

# Wildfire Mitigation FAQ

- 1. Can this grant cover equipment such as fire trucks, brush trucks, fire hydrants, waterlines or radios?**  
Equipment is not an eligible mitigation project.
- 2. What is considered a critical facility?**  
EOC, Fire, EMS, Police, City Hall – continuity of government
- 3. Do I have to have an approved plan at the time of declaration?**  
No, but you do have to have an approved plan by the award date. If you do not have an approved plan at the time of the declaration then your will score lower on the application/Notice of Interest scoring process.
- 4. Who do I contact in order to find out the status of our mitigation action plan?**  
Carolyn Sudduth @ (512) 424-5683 / [carolyn.sudduth@dps.texas.gov](mailto:carolyn.sudduth@dps.texas.gov)
- 5. What if my project is not on the list of projects?**  
Complete the Notice of interest form and submit it and the state will review and advise you if the project is a valid mitigation project and worthy of an application submittal.
- 6. Can we reimburse private landowners for wildfire mitigation?**  
No, however, an eligible applicant can apply for a wildfire mitigation project on private property.
- 7. Who do I contact to update the mayor / jurisdiction's contact information?**  
Preparedness @ (512) 424 -2450
- 8. What is considered a small project?**  
The total 30 day lock amount was approximately \$3 million dollars for the entire state of Texas. The state will try to fund as many projects as possible.
- 9. Priority to wildfire mitigation what about declared counties?**  
The state is only giving priority to wildfire mitigation projects for this disaster.