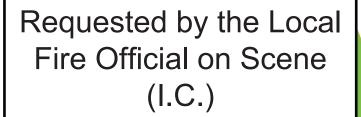
TRANSITIONING FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO STATE





Cities and Counties Empowered to Request Assistance and Creates Incentives for Local Mutual and Automatic Aid Agreements When State or Federally Managed Lands are Involved

> In this scenario, the Cost-Share is between State and Federal Entities

Resources are Ordered through an Interagency Fire Center

Local Capacity Reinforced through the Interagency System

At The Discretion of the State Forester

Maintaining the Language of Current Statute Requiring State Forester to "Make Certain that Appropriate Action is Taken to Control Wildland Fires on Non-Federal...Lands"

REMEMBER!

Unified Command:

Transfer of Fiscal Responsibility Does NOT Remove Local Government From the Command Structure or the Decision-Making Process

All Aircraft Costs:

Become the Fiscal Responsibility of the **State** (both Initial and Extended Attack)