



Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG)

Quick Reference for Emergency Managers and Responders

What is an FMAG?

A Fire Management Assistance Grant provides federal funding to help states fight large wildfires. When a wildfire threatens homes, communities, and critical infrastructure, the Governor can request an FMAG through FEMA to help cover firefighting costs.

How to Report a Fire Threatening Your Community

Step 1: Contact the OEM Duty Officer immediately at **(800) 800-2481**.

Step 2: Provide the following information to OEM:

- Fire location and acres burned
- Life and safety impacts
- Assistance needed (including Wireless Emergency Alerts)
- Personnel and resources committed
- Ongoing evacuations and open shelter locations

Step 3: OEM coordinates with Oklahoma Forestry Services and FEMA to evaluate the fire. If the fire meets FMAG criteria, OEM will submit a formal request to FEMA Region VI.

What OEM Needs to Know

- How many structures are threatened?
- Are evacuations underway or anticipated?
- What resources have you committed?
- Do you need additional assistance?
- What are current fire conditions (spread, weather, terrain)?

Reminder

Documentation is required for reimbursement if the FMAG is approved. Refer to Oklahoma Forestry Services Fire Department Wildfire and Cost Reporting for 2026 as the preferred method of fire suppression cost tracking.

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