Federal Funds – State Implementation

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Federal funds for State (normal year)

- 1. Normal, annual federal funding (Core Grants)
 - a. USDA Forest Service, State & Private Forestry (S&PF)
 - Annual allocation for Urban Forestry, Forest Health, Stewardship, Volunteer Fire Assistance, State Fire Assistance
 - Competitive Landscape Scale Restoration Grants
- 2. Other competitive grants (partners eligible too)
 - a. Examples: Great Lakes Restoration Initiative, Wood Innovation Grants

IIJA Funds to States

- 1. Funds to implement Statewide Forest Action Plan next 5 years
 - a. Projects for first year:
 - Trillion Trees coordination and management
 - Conservation easement management and funds for road maintenance
 - Funding management plan writing for private forestry owners in priority areas as defined in the SFAP
 - Mass timber feasibility study
 - Exploration of a regional Tree Improvement Center
 - Some into Urban Forestry Grants and Weed Management Area Grants

IIJA Funds to States – Program Specific

1. Fire funding

a. Wildfire Risk Reduction, Wildfire Preparedness projects

2. Other line items we're monitoring and waiting for info:

- a. Firewood Banks
- b. Temporary water crossing structures/skidder bridges
- c. Reforestation and National Seed Strategy
- d. Forest Health invasive species detection, prevention, eradication, and research
- e. Good Neighbor Authority

Other federal funds, waiting...

- 1. America the Beautiful Grants
- 2. Recovering America's Wildlife Act (RAWA)

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