



State of Oklahoma
Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry
Forestry Services

Mary Fallin
Governor

Jim Reese
Secretary of Agriculture

August 24, 2012

Dear Applicant:

Applications for the **Rural Fire 80/20 Reimbursement Grant** are now available to interested parties in the State of Oklahoma. Grants will be awarded pending release and availability of funds.

The objective of this program is to provide financial assistance to rural fire departments serving communities under 10,000 in population. With this grant you can purchase equipment for the fire department or you can build, remodel or expand a fire station.

A copy of the application is enclosed. If interested in applying for this grant, please fill it out completely and send it to your Rural Fire Coordinator. **The completed application must be returned to your Rural Fire Coordinator by October 1, 2012.** If your fire department receives a grant you will be notified on or about **November 1, 2012.** **Remember, this is a reimbursement grant.** In order to receive reimbursement for your grant you must **show proof of purchase and payment** for the approved items. Forestry services will then submit your reimbursement request for payment.

If you have any questions please contact your Rural Fire Coordinator or Gary Williams at 800-517-3673 or 405-288-2385.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George L. Geissler".

George L. Geissler, Director
Forestry Services

THIS IS A REIMBURSEMENT GRANT
APPLICATION DEADLINE OCTOBER 1, 2012
RETURN THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO YOUR RURAL FIRE COORDINATOR