COST SHARE AGREEMENT
Between the
USDA Forest Service, REGION 1
And
MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
And
IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF LANDS
And
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, ROCKY MOUNTAN & NORTHWEST REGIONS
And
US FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE
And
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
And
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

The purpose of this cost share agreement is to allow for the interagency sharing of costs to field two ground safety teams in the Northern Rockies due to extreme levels of activity and numbers of resources deployed. Following is the cost share agreement between the agencies identified above as negotiated for the following incident in accordance with the Idaho and Montana Cooperative Fire Management and Stafford Act Response Agreements.

General Incident Information:

Incident Name: 2015 NR Ground Safety Team

Jurisdictions: USDA Forest Service; Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation; Idaho Department of Lands; DOI Bureau of Indian Affairs, Fish & Wildlife Service, National Park Service and Bureau of Land Management.

Incident Numbers by Protection Agency:

Agency	Incident #	Accounting Code
DOI	MT-R01-000014	J18W
U.S. Forest Service	MT-R01-000014	P1J18W
MT DNRC	MT-R01-000014	715099
Idaho Dept. of Lands	MT-R01-000014	

Cost Share Period: 2015 Fire Season

Other conditions relative to this agreement:

1. In accordance with the Montana Cooperative Fire Mangement and Stafford Act Agreement, 11-FI-11015600-006.
2. In accordance with the Idaho Cooperative Fire Protection and Stafford Act Agreement, 07-FI-11015600-087.

3. Each agency will bill for their costs as outlined in the Idaho and Montana Cooperative Fire Protection and Stafford Act Response Agreement billing procedures. Federal agencies do not exchange funds.

Rationale for Cost Share:

The costs will be split utilizing the 10-year average volume of business of the Northern Rockies Coordination Center for orders within the Northern Rockies.

Final Agency Apportionment:

1. Federal Share:

a.	USFS	60%
b.	BLM	7%
c.	FWS	1%
d.	NPS	3%
e.	BIA	7%

2. State Share :

a.	MT	16%
b.	ID	6%

Principal Contacts:

The following personnel are the principal contacts:

Title:	Name:	Agency:
Incident Business Coord.	Tracey Nimlos	US Forest Service
Incident Business Coord.	Sarah Lee	BLM
Incident Business Coord.	Amanda Boatright	BIA
Incident Business Coord.	Wendy Walter	ID Dept. of Lands
Incident Business Coord.	Wanemah Hulett	MT DNRC
NR Operations	Bob Gilman	
NRCC Center Manager	Kathy Pipkin	

Signatures of Authorized Personnel & Attachments:

This agreement and the apportionment described are our best judgments of fair and equitable agency cost responsibilities.

Agency: USDA Forest Service
Director, Fire Aviation and Air

Signature: Patricia L. Koppenol Date: 11/18/15
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Agency: Montana Department of Natural Resources & Conservation
Fire & Aviation Bureau Chief

Signature: Ted Mead Date: 11/18/15
Ted Mead

Agency: DOI Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Fire Management Officer

Signature: Date: 11-18-15
Robert LaPlant
Rocky Mountain Region

Signature: Date: 1-13-16
Brian Tonihka
Northwest Region

Agency: Idaho Department of Lands
Fire & Aviation Bureau Chief

Signature: Date: 11-18-15
Ken Ockfen

Agency: Bureau of Land Management
State Fire Management Officer

Signature: _____ Date: 11/18/15
Ken Schmid

Agency: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
Fire Management Officer

Signature: _____ Date: 11/18/15
Michael Haydon

Agency: National Park Service,
Deputy Regional Fire ~~Coordinator~~ Management Officer

Signature: _____ Date: 11/16/15
Brent Woffinden