

## **FIREFIGHTER PROPERTY PROGRAM**

### **Terms and conditions**

**Equipment Acquisition:** DNR will acquire and transfer ownership of FFP equipment suitable for conversion into a firefighting or fire prevention apparatus, to be used in direct support of firefighting, a firefighting apparatus, or emergency services. Equipment will be made available on a priority basis to Districts which have been determined by DNR to have the greatest need. Equipment will be made available “as is” with no disclosure as to condition implied.

- (1) Title to all non-consumable equipment not requiring demilitarization will be passed the District, at the time the equipment is received. The district is responsible to register and transfer title to the vehicle.
- (2) Ownership of equipment with military demilitarization codes, C, D, and F, will not be transferred to the District. Ownership of those items shall remain with the US Forest Service.

### **Equipment Use.**

- (1) All FFP equipment shall be refurbished, and put into service for firefighting, direct support of firefighting or emergency services programs within one year of acquisition. The district may receive an extension upon prior written approval from DNR. Districts not meeting this requirement may be suspended from the program.
- (2) Within one year after acquisition DNR will request proof the vehicle is in service.
- (5) Personal use of FFP equipment for purposes not directly associated with the normal responsibilities of the District is prohibited.
- (6) Cannibalization of FFP equipment is prohibited.
- (7) All military or governmental exterior logos, insignias, and identification numbers must be removed prior to putting the unit into service.

**Inventory Disposal Demilitarization Items:** FFP items identified by DOD as requiring demilitarization (DEMIL codes C, D, F) will be tracked and inventoried in the Forest Service Federal Excess Property Management Information system (FEPMIS) until final disposition. The District is required to return those items to the nearest DOD Defense Reutilization Marketing Office (DRMO) Demil site. If a DOD Demil site is not close, the District may be allowed to demil the item on site, through crushing, mutilation, cutting, and to make the item unusable for its original intended use. The Forest Service and DNR will coordinate demilitarization activities, through the Distribution Reutilization Policy Director at the Defense Logistics Agency.

**Records:** The District agrees to provide access to and the right to examine all equipment, records, books, papers or documents for all equipment transferred under the FFP to the Forest Service, DNR, and the DOD; including the Office of Inspector General, and the Comptroller General of the United states, or their authorized representatives.