

**LINCOLN CANYON COMPLEX COST SHARE AGREEMENT, AS PER  
NEW MEXICO WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT JOINT POWERS MASTER  
AGREEMENT**

The purpose of this Cost Agreement is to provide for a coordinated cooperative fire suppression operation on this incident and to describe the cost methodology. This Cost Agreement is entered into as per Section 44 of the New Mexico Wildland Fire Management Joint Powers Master Agreement.

1. Incident Name Lincoln Canyon Complex Origin Date 08/02/11 Time 1900

2. Latitude 32: 4' 17" Longitude 105: 15' 47"

3. Estimated Size 9,431 Acres at the time of this Agreement.

4. Agency EMNRD - NM Forestry Division Fire Code 12-51000285X

Agency BLM-Carlsbad Field Office Fire Code F85Q

5. This Agreement becomes effective on 08/02/11 at

1900 and remains in effect until Control

or until otherwise amended or terminated.

6. Position Name Agency

Incident Commander Jay Northcott Type 3 USDA-FS Lincoln National Forest

Finance Section Chief Jo Ann Herford Type 3 USDA -FS Six Rivers National Forest

7. Agency Representatives participating in development of Cost Agreement:

Agency USDI-BLM Carlsbad Field Office Agency EMNRD Forestry Division

Name Ty Bryson Name David Cunningham

Title Fire Management Officer Title Park Manager

**8. There are several ways to determine the best cost share mix. Below are examples of five cost share possibilities:**

- A. Each Agency pays for its own resources – fire suppression efforts are primarily on jurisdictional responsibility lands.
- B. Each Agency pays for its own resources – services rendered approximate the percentage of jurisdictional responsibility, but not necessarily performed on those lands.
- C. Cost share by percentage of ownership or Agency jurisdictional responsibility.
- D. Cost is apportioned by geographic division. Examples of geographic divisions are: Divisions A and B (using a map as an attachment); privately owned property with structures; or specific locations such as campgrounds.
- E. Reconciliation of daily estimates (for larger, multi-day incidents). This method relies upon daily agreed-to cost estimates, using Incident Action Plans or other means to determine multi-Agency contributions.

The following are not reimbursable:

- responsibility for tort claims or compensation for injury costs;
- non suppression rehabilitation costs are the responsibility of the Jurisdictional Agency;
- non-expendable property purchases (are the responsibility of the Agency making the purchase); and
- support costs (*i.e.* office dispatchers, warehouse workers, etc.), unless they are charging to an emergency code assigned to the incident.

**9. Fire Suppression Costs will be divided between agencies as described below:**

On the Lincoln Canyon Complex Fire each agency will pay for their own resources as per Option B above. Fire suppression services rendered approximate the percentage of jurisdictional responsibility, but not necessarily performed on those lands.

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10. This Cost Agreement is our best judgment of Agencies cost responsibilities for this incident on the date/time shown. Future amendments to this Cost Agreement may be necessary, as conditions and fire spread change. This Cost Agreement can be negotiated in the field but only the State Forester has the authority to enter into a cost agreement on behalf of the EMNRD, Forestry Division.

Signature J. Small Signature 2 Del

Agency USDI-BLM Carlsbad Field Office Agency EMNRD Forestry Division

Date 8/13/2011 Date 5-21-12

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