs, such as Firewise, in order to reduce the risks to homes and private property. Homeowners and local governments bear much of the responsibility for improving the defensibility of homes in the interface but may lack the knowledge and information regarding what needs to be done and how to accomplish it. Additionally, they may lack the experience and expertise to deliver educational outreach programs to individuals and communities. States can provide the leadership needed to coordinate, develop and distribute educational materials and the partnering between homeowners, communities, insurance companies and government agencies.

Examples of projects that qualify (not all inclusive):

- Firewise or similar programs
- Living with Fire newspaper inserts
- Fire education components to Project Learning Tree
- Pamphlets, brochures, handouts

Goal #2 – Reduce Hazardous Fuels:

Fuel reduction projects and vegetation treatments have been identified as a means of mitigating wildfire hazards. These are projects that remove or modify fuels in and/or adjacent to WUI development. Effective fuels mitigation treatments can be implemented across jurisdictional boundaries, on adjoining private lands, or within the respective communities. Projects of this type include fuel breaks, thinning, pruning, landscape modifications, etc. The overall purpose is to modify or break up the fuels in such a way as to lessen catastrophic fire and its threat to public and firefighter safety and damage to property. Project proposals should consider all elements required to implement treatments on the ground, which includes acquiring the necessary permits and consultations needed to complete plans and assessments.

Examples of projects that qualify (not all inclusive):

- Defensible space around homes and structures
- Shaded fuel breaks
- Fuels reduction beyond defensible space
- Removal of slash including piling and burning; mulching; grinding; etc.
- Prescribed fire

Goal #3 – Restore Fire-adapted Ecosystems:

Millions of acres of forest and rangeland face high risks of catastrophic fire due to deteriorating ecosystems health and drought. One way to prevent future large, catastrophic wildfires from threatening communities is by carrying out appropriate treatments (such as prescribed burning or thinning) to restore and rehabilitate forest and grassland health in and adjacent to the WUI. Such treatments have reduced the severity of wildfires, and may have additional desirable outcomes, such as providing sustainable environmental, social and economic benefits. Projects require planning, consultation, design, and sometimes contracting, and may take several years to implement completely. Monitoring and evaluating effectiveness of treatments is usually necessary.

Examples of projects that qualify (not all inclusive):

- Fuels reduction beyond defensible space
- Removal of slash including piling and burning; mulching; grinding; etc.
- Prescribed fire
- Thinning
- Promoting the establishment of native plants

Goal #4 – Promote Community Assistance:

Creating conditions in and around individual structures that will limit the transmission of fire from wildland to structures is basic to reducing the fire hazard in the Interface. This is a responsibility of homeowners and communities. The states can facilitate these actions through safety inspections; demonstration projects; training and education of homeowners, officials and service personnel; fostering fires safe groups; and coordination of projects, services, and supplies.

Examples of projects that qualify (not all inclusive):

- Homeowner-association sponsored fuels reduction projects
- Municipal, fire district, county coordination of slash disposal
- Multi-jurisdictional hazard reduction projects

Application Instructions:

1) All blocks are fill-in enabled and character locked. Applicants must fit all information into the allotted character space. **Applications that have been modified for any reason will be considered ineligible by the review committee. Any attachments or additional documents that are not removed at the state level will not be considered by the review committee.**

2) Application guidelines by box number:

- **Box 1 & 2-** Basic applicant and community at risk information.

- **Box 3 & 4-** The totals in these boxes will add automatically when all data is entered into the fields. It is recommended you check all numbers add up correctly. See description of hard vs. soft match.
- **Box 5-** Answer the specific questions. Check as many boxes as apply to the project. Under the three Project Category fields fill in only if they apply to your project. If, for example, Planning is not a part of your project either leave the question below it blank or fill in N/A.
- **Box 6-** The project area description should give a **brief** overview of the project to point out the hazards and clearly show the need for work in this area. If applying for a fuels reduction project some examples of vegetation types are forest, rangeland, woodlands, etc.
- **Box 7-** The scope of work should explain exactly how the grant dollars will be spent on this project. Unlike the overview, this will provide the specific details of the project. Remember to be concise. Say exactly what will be done with grant funds not what you expect the reviewer wants to hear. Use this block to explain any additional budget detail.
 - *An example of a scope of work is:* A 300 foot wide fuel break 20 miles long will be created around the perimeter of Firesafe Village. A brush masticator will be used where possible and hand crews from the Firesafe Contracting service will complete the work in other areas. Approximately 125 individual lots will be treated using hand crews, creating adequate defensible space around the homes. Grant funds will be used to create and distribute firesafe brochures in this and surrounding subdivisions....
 - The project timeline should include such things as: begin/end dates, milestones, quarterly accomplishments, etc.
- **Box 8-** Describe the contributions each partner will make to the project by stating the collaborating partners name and what they will be contributing to the project such as manpower, equipment, matching funds, etc.
 - **New This Year:** submit a copy of the CWPP that supports the practice(s)/project(s) in the application. It is preferred to have the CWPP submitted electronically. If that is not possible, a hard (print) copy may be submitted. If a CWPP is in development (not complete), submit the most current draft.
- **Box 9-** Clearly show who, what, when, where and why of how this project will remain effective over time. Include all applicable timeframes, milestones and measurables.
 - *Some examples of clearly defined planned maintenance would be* –delegating a portion of homeowners’ dues to maintain fuel breaks on an annual basis; project sites will be maintained by landowners per signed cost share agreements. Include specific timelines and measurables.

Application Due Dates:

The standard application form for 2009 must be used. This form should be filled out and submitted electronically to the appropriate DF by their posted deadline.

ATTENTION: CSFS District Foresters

All applications must be received by Jane Lopez at jane.lopez@colostate.edu by 4:00 p.m., MDT on Friday August 29, 2009. When submitting prioritized applications to Jane, name the files by district and priority number (ex. Boulder 01, Boulder 02, etc...). Please submit them in Adobe PDF format.

Each district should set its own internal deadlines and communicate them clearly for their cooperators, partners, and client’s applications so they may be reviewed and prioritized at the district level before submission to Jane Lopez by the deadline above.

2009 Colorado
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Grant Application

District Submitting Project:	
District Priority Number:	
Dollar Amount Requested:	
Matching Share:	

Applicant Information	
1	Applicant:
	Contact Person:
	Address:
	City/Zip Code:
	Phone (Work/Cell):
	Email:
	Fax:

Community At Risk Information				
2	Name of Project:			
	Community Name:			
	County:		Congressional District:	
	Latitude (decimal degrees):		Longitude (decimal degrees):	

Grant Contributors (Matching Share)							
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3	Contributors: (Please specify)						TOTAL
	Dollars (Hard Match):	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	In-Kind (Soft Match):	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	TOTAL:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Total Project Expense (break down matching share totals from Block #3)					
4	Budget Detail (Provide additional information in Block #7)	Grant Share (\$ Amount Requested)	Match (from Block #3)		TOTAL
			Dollars	In-Kind	
	Personnel / Labor:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Fringe Benefits:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Travel:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Equipment:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Supplies:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Contractual:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Construction:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Other:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	TOTAL:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

8	Interagency Collaboration
	Specify the private, local, tribal, county, state, federal and/or non-governmental (501c3) organizations that will contribute to or participate in the completion of this project. Describe briefly the contributions each partner will make (i.e. – donating time/equipment, funding, etc.). <i>500 characters</i>
	Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP)
	Does this community have a wildfire protection plan that follows the Healthy Forest Restoration Act CWPP guidelines? (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> in development
	Is this project part of the plan? (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
Submit a copy of the CWPP with this application. Copy attached? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	

9	Project Longevity / Maintenance
	Clearly demonstrate how this project will remain effective over time. <i>500 characters</i>

alowen

From: Homann, Richard [Richard.Homann@ColoState.EDU]
Sent: Friday, August 10, 2007 10:08 AM
To: CSFS DL: District Foresters; CSFS DL:Admin
Cc: CSFS DL:Leadership Team; Brenda Wasielewski (brendaw@lamar.colostate.edu); Clair Brown ; David A. Farmer ; Lopez, JANE; Janell Ray; Michael E. Harvey ; Rich Homann ; Robert P. Blume ; Sergio R. Lopes ; Vaughn T. Jones
Subject: 2008 WSFM Competitive Grant Application
Attachments: 2008 Colorado Instructions.doc; Colorado08Application.doc; CWPP database list (8-1-07).xls

District Foresters and District Admin's:

The 2007 Western Competitive Grants successful applicants were notified this week.

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The deadline for you to submit **prioritized** applications to [Jane Lopez](#) is **September 14**.

I have attached to this email:

1. 2008 Colorado Instructions
2. 2008 Colorado Application
3. CWPP Data Base

The application and instruction will be posted on the CSFS Website today.

The CWPP Data Base is available to you on the CSFS Intranet site.

Rich

Richard Homann
Colorado State Forest Service
Fire Division Supervisor
Colorado State University
(970) 491-6303

7/2/2008

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From: alowen [alowen@lamar.colostate.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2007 11:10 AM
To: Bob Oatman (oatiesr@aol.com); Boulder Mountain FPD (chief@bouldermountainfire.org); Bret Gibson (bldmtnldge@netzero.com); Brian Oliver (OliverB@bouldercolorado.gov); (cjulian@co.boulder.co.us); Chris Finn (cfinn@mho.net); Dave Booton (dbooton@co.boulder.co.us); Dave Nyquist (dnyquist@lefthandfire.org); Dave Zader (zaderd@bouldercolorado.gov); David Lasky (davidlasky@sugarloaf.net); Dennis Fisher (buttonrock@qwest.net); Don Whittemore (dwhittemore@cherryvale.org); Doug Young (doug@cortexnology.com); Ed Wiegand (elwiegand@mric.net); Eric Folwell (efolwell@co.boulder.co.us); Greg Toll (Greg Toll); Hans Bickling (chief@slfpd.org); High Country FPD (Shelia Kambic); Jay Stalnacker (jstalnacker@co.boulder.co.us); Laura Jeney (lcomyn@msn.com); Marilyn Fagerstrom (stonehenge@prodigy.net); Mike Tombolato (Mike Tombolato); Rick Dirr (Nederland FPD); Rob O'Donnell (Rob.ODonnell@BRFD.boulder.co.us); Ron Saeger; Ryan Roberts (CSFDC1@yahoo.com); Steve Stratton (steve@stevestratton.tv); Steve Lynn
Subject: FW: 2008 WSFM Competitive Grant Application
Importance: High
Attachments: 2008 Colorado Instructions.doc; Colorado08Application.doc

This Grant notification and application can also be found at: <http://csfs.colostate.edu>

I would encourage those cooperators who currently are in the CWPP development process and those who have recently completed their CWPP's to apply for the 2008 WSFM Competitive Grant. Target your application for forest fuels treatment as suggested or outlined in your plan. This might take some estimation for those of you who haven't completed your planning document.

FYI-I received 12 SFA applications in Sept. 06 for the 07 grant process, for a total funding request of \$884,000. Half of those applications were funded totaling \$236,500. Bottom line- the process has become more competitive and is tied closely to CWPP. Prepare your request as to what you think you can reasonably accomplish while meeting the match requirement; base your project on your recommended treatments in your CWPP.

Please submit your applications electronically to me by close of business Weds day, September 12, 2007. I'll review and rank your applications and submit to our Fire Division by Friday the 14th. Any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Allen Owen, CF
 District Forester
 CSFS Boulder
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 Longmont, CO 80503
 303-823-5774
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2009 Colorado
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District Submitting Project:	Boulder
District Priority Number:	5
Dollar Amount Requested:	\$35,750
Matching Share:	\$35,750

Applicant Information	
Applicant:	DORY LAKES SUBDIVISION PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION
Contact Person:	BOB OATMAN
Address:	P.O. Box 666
City/Zip Code:	Black Hawk, CO 80422
Phone (Work/Cell):	303 582-3567
Email:	oatiesr@aol.com
Fax:	

Community At Risk Information			
Name of Project:	DLPOA FIRE MITIGATION		
Community Name:	DORY LAKES SUBDIVISION PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION		
County:	GILPIN	Congressional District:	2
Latitude (decimal degrees):		Longitude (decimal degrees):	

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Contributors: (Please specify)	DLPOA	PROPERTY OWNERS					TOTAL
Dollars (Hard Match):	500	2,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,000
In-Kind (Soft Match):	\$0	32,750	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$32,750
TOTAL:	\$500	\$35,250	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	35,750

Total Project Expense (break down matching share totals from Block #3)				
Budget Detail (Provide additional information in Block #7)	Grant Share (\$ Amount Requested)	Match (from Block #3)		TOTAL
		Dollars	In-Kind	
Personnel / Labor:	\$31,250	\$2,500	\$28,750	\$62,500
Fringe Benefits:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Travel:	\$2,000	\$0	\$2,000	\$4,000
Equipment:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Supplies:	\$500	\$500	\$0	\$1,000
Contractual:	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$0	\$4,000
Construction:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL:	\$35,750	\$55,000	\$30,750	\$71,500

Project Summary (check all that apply and answer related questions)			
5	What is the projected duration of this project? (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> One Year <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two Years		
	Is this a new project? (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	Project Category: Hazard Fuels Reduction YES		
	Number of acres to be treated:	35	Estimated cost per acre: \$2,050.00
	Number of communities directly affected by this project: one		
	Project Category: Information & Education YES		
	Number of citizens to be reached:	250	
	Project Category: Planning YES		
Number of residences affected:	35		

Project Area Description	
All information for the project must fit into the allotted character space provided below. Attachments will not be considered by the review committee.	
6	<p>Provide a brief overview of the project and the project area. (If applying for a fuels reduction project, identify vegetation types.) 1500 characters</p> <p>The Dory Lakes Subdivision covers some 320 acres, more or less, and as in most mountain areas there are far to many trees and to much ground debris. Our Subdivision primarily consists of lodge pole pine and our fire mitigation and overall plan is to reduce both of these. With the pine beetle onslaught in our future, this becomes an absolute necessity.</p>

Scope of Work / Project Timeline	
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7	<p>Provide a brief scope of work which clearly describes how grant funds will be spent. (This should be more specific than the project description. Include any additional information regarding special budget detail in this section.) 1500 characters</p> <p>Approximately 35 lots with homes will be fire mitigated by increasing the defensible spacing around each home and structures including the thinning of trees to improve crown spacing, removal of slash and ground debris and pruning the remaining trees to a height of not less than eight feet above ground. We will notify all property owners within the Dory Lakes Subdivision, by mail, commencing in January of the continuing fire mitigation project and the possibility of financial assistance through a Forest Service grant. Another mailing will be done in March or April to all those who have indicated, as a result of January mailing or otherwise, that they would like to participate. A planning session will follow to educate all possible participants on how it works, what's expected and the benefits to be derived. It is our goal/plan to complete fire mitigation on our Subdivision within the ensuing eight (8) years. We realize 100% is not a possibility, however, in as much as we are at 20-25% complete to date we believe 75-80% is very possible and realistic.</p>
	<p>Provide a timeline for the project. 500 characters</p> <p>DLPOA will commence its fire mitigation project as soon as weather permits and will complete this phase of our fire mitigation project on each and every participating property within 2008 or later than 2009.</p>

Interagency Collaboration

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500 characters

Gilpin County has and continues to provide an area for the dumping of slash and ground debris.

Colorado State Forest Service will provide the marking of the trees for thinning, which in the past has been \$75.00. on each lot and as always provide us consultation and guidance throughout the project.

Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP)

Does this community have a wildfire protection plan that follows the Healthy Forest Restoration Act CWPP guidelines? (check one) yes no in development

Is this project part of the plan? (check one) yes no

Submit a copy of the CWPP with this application. No-large File; Hardcopy available on request-

Project Longevity / Maintenance

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Clearly demonstrate how this project will remain effective over time. 500 characters

We will continue communicating with all property owners within the Dory Lakes Subdivision, both verbally and through the mail, the importance of fire mitigation and stress their need to continue with or without financial assistance.

DLPOA anticipates contributing to the hourly rate set forth by the Colorado State Forest Service, which is on a 50/50 basis.