



2015 GRANTS CLEARINGHOUSE Competitive Grants Program July 2015 Report

2015 HIGHLIGHTS

25 PROJECTS

22 COUNTIES

7,187 ACRES

**GRANT DOLLARS
PROVIDED:
\$3,358,081**

**PROJECT MATCH
COMMITTED:
\$4,082,160**

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California Fire Safe Council Announces Support to Help Communities Prevent Wildfire

2015 PROJECT SELECTION ANNOUNCEMENT

California Fire Safe Council (CFSC) is pleased to announce the selection of 25 projects for funding under its 2015 Grants Clearinghouse. CFSC will provide over \$3.3 million in federal grant funds to support wildfire risk reduction activities in at-risk communities in 22 counties across California.

The selected projects help California communities respond to the growing concern over catastrophic wildfire and exemplify efforts to create fire adapted communities. Through subgrants from CFSC, these projects provide support to implement fuel reduction projects such as community chipper programs, fuel breaks, and roadside and defensible space projects. These projects will also utilize educational tools to spread the Fire Safe message and engage community members.

Funding for the 2015 Grants Clearinghouse is provided through master grants to CFSC by the Cooperative Fire Program of the U.S. Forest Service (USFS), Department of Agriculture, Pacific Southwest Region. These State Fire Assistance (SFA) grants provide \$3,358,081 for subgrants to support:

- ◆ Hazardous fuels reduction and maintenance projects on non-federal land
- ◆ Community Wildfire Protection Plans and other plans or assessments
- ◆ Prevention and mitigation education and outreach opportunities.

In addition to the federal funds, the projects will utilize over \$4 million in matching funds, both in-kind and cash contributions. This generous support demonstrates the value of collaboration and partnerships among agencies and organizations to create Fire Adapted Communities.

Congratulations to the Fire Safe Councils, resource conservation districts, fire protection agencies, and other organizations whose projects were selected for funding! Special thanks to USFS for supporting these vital projects!

For more information on California Fire Safe Council's Grants Clearinghouse, please visit www.cafiresafecouncil.org.

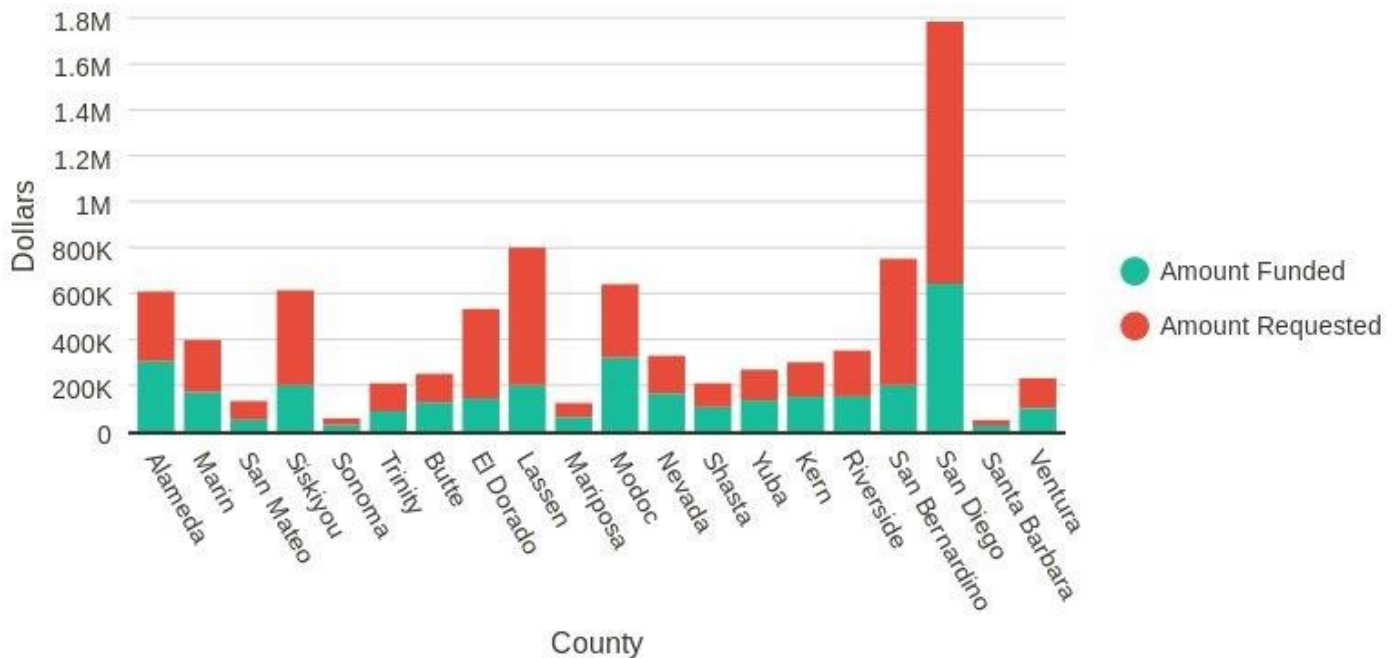
2015 GRANTS CLEARINGHOUSE SUMMARY

PROJECT SELECTION STATISTICS

2015 GRANTS CYCLE	Applications	Selected Projects
# of Projects:	62	25
Value of Funding Requests:	\$ 6,800,456	\$ 3,358,081
Value of Match Commitments:	\$ 7,928,401	\$ 4,082,160
Acres of Fuels Treatment:	22,849 Acres	7,187 Acres
Number of Counties:	34	22

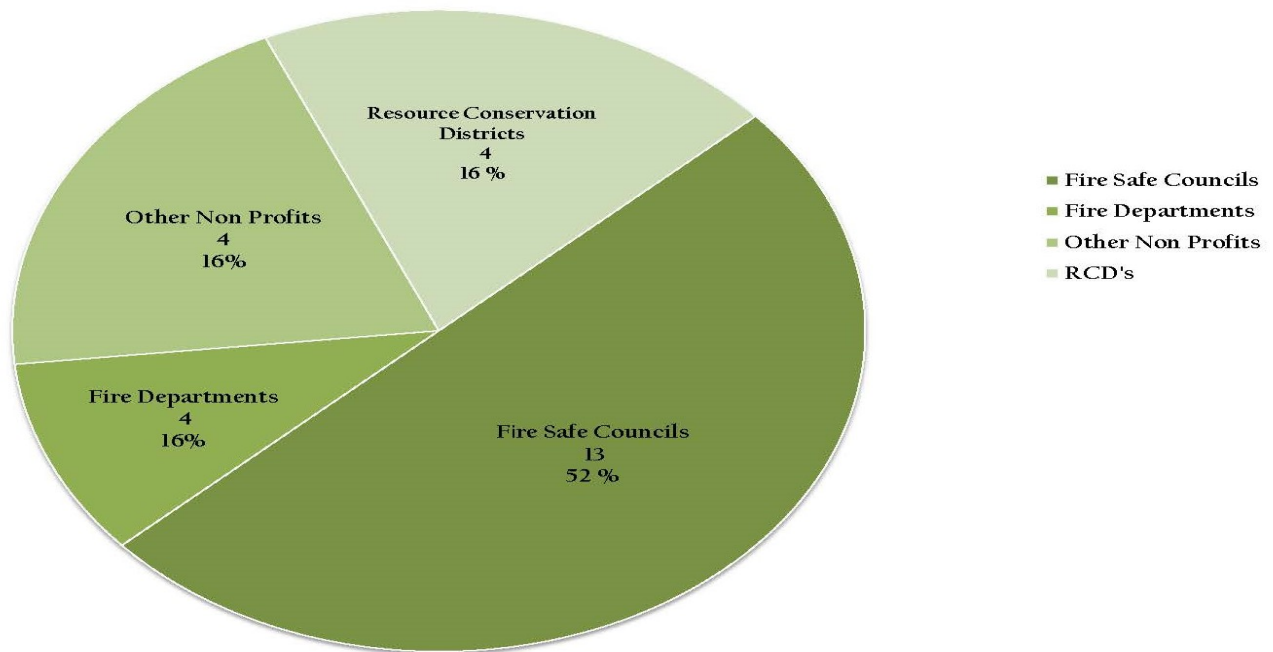
ANNUAL CYCLE COMPARISONS	2015	2014
Percentage of Projects Selected:	40%	45%
Average Application Amount:	\$ 109,685	\$ 100,227
Average Grant Amount (preliminary):	\$ 134,343	\$ 106,011

DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTY

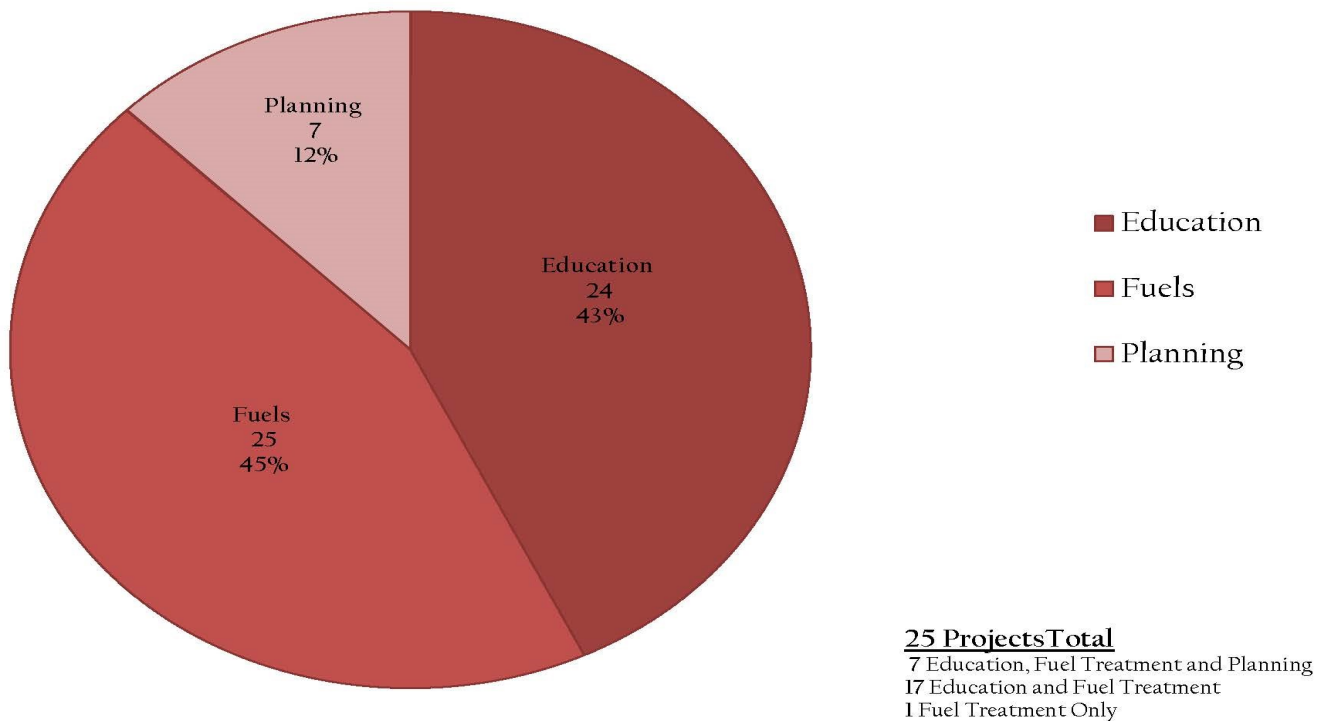


2015 GRANTS CLEARINGHOUSE SUMMARY

TYPES OF ORGANIZATIONS SELECTED FOR FUNDING



TYPES OF PROJECTS SELECTED FOR FUNDING



LIST OF PROJECTS BY MASTER GRANT

15-SFA

Total Funded Amounts: \$2,900,000

Total Match Amounts: \$3,572,931

Number of Projects Selected: 20

Total Acres to be Treated: 5,002

Number of Counties: 18

ALAMEDA & CONTRA COSTA

Diablo Fire Safe Council

“2015 Filling More Gaps in Community Defensible Space”

Funding Amount: \$187,320 Match Amount: \$187,320

EL DORADO

El Dorado County Fire Safe Council

“2015 EDCFSC Residential Defensible Space Program”

Funding Amount: \$142,500 Match Amount: \$165,842

KERN

Kern County Fire Department

“Kern County Firewise Treatment and Education Projects”

Funding Amount: \$150,000 Match Amount: \$150,000

LASSEN

Lassen County Fire Safe Council, Inc.

“Diamond Mountain Landscape Scale Fuel Break”

Funding Amount: \$200,000 Match Amount: \$208,842

MARIN

Tamalpais Community Services District

“TCSD Firewise 2015”

Funding Amount: \$170,233 Match Amount: \$212,672

MARIPOSA

Mariposa County Fire Safe Council, Inc.

“Reducing the Threat - Defensible Space Clearing for At-Risk Residents”

Funding Amount: \$61,360 Match Amount: \$61,950

MODOC

Modoc Fire Safe Council

“Franklin Canyon Hazardous Fuels Reduction Phase II Modoc County Wildfire Mitigation and Planning”

Funding Amount: \$119,983 Match Amount: \$135,000

Pit Resource Conservation District

“2015 Lookout WUI Shaded Fuel Break”

Funding Amount: \$200,000 Match Amount: \$214,011

RIVERSIDE

Mountain Communities Fire Safe Council

“Fire Safe San Jacinto Mountain”

Funding Amount: \$151,726 Match Amount: \$151,726

SAN BERNARDINO

San Bernardino County Fire Protection District

“Lytle Creek Defensible Space Project”

Funding Amount: \$200,000 Match Amount: \$200,000

SAN DIEGO

Greater Alpine Fire Safe Council

“Neighborhoods 7”

Funding Amount: \$200,000 Match Amount: \$565,000

Pine Valley Fire Safe Council, Inc.

“GSOB Follow Up & Brush Chipping”

Funding Amount: \$42,890 Match Amount: \$46,560

Resource Conservation District of Greater San Diego County

“San Diego County Fire Prevention and CWPP Program”

Funding Amount: \$200,000 Match Amount: \$302,402

Urban Corps of San Diego County

“Viejas Fire Fuel Reduction”

Funding Amount: \$199,285 Match Amount: \$201,630

SAN MATEO

Fire Safe San Mateo County

“Highlands Community Wildfire Risk Reduction Project”

Funding Amount: \$49,168 Match Amount: \$137,048

SHASTA COUNTY

Western Shasta Resource Conservation District

“City of Shasta Lake Section-B West”

Funding Amount: \$104,389 Match Amount: \$105,363

SISKIYOU & HUMBOLDT

Mid Klamath Watershed Council

“2015 Klamath River Prescribed Fire Training Exchange (Trex)”

Funding Amount: \$199,876 Match Amount: \$203,295

TRINITY

Trinity County Resource Conservation District

“Trinity County Fuels Reduction”

Funding Amount: \$87,270 Match Amount: \$88,270

VENTURA

Ojai Valley Fire Safe Council

“Ojai Valley Wildfire Preparedness Initiative”

Funding Amount: \$100,000 Match Amount: \$100,000

YUBA

Yuba County Public Works

“Fuel Reduction Along County Roads”

Funding Amount: \$134,000 Match Amount: \$136,000

LIST OF PROJECTS BY MASTER GRANT (CONTINUED)

15-SFAHM

Total Funded Amounts: \$309,081
Total Match Amounts: \$360,229
Number of Projects Selected: 3
Total Acres to be Treated: 1,827
Number of Counties: 3

15-SFAX

Total Funded Amounts: \$149,000
Total Match Amounts: \$149,000
Number of Projects Selected: 2
Total Acres to be Treated: 358
Number of Counties: 2

ALAMEDA

Hayward Fire Department
 “Hayward-Fairview Defensible Space Chipper and Resident Assistance Program”
 Funding Amount: \$116,781 Match Amount: \$121,300

NEVADA

Fire Safe Council of Nevada County, Inc.
 “Nevada County Chipping and Green Waste Drop Program”
 Funding Amount: \$164,300 Match Amount: \$210,929

SONOMA

Sea Ranch Fire Safe Council
 Sea Ranch Fuel Zones
 Funding Amount: \$28,000 Match Amount: \$28,000

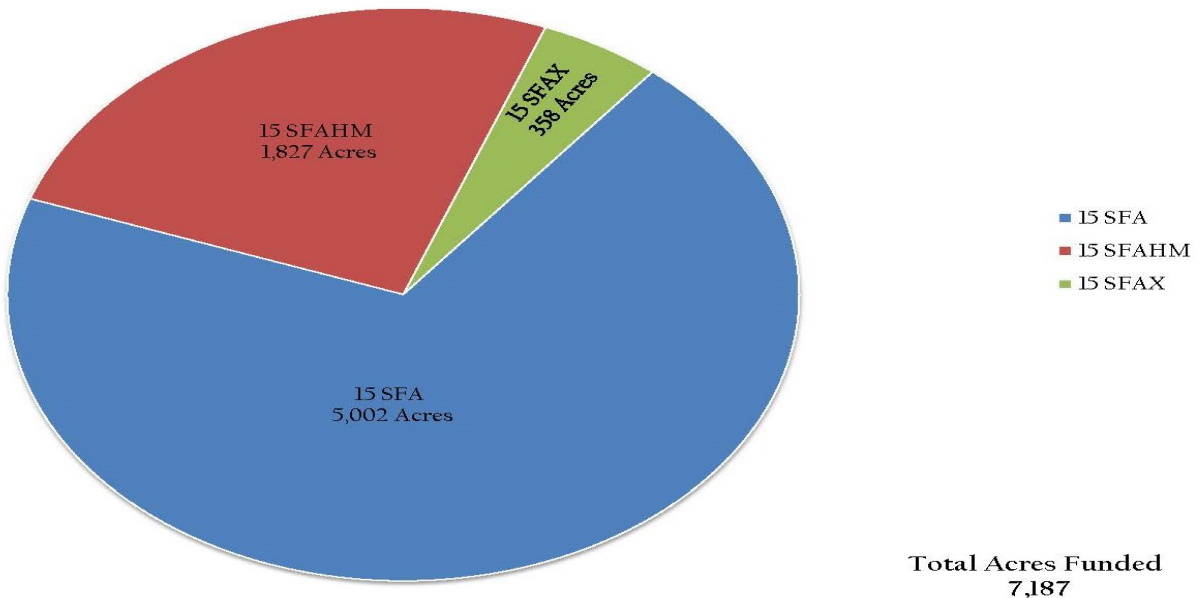
BUTTE

Butte County Fire Safe Council
 “Defensible Space Chipper and Resident Assistance Program”
 Funding Amount: \$125,000 Match Amount: \$125,000

SANTA BARBARA

Carpinteria-Summerland Fire Protection District
 “Cate School / Gobernador Community Wildfire Protection”
 Funding Amount: \$24,000 Match Amount: \$24,000

ACRES BY MASTER GRANT



MAP OF SELECTED PROJECTS

