

COST SHARE AGREEMENT Between the US Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management and the Montana Department of Natural Resource Conservation

This cost share agreement is between the agencies identified above, as negotiated for the following incident in accordance with the current 2017-2021 Montana Statewide Cooperative Fire Management and Stafford Act Agreement #17-FI-11015600-010. The purpose of this agreement is to allocate financial responsibility and to describe the cost division.

General Incident Information:

Incident Name:		Robertson Draw		
Incident Start Date and Time:		6/13/2021 1417		
Origin				
Township: 7S		Range: 29E	Section: 26	
Estimated Size		Acres at the time of this agreement: 29,885		
Incident Cause: Human Cau		used		

Incident Numbers by Protection Agency:

Agency	Incident #	Accounting Code
USFS	MT-CGF-210148	P1N2S5 (0110)
DNRC		901150
BLM		N2S5

Cost Share Period: This agreement becomes effective on the date indicated below and will remain in effect until amended or terminated.

Start date/time: 6/15/2021

End date/time: end of incident

Other conditions relative to this agreement:

- 1. Costs incurred by cooperators not engaged with the host agency or Incident Management Team (IMT) in the fire suppression activities will not be included as a part of this cost share agreement.
- 2. Responsibility for tort claim costs will not be a part of this agreement. Responsibility for these costs will be determined outside this agreement.
- 3. Agency specific costs will not be shared.
- 4. Costs for accountable, sensitive, and durable property purchased by each agency will be charged directly to that agency and will not be shared.
- 5. Non-suppression rehabilitation costs are the responsibility of the jurisdictional agency and will not be shared.
- 6. Each agency (including supporting agencies) will bill for their costs as outlined in the MT Cooperative Fire Management Agreement billing procedures.



Protecting Agencies' Strategies:

Reference Appendix A: Decision Document Appendix B: Protection Map

Cost Share Methodology and Rationale:

Reference Appendix A: Decision Document: Decision 7

Final Agency Apportionment:

1. Federal Share:

a.	USFS	39 %
b.	BLM	28 %

2. State Share:

a. DNRC 33 %

Principal Contacts:

The following personnel are the principal contacts:

Title:	Name:	Agency:
Agency Administrator	Scott Schuster	USFS
Agency Representative	Ken Coffin	USFS
Agency Administrator	Dave Lefevre	BLM
Agency Administrator	Jeff Bollman	Montana DNRC
Incident Business Advisor	Fauzia Massey	USFS



Signatures of Authorized Personnel & Attachments:

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

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Date:

Signature: ______ Mary Erickson Forest Supervisor

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Signature: _____Date: ____Date: _____Date: _____Date: ______Date: _____Date: Field Office Manager

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Signature: ______ Jeff Bollman

_____ Date: _____

Area Manager

Addendums to this Document:

Addendums to this document include: Appendix A - Cost Share Decision Document Appendix B – Protection Responsibility Map