



## Caldor Fire Recovery Operations Center

**TO: The Honorable Board of Supervisors**

**FROM: Carla Hass**

**DATE: October 3, 2022**

**RE: Caldor Recovery update**

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Please accept this memo as a weekly update to the activities surrounding the County of El Dorado's recovery from the Caldor Fire as managed by the Recovery Operations Center's (ROC) co-directors Sgt. Moke Auwae and me.

### Environmental Management

- **Alternate Program**
  - 7255 Winding Way- Contactor states it has been cleaned, EMD has not received any documentation and has not observed sampling. Began the abatement process.
  - 5221 Butte Creek Road- EMD has authorized an extension until 9/30/22 for completion.
- **USPS Grizzly Flats**
  - USPS filed a workplan on 9/8/22, the alternate program application is incomplete, the site was posted on 9/13/22.
- **USFS Parcels**
  - 168 Debris removal complete (99%)
  - 164 Soil samples approved (97%)
  - 158 Erosion Control Complete (94%)
  - 133 completed ROE sign-off (returned to owner)
- **Public Program**
  - Complete
- **USPS Grizzly Flats**
  - USPS filed a workplan on 9/8/2022, the application is incomplete. Parcel has been posted for abatement on 9/13/22

### Land Use

- **Fee Waivers** – 109 received
  - Temporary Mobile Homes/Temporary Recreational Vehicles
    - 63 Received
    - 71 Approved (even if parcel owners didn't request a TRV/TMH but were eligible for temporary power and demo permit, we included TRV/TMH in the initial approval in case of future need)

- **Rebuild Permits** – 48 received
  - 2 Building Permits Submitted & approved w/ Permit Fees Waived
  - 27 Building Permits Issued w/out Permit Fees Waived
  - 19 Building Permits Pending w/out Permit Fees Waived
- TRV Building Permits – 41 Received
  - 25 Issued
  - 16 Pending

## Health and Human Services Agency

- **Long-Term Recovery**
  - No meeting this reporting week.
- **Immediate Needs**
  - The next distribution event is on October 16th at Pioneer Elementary (flyer attached). Survivors that are registered as 50% or more loss due to the fires will be given wristbands and allowed into the event. Each family will receive 2 30-gallon totes with supplies. There will be food outside the distribution event for affected survivors that do not meet the criteria for the event.

GFWSF has expressed being in need of hygiene items such as shampoo, conditioner and personal hygiene items. They have also expressed a need for warm jackets. They will be accepting donations for the distribution event at the local hubs, and October 12th will be the last day they are accepting donations for this distribution event.
- **Social Worker**
  - The Social Worker is continuing to work with the Salvation Army DCMs. They received two housing referrals from the DCMs and one individual may qualify for the TBRA program (tenant based rental assistance)
  - They continue to provide outreach at the Pioneer Park Community Center every Thursday from 1:00pm - 3:00pm.
- **Mental Health Worker**
  - The Mental Health Worker is planning the October support groups and a flyer will be coming out soon.
- **Tenant-Based Rental Assistance Program**
  - The MOU necessary to launch the Tenant Based Rental Assistance program has been signed by the State Department of Housing and Community Development. HHS staff will communicate with the state over the coming week to understand when this rental assistance program can officially launch

## Resource Conservation District (RCD)

- Started awarding contracts for vegetation management within Grizzly Flats on September 29, 2022
- Coordinating the filing of timber harvest notices with private landowners
- Sierra-at-Tahoe is nearing 60% completion.
- Aerial logging at Sierra-at-Tahoe will begin in early October.
- Confirmed inventory of seedlings to be planted spring of 2023 in Grizzly Flat and Sierra-at-Tahoe

## **El Dorado Community Foundation**

### **CALDOR FIRE**

- El Dorado Community Foundation has provided six families in Grizzly Flats with road base for a total of 480 yards. Another five families are in the road base que.
- Four families are undergoing permitting for primary resident generators.