CALIFORNIA WILDLAND FIRE COORDINATING GROUP















Date: March 4, 2011

To: All Signatory Agencies

Subject: California Master Cooperative Wildland Fire Management and Stafford Act Response Agreement (CFMA)

CWCG has formed a task group made up of the signatory agencies to CFMA to begin drafting the next generation master agreement. Target date for implementation of a new CFMA including agency legal review and signature will be December 1, 2012.

The current CFMA can be found at http://gacc.nifc.gov/oscc/cwcg/index.html. Signatory agencies are soliciting written comments, edits, and proposed changes to both the agreement and exhibits. Please submit your input in writing thru your agency representatives listed below on or before May 15, 2011. If you have any questions regarding the process please contact your agency representative.

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