

**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 Guadalupe Fire                      Origin Date 6/2/15                      Time 1207
2. Township 33S    Range 22W                      Section 1    ¼ Sec: of ¼ Sec: NW  
Latitude: 31° 27' 59"                      Longitude: 109° 2' 3"
3. Estimated Size 5,974 Acres at the time of this Agreement.
4. Agency USDA Forest Service                      Fire Code AZ-CNF-000437  
Agency EMNRD – Forestry Division Fire Code 15-30300359N
5. This Agreement becomes effective on 6/9/15 at Noon and remains in effect until Controlled or until otherwise amended or terminated.

6. <u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Agency</u>
Incident Commander	John Thornburg	Saguaro National Park
Finance Section Chief	Lisa Angle	Coronado National Forest

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

Agency: <u>USDA Forest Service</u>	Agency: <u>EMNRD – Forestry Division</u>
Name: <u>Jamie Kingsbury</u>	Name: <u>Doug Boykin</u>
Title: <u>Acting Forest Supervisor</u>	Title: <u>District Forester, Socorro District</u>

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, multiday incidents). This method relies upon daily agreed-to cost estimates, using Incident Action Plans or other means to determine multiagency 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;
- nonexpendable 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:

Of the 5,974 acres burned on the Guadalupe Fire, only 71 acres are under the jurisdiction responsibility of the Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Forestry Division. Due to the minimal private acreage, the Forest Service will accept the total cost of the Guadalupe Fire.

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: <u>Coronado National Forest</u>	Agency: <u>EMNRD – Forestry Division</u>
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