

## Utah Fire Department Assistance Grant Committee

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### Recommended Timeline:

Activity	Purpose	Date
Grant Committee Meeting	Status of current grant Review objectives/priorities Review application and make necessary changes.	03/09/2016 0900 hrs.
Application period	Mail out application notification Post application on Div. of FFSL website.	03/17/2016
Applications due		04/22/2016 1700 hrs.
Grant Committee Meeting Review Applications	The grant committee reviews F.D. ranking and provides input. Establish final rankings and awards to the departments.	05/23/2016 0900 hrs.
Notify Departments of awards or no award	Required before departments can begin spending grant money.	As soon as we are notified of VFA and UFRA funds. App. 06/09/2016
Deadline to spend grant funds	Invoices and/or proof of purchase due to the State Office.	11/30/2016 1700 hrs.
Second Round	Spend all funds allocated for 2016.	January-March 2017

Grant Application and Guidance online at: <http://ffsl.utah.gov/index.php/grant-programs/fire-department-grants>

The Utah Fire Department Assistance Grant is comprised of two different funding sources from two different entities with slightly different requirements. The committee combines both funding sources into one program so it is seamless for the fire departments.

<b>Agency</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>Utah Fire Marshal</b>
Historical amount available	200-300 K est.	550 K
Can be used for:	Wildland or Structure Fire	Wildland or Structure Fire Training & Equipment, Prevention
Match All are \$ or in-kind	100%	100 %
Population requirement	<10,000	None
Maximum award	\$5,000.00 per item	\$15,000.00
Reporting	Consolidated grant accomplishment report	Report as requested to the Utah Fire Marshal
Priorities	Set by the U.S.F.S. & Grant Committee	Set by the Grant Committee
Common requirements	Reporting fire activity in NFIRS and must have certified firefighters	