

Palomar Mountain Fire Safe Council Foundation
 PMFSC Board Meeting- July 27, 2019
PMFSC Activity Update for PMVFD Meeting August 3,2019

Topic	Status
Financial status	<p>Monthly Financial report: (as of 7/30/19)</p> <p>Cash: \$3,910.68</p> <p>Restricted grant funds: \$9,036.32</p> <p>Total assets: \$12,947.00</p> <p>Expenses: \$1,251.68 (Stumpmasters Tree Service/chipping) NRP Grant funds</p> <p>Donations: \$70</p> <p>Liabilities: 0</p> <p>Fees due: 0</p>
CAL FIRE	
SDCo Fire	<p>Building Resilient Wildfire Resistant Communities: Four areas of focus: 1) Community education; 2) Defensible space/Structural hardening; 3) Vegetation management; 4) Evacuation. Palomar a priority this fiscal year beginning in January. Need priorities from PM community (PMVFD, PMPO CERT) by mid-August. Captain-Paramedic , D. Kowalski, has submitted Palomar Station 79 CAL FIRE priorities.</p> <p>SDC Fire Authority Community Support Program: Palomar Mountain WUI scheduled for Aug 24 @ Station 79. Thomas Shoot will present.</p> <p>CEQA: Eric Just (<i>Fire Authority Community Support Program</i>) has requested a list of people in Crestline/Birch Hill who would consent to brush clearing along their private road by CCC Landowners/residents to be contacted by CB. An "Exemption" still requires someone from SDCo FA to come out and evaluate land so process shortened but not eliminated. PMVFD needs to see if County will allow brushclearing across from Station 79 on S7.</p>
USFS	<p>USFS Palomar Community Defense Zone and Fuelbreak Project (2010); 2) Described collaborative planning for the next USFS grant cycle that includes Jeff Valley and other Palomar Mountain fuelbreaks. If funded, work would begin 2021-2022 after NEPA approval process. LT will be PMFSC planning representative.</p> <p>Campfires OK in approved rings</p> <p>Summit picnic area on hold until NEPA finished.</p> <p>No engines in Palomar Station (Engine 36 out of service). Would need to call in resources</p>
FSCSDC	<p>CWPP awaiting final approval.</p> <p>Sponsoring Palomar WUI workshop 8/24.</p> <p>Just received \$1.355 million grant from USFS for fire mitigation on private land.</p> <p>PMFSC (CB/YV) invited USFS (Tim Gray/Chris Brenzel) to Annual PMVFD meeting to present plans for Palomar over next 12-24 months.</p>
PMVFD	<p>Roadside water storage tanks: Needs discussion with PM Mutual Water Company possibility and estimated cost to connect tanks on Crestline to PM Mutual Water Company lines (vs. filling prn from CAL FIRE tankers.)</p>

PMPO	<p>Next meeting August 17, 2019 Community resilience priorities need to be discussed</p>
CERT	<p>Received SDG&E funds for gear/insurance, background checks, trailer for storage Participated in regional conference for fire preparedness.</p>
CCPM	<p>PMFSC will have table at community picnic for community education/Barricade distribution</p>
Community Activities & Workshops	<p>Crestline/Birch Hill/Observation Point Alternative Evacuation Route: Phil Boczanowski masticated/brush cleared 15” on both sides of Conifer Rd.</p> <p>Completed: PMFSC/CERT: Barricade Fire Gel Use (May 18) Dumpster days (3): May 4; June 1, July 6 Chipping days: 4 days</p> <p>Future: Dumpster Days: 1st weekend Aug 3, Sept 7, Oct 5 (CB coordinating) Chipping days: 3 ½ days TBS (RC coordinating with Stumpmasters) WUI workshop (Aug 24): CERT to co-host. VC FSC/CERT invited. PMFSC will provide breakfast. Notices posted . NEED TO ENSURE MORE PALOMAR PARTICIPATION -at least 21 Palomar participants. <u>Encourage all new residents to attend.</u></p>
Active grants	<p>Neighborhood Reinvestment Program (2018): (\$48,328) 72 Barricade Fire Gel home kits; 6 dumpster rentals; 6 community chipping days, workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dumpster Days: Scheduled 1st Sat of the month May-October - Chipping report: 21 properties chipped - Barricade needs to be distributed.
Grants: submitted/pending	<p>SDG&E 2019 (\$2500): Community workshops & education. Resubmitted this week. Initial application lost at SDG&E</p> <p>CFSC grant: YV submitted 6/10/19: Pending</p> <p>\$96,630. Contract work: \$56,000 total for chipping (\$30,000), dead tree removal(\$15,000) and DSAP (\$10,000). Remainder is support for FSCSDC as fiscal sponsor. Total in-kind match \$26,200: Homeowner in-kind pledges used-\$16,000, PMFSC matching pledge-\$2800 (100 hours), FSCSDC matching pledge-\$7000</p>
Grants: to be submitted/potential	<p>CCC: Roadside brushclearing on evacuation route (CCC contact: Steven Kirsch). YV working with Steve Kirsch on CEQA exemption or reimbursement for evacuation corridor roadside brushclearing.</p> <p>NRP 2019: PMFSC will apply for \$2500 gallon water storage tanks (2); chipping (10); dumpsters (6). Need info from PMVFD Board for water tanks cost and connections specifications.</p> <p>Ongoing need for in-kind match from PM residents/landowners for grant applications</p>

<p>Closed grants</p>	<p>1. SDG&E (2016) \$2500 for community education projects/workshops 2. SDG&E (2017) \$2500 for community education projects/workshops 3. USFS/FSCSDC Palomar Fuel Reduction Grant (2017) Final report: Curbside chipping-65 homes; DSAP coast share prepwork-22 homes; dead trees removed-8. WUI workshop held 8/18. 4. Neighborhood Reinvestment Program (NRP) 2017: \$10,000-All funds expended for Fire Gel home kits/2 diesel power washers.</p>
<p>Grants: Submitted/Not funded</p>	<p>1. SRA Fuel Reduction Grant-2016 (\$200,000) for 1) improvement in Crestline/Birch Hill (Borland to Conifer) contingency evacuation route 2) fuel reduction on land outside the 100' defensible space. 2. CALFIRE /Cap Trade Fire Prevention program: (\$274,086) PMFSC Evacuation Route Improvement/Fuel reduction Project for Crestline, Birch Hill, Observation Point for emergency vehicle access and resident evacuation 3. (CALFIRE) 2018 CA Climate Investments Fire Prevention Grants Program: (18-FP-MVU-2037) for Alternate Evacuation route (Crestline/32J/Conifer) submitted Dec 18, 2018. Budget \$409,890 Administrator: RCDSDC Would provide 60' fuel reduction/ingress-egress corridor on eastern slope just below Birch Hill: (20" both sides of Conifer Road for 1 mile from S7 to Greenfield Rd) & at least 5' fuel reduction on private road loop from Crestline Rd, through 32 J to Conifer Rd. Final amount requested: \$378,253 (\$409,890 less \$31,637 donated as in kind by partner Phil Boczanowski)</p>
<p>Other</p>	
<p>Next regular PMFSC Board Meeting: WUI Workshop: August 24, 2019, 8-4PM @ PM Fire Station 79</p>	