

FOREST FIRE PROTECTION (FFP) GRANT

This list is not all-inclusive. It is meant to give an idea of item eligibility for reimbursement based on current interpretation of state statutes and administrative rules for the Forest Fire Protection (FFP) Grant Program as administered by the Department of Natural Resources. Any eligibility questions should be directed to the grant program manager listed on the last page of this document.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)	
Eligible	Ineligible
<p><u>NFPA 1977 Standard</u> *(Must bear NFPA 1977 label)*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • brush pants, maximum \$350 ea. (\$175 grant funds) • jumpsuits/coveralls maximum \$700 ea. (\$350 grant funds) • brush jackets, maximum \$350 ea. (\$175 grant funds) • hard hats/helmets, maximum \$100 ea. (\$50 grant funds) • wildland gloves, \$50 maximum (\$25 grant funds) • boots, maximum \$200 per pair (\$100 grant funds) 10 pair maximum (Note, boots can cost more than \$200, but no more than \$200 will be considered grant eligible) <p>AED defibrillator- one per fire department, per grant cycle to be kept on initial-attack off road vehicle only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$2000 max (\$1000 grant funds) <p>chainsaw chaps ear protection (plugs) fire shelters Firefighter Cleaning Wipes \$200 max (\$100 grant funds) goggles helmet flashlights/headlamps, maximum \$100 ea. (\$50 grant funds) hot shields and masks/wildland-approved dust mask and filters, maximum \$100 ea. (\$50 grant funds) Nomex hoods and shrouds, maximum \$100 ea. (\$50 grant funds) personal compasses personal safety strobes (strobe only, incapable of producing steady beam of light)\$20 max ea/\$10 grant funds radio chest packs safety glasses/cases \$10 max ea. (\$5. grant funds) web belts for fire shelters</p>	<p>AED defibrillator-replacement pads and batteries bunker pants and coats and other standard issue clothing for fighting structural fires clothing/PPE for HazMat/EMT/Search & Rescue ops first aid kits flashlights: personal gloves: extrication, structural, non-leather heat sensors/strips helmets and ATV/UTV helmets items not specifically approved by the NFPA (e.g. bandanas and respirators) Personnel Accountability System-passport, tag or card systems PASS Alarms rehab misters Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) Scene Lighting vests: high visibility, ICS</p>
TRAINING	
Eligible	Ineligible
<p>ATV/UTV Safety Classes - Must be online class or in person class listed on WI DNR website ONLY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WI DNR ATV/UTV Safety Classes • Invoice for cost of class and copy of safety certificate must be submitted for reimbursement <p>DVDs - wildland fire training Wildland Fire Chainsaw Training \$2000 max (\$1000 grant funds) forest fire and ICS certified training and tuition practice fire shelter</p>	<p>electronic equipment: cameras, computers, DVD players, home theater systems, printers (including camera/photo printers), projectors/screens, TV's, VCR's LP gas simulator training prescribed burn training speaker fees structural/non-wildland fire training</p>
PREVENTION & WILDLAND URBAN INTERFACE	
Eligible	Ineligible
<p>brochures: forest fire prevention, wildland-urban interfaces firewise materials/handouts for wildland fire posters: wildland fire themed signs: magnetic fire danger signs for vehicles Smokey Bear costume Smokey: fire danger signs, take Smokey home school project videos: forest fire prevention, wildland-urban interfaces</p>	<p>fire safety trailer with WUI considerations (county/area associations only) smoke detectors structural fire prevention materials</p>

TOOLS/EQUIPMENT	
Eligible	Ineligible
back can/backpack pump belt weather kit/handheld weather instrument bolt cutters chainsaw brackets chainsaw: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LESS than 60cc displacement or LESS than 4.5 engine hp (wildland fire use only) • Electric chainsaw, plus two batteries per saw DOT safety cans (Must be 5 gallon or less and DOT labeled) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • decals to label safety cans -fuel type drip torch: hand-held dry hydrant components and supplies for NEW installations only equipment for fire suppression used to outfit ATV, RTV, UTV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOT including: light bars, lettering, paint, windshield, roof, etc. foam and gels: application equipment and proportioners for use with USDA-approved Class A foam and gels: USDA-approved Class A: no more than 50 gallons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approved Class A Foam List foam systems permanently mounted on brush truck foam: portable delivery equipment for Class A foam forestry flagging fuseses hose reels hoses & appliances: Diameter of 1" or LESS (<u>No</u> high pressure hoses) leaf blower/mister nozzles: Diameter of 1" or LESS, maximum \$200 per nozzle (grant funds \$100) <u>Pumps:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21 hp or lower • pressure not capable of exceeding 300 psi • primary use must be initial-attack suppression slip-on/skid pumping units for vehicles (<u>NO</u> part of any high pressure skid-unit will be funded) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UTV/RTV/ATV slip-on pumping unit, maximum \$8000 (\$4000 grant funds) • Brush Truck slip-on pumping unit, maximum \$14,000 (\$7,000 grant funds) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Slip-on unit pumps requirements below:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21 hp or lower • pressure not capable of exceeding 300 psi • primary use must be initial-attack suppression/NO SEATS ON SLIP ON UNIT sprinkler kits suction hoses to match pump tools: handtools used in wildland fire suppression tow straps wheel chocks winches	axes: fire, pick backpack sprayers (like those used for herbicide application) binoculars canteens chainsaw GREATER than 60 cc displacement or 4.5 hp chainsaw: sharpening kit, replacement chains drones dry hydrants: repair or maintenance of dry hydrants already in existence equipment for HazMat/EMT/Search & Rescue operations (includes skid unit EMS seating) equipment for structural fire fighting large, trailer-type pumps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • compressed air foam systems permanently mounted on structural fire engines • high volume pumps primarily used for structural fires • high pressure fire suppression pumping systems or high pressure hoses • large, trailer-type pumps • thermal imaging devices/cameras fire line tape flashlights: boxlight flatbed assembly that attaches to vehicles/UTV/ATV/RTV floodlights foam delivery system that is non-USDA approved foam: Class B, not USDA-approved Class A gear bags generators hose tester or hose washer hoses/nozzles/appliances: Diameter GREATER than 1" hydrant wrench hydrants for city water Jerry Cans ladders laser thermometer/heat sensor guns laundry equipment maintenance or replacement equipment (e.g. replacement winch cables, replacement chainsaw chains) oxygen portable compressed air foam systems (CAFS) resource locator tracking system saw: ventilation (and parts, i.e. carbide tipped chains, depth gauge, power head), rescue scope for spotting tanks: portable tool hauling trailer traffic signage/cones trailers for hauling ATV, RTV, UTV underground water tank water thief

COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT	
Eligible	Ineligible
cell phone boosters for fire department-owned vehicles portable radio charger lapel microphones, Maximum \$75 ea. (\$37.50 grant funds) radio headsets - max \$300 (\$150 grant funds) - must be connected to portable radio radios: mobile, portable (including initial battery, warranty, installation and programming) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LIMITS: 4 radios- mobile or portable- max \$2500 per radio (\$1250 grant funds) Must include county fire and appropriate mutual aid frequencies including Fireground Blue Must meet P25 conventional standard radio reprogramming for DNR digital communication and monitoring: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> fire department radios, software, cable for radio reprogramming, maximum \$1,000 (grant funds \$500) paggers and accessories max \$450 ea. (\$225 grant funds) 5 paggers maximum	backup power systems for radio tower sites (including solar panels) battery replacements for radios and pagers existing repeater tower relocation existing tower maintenance fax machines/copiers/scanners maintenance or replacement equipment (e.g. batteries) mobile data terminals mobile phones (and related charges) pager reprogramming paging system with encoder/decoder repeaters: base station, vehicle siren system for community emergency warning
DRY HYDRANT INSTALLATION	
Eligible	Ineligible
Installation costs: excavation, site preparation, engine pad, signage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/waterways/construction/dry_hydrants.html NOTE: If awarded a grant, reimbursement costs for dry hydrant installation will only be authorized when appropriate documentation is submitted with the reimbursement request (exemption letter, permit approval, landowner letter) 	dredging costs easement legal fees electric pump-driven dry hydrant irrigation wells roads for dry hydrant access underground water tanks wells
MAPPING	
Eligible	Ineligible
GPS and installation maps: zone, high hazards wildland areas, water resources plat books	GPS units with 2 way radios, cameras or other enhancements numbering systems other mapping equipment PDAs software, computers, tablets
OFF-ROAD VEHICLES	
Eligible	Ineligible
ATV, RTV, UTV: (including Argo tracked UTV) primary use is wildland fire suppression Truck chassis tenders (tankers) w/tank capacity ≤ 1,000 gallons if equipped w/mounted pumps for off-road Tracks-aftermarket tracks for ATV, RTV, UTV. Max \$5,000 (\$2,500 grant funds) trucks: standard all-wheel drive, 1/2 to 5-ton capacity equipped to fight wildland fires New vehicle wildland fire fighting preparations made immediately after acquisition or in next grant cycle. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> paint identification letters/numbers truck brush guards truck bumpers truck compartments 	light bars or sirens on initial-attack brush trucks or UTVs tenders (tankers) not equipped for off-road tenders (tankers) w/tank capacity GREATER than 1,000 gallons tires, vehicle maintenance, repair for existing trucks trailers: rehab, hauling ATV, RTV or UTV trucks: standard w/OUT all-wheel drive (not off-road)

OTHER EXPENSES	
Eligible	Ineligible
expenses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● incurred during the grant project period ● paid from Grantee or Taxpayer ID # (TIN) account quotes/bids publication notices shipping/freight	donations/in-kind labor expenses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● incurred before or after the grant project period ● incurred under a contract that creates a real or apparent conflict of interest ● receive payment under other federal/state financial assistances programs ● paid from an account different from that of the Grantee or Taxpayer ID # (TIN) account sales tax

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