**PROJECTS BY GEOGRAPHIC REGION**

- **Northern CA** 49.6%
- **Southern CA** 28.9%
- **Central CA** 16.5%
- **Greater Bay Area** 5%

**OVER 5 MILLION CALIFORNIANS SERVED**

- 121 projects awarded
- More than $2.52 million in direct support
- 51 fire departments and local firefighter associations
- 70 community organizations

**PRIOR AWARDEE = 50% YES | 50% NO**

**AWARD RANGE: APPROX. $5,000-$150,000 EACH**

**SUPPORT BY FOCUS AREA**

- **Relief & Recovery**
- **Education, Planning & Community Outreach**
- **Personal Protective Equipment**
- **Vegetation Mitigation & Fuels Reduction**
- **Specialized Equipment & Training**

(see funding recipients)
PRIOR AWARDEES IN THEIR OWN WORDS

"We are a low-income volunteer/career fire district, and the funds from this grant provide new and updated PPE for all our members... when our firefighters are better equipped, they can all serve the community better."
— Clovisdale Volunteer Firefighter Association

“The California Fire Foundation grant has helped... in response to educating our community on how to be prepared for emergencies and disasters. We are proud to be part of helping better prepare Californians in our local community and make an impact on those who are experiencing social isolation, poverty, language barriers, or other hindering factors.” — Youth Action Program

“Having the CAF [Compressed Air Foam] units have allowed staff to work longer in fire season, under conditions that would normally be a stop-work situation. We have been able to target and complete more acreage in a day, thanks to the generous grant provided by the California Fire Foundation.” — Tehama Conservation Fund

Our “workshops are a vital tool to assist our under-resourced neighborhoods to know what steps to take in the event of a disaster. The CA Fire Foundation grant has been key to bringing our residents together to listen, train, and prepare as a community who will assist one another to survive and recover from a fire or other disaster.”
— Catholic Charities of Santa Clara County

Thank You!

We attended several local community gatherings and taught the importance of fire safety and reducing fire hazards around structures.
— Weaverville Volunteer Fire Department

"The Hemet Fire Department, an all-risk department in a city surrounded by wildland urban interface, is incredibly grateful to receive the California Fire Foundation’s generous grant funding for fire shelters. These shelters will ensure that our firefighters have last resort protection in order to survive a catastrophic condition.”
— Hemet Fire Department

The recent Oak Fire in neighboring Mariposa County more than justified the critical need for new wildland firefighting PPE. Without this grant funding, we would not be able to purchase new PPE.”
— Madera County Fire Department Assistant Chief Matthew Watson

2022 COUNTIES SERVED