



CALIFORNIA FIRE SAFE COUNCIL ANNOUNCES RE-OPENING OF 2018 FIRE PREVENTION GRANT PROGRAM

Funding for fire protection planning, education and fuels reduction projects in California

Updated Timeline for Grants:

Grant Application Reopens:

August 1, 2018

Grant Application Closes:

August 30, 2018

5:00 pm PT

Grant Awards Announcements:

November 2018

Grant Agreements sent out:

January 2019

Grant Projects Completion:

December 2020

Application and additional resources can be found on the CFSC website
<http://www.cafiresafecouncil.org/2018-grant-program/>

California Fire Safe Council (CFSC) will be **re-opening** its \$5.45 million grant competition for 2018 Fire Prevention Grants Program for funding for fire prevention education, planning and hazardous fuels reduction projects. The 30 day extension will encourage applicants to utilize CAL FIRE's 2018 CCI grants to meet the match requirement.

Applications submitted during the first round may be revised or left as-is.

Approximately \$5.45 million are available in two grant programs:

State Fire Assistance "SFA and SMG" Grant Program

- \$4.15 million in funding available
- Funds are available for all fire prevention activities including training, planning, hazardous fuel treatment, and fire prevention education.
- Projects must be located in California or the Tahoe region of Nevada.
- The maximum amount that can be requested has been increased from \$200,000 to \$250,000
- The match requirement is 100% or dollar-for-dollar.

Tree Mortality "TMG" Grant Program

- \$1.3 million in funding available
- Funds are available for all fire prevention activities including training, planning, hazardous fuel treatment, and fire prevention education.
- Projects are restricted to the 10 ear marked "Tree Mortality Counties" Amador, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Kern, Madera, Mariposa, Placer, Tulare and Tuolumne.
- The maximum amount that can be requested has been increased from \$130,000 to \$300,000.
- The match requirement is 25%.

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