NEW MEXICO WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT JOINT POWERS MASTER AGREEMENT

COST SHARE AGREEMENT

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

1. Incident Name: Escondida  Origin Date 06/10/16  Time 1442

2. Latitude 34.118700°  Longitude -106.884800°

3. Estimated Size 524 Acres at the time of this Agreement.


              Agency: USDI BLM               Fire Code J96N

5. This Agreement becomes effective on 06/10/2016 at 1442 and remains in effect until Controlled or until otherwise amended or terminated.

6. Position               Name               Agency

Incident Commander: Doug Boykin  EMNRD Forestry Division

Finance Section Chief: ____________________________

7. Agency Representatives participating in development of Cost Share Agreement:

Agency: EMNRD-Forestry Division  Agency USDI BLM

Name: Donald Griego  Name: Todd Richards

Title: State Fire Management Officer  Title: NM-ADO Fire Management Officer
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:

Due to the minimal acreage on Bureau of Land Management jurisdiction, 100% of the cost of the Escondica Fire will be borne by the EMNRD Forestry Division.

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

Signature ____________________________ Signature ____________________________

Agency EMNRD- Forestry Division Agency USDA Bureau of Land Management

Date 8/29/16 Date 29 July 2016

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