

California 2012 WSFM WUI Grant Instructions

The following are specific instructions for California WUI applicants. Please read the instructions carefully. If you are awarded a grant from this process, the funding will not be available until July 2012.

When filling out the WSFM WUI application boxes, please read corresponding the following, "Box" instructions. Also, read the Grant Considerations on page 2 of 4 in the WSFM Instructions on how the grant is scored, there are 13 possible points. To compete against the many other western state applications, your grant needs to score the full 13 points. Be clear and concise when completing the application boxes.

Box 3

Assure you have the correct amount of match; the applicant is accountable for the amount that is in the match share box total. If you include more than the required match, you are still accountable for the entire amount in the total box.

Box 4

Indirect costs are for administration fees, the California Fire Safe Council fee is 15%; the CAL FIRE fee is 13% for 2012 and can go higher.

Box 5, 6, 7

Answer as stated in the 2012 WSFM Instructions.

Box 9

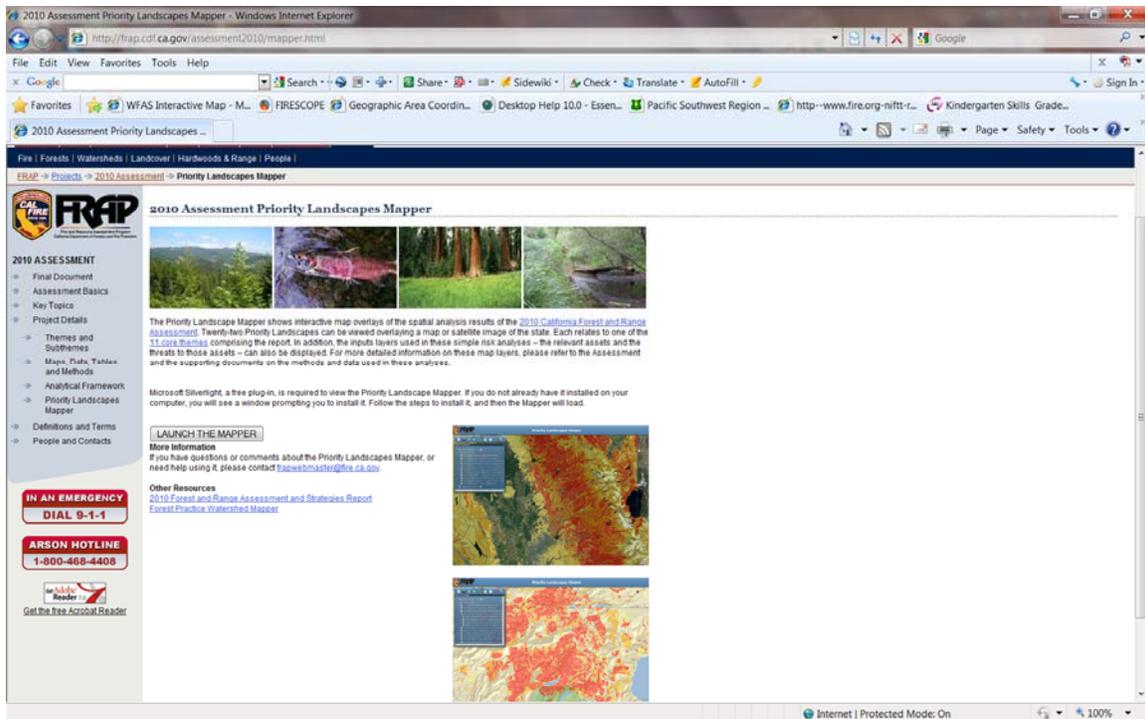
Interagency collaboration, you need at least two for collaboration. Grant contributors from Box 3 should be listed in Box 9 stating what each partner will contribute.

To help answer the additional questions in Box 9 "Is this project identified in your statewide Forest Resource Assessment and Strategy? In other words, Is your project in a priority landscape?" utilize the FRAP Priority Landscape Mapper Tool.

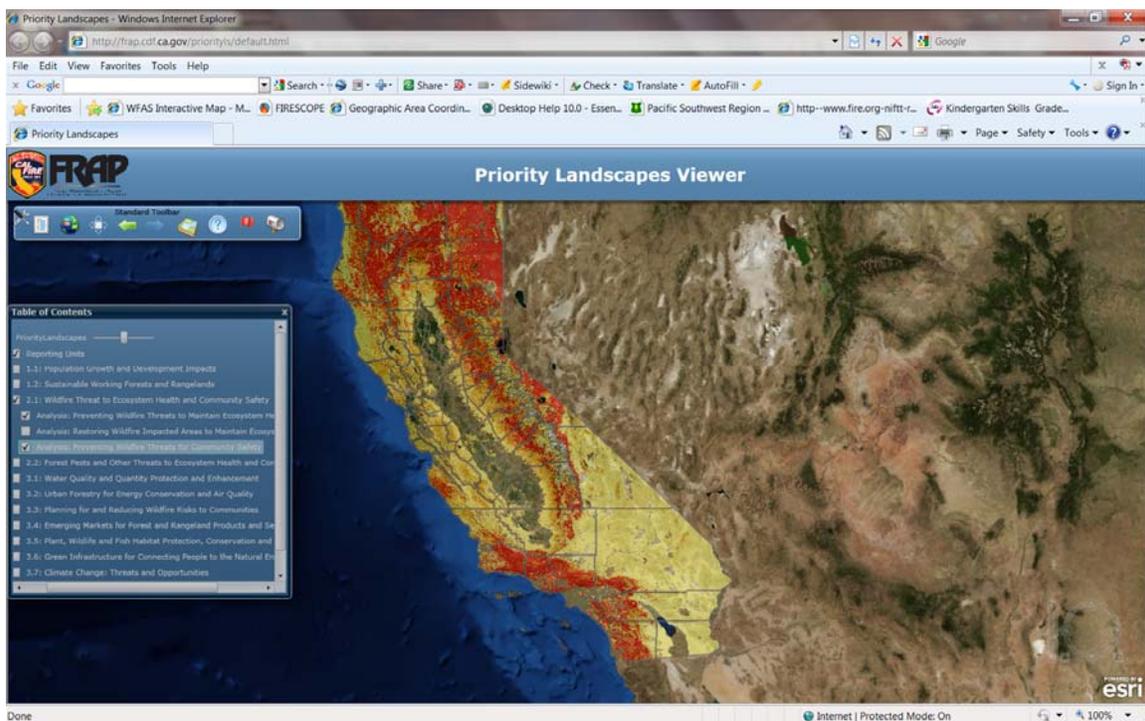
How to find Priority Landscapes in California:

- 1) Go Fire Resource Assessment program (FRAP) <http://frap.cdf.ca.gov>
- 2) Click on "The 2010 Forest and Range Assessment."
- 3) Click on "Priority Landscape Mapper, start here."
<http://frap.cdf.ca.gov/assessment2010/mapper.html>
- 4) Click on "LAUNCH THE MAPPER."

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Link for Mapper, <http://frap.cdf.ca.gov/priorityls/default.html>



- 5) Check box for Priority Landscape
- 6) Double click on Priority Landscape

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7) Check box 2.1 Wildfire Threat to Ecosystem Health and Community Safety.

8) Then double click on the title

9) Check boxes;

Analysis: Preventing Wildfire Threats to Maintain Ecosystem Health

Analysis: Preventing Wildfire Threats for Community Safety

To zoom into an area, double click left mouse.

To pan, hold left mouse and move to an area.

Or use the tool in the lower right corner.

Box 10

Project Timeline

Base the time by months not dates.

Box 11

Answer as stated in the 2012 WSFM Instructions. In order to score full points in this section, there has to be a commitment to maintenance and sustainability of the project that does not rely on grant funding.

Box 12

Answer as stated in the 2012 WSFM Instructions.

There is a conference call scheduled to provide additional instructions and clarification, the call is open to all interested parties.

Call Date and Time:

Tuesday, July 12, 2011

1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

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