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2022 Department Achievements – A Prepared and Resilient County

- Submitted a \$50 million grant application for fuels reduction project in the Brooktrails area
- Assisted with the Board's tree mortality emergency declaration
- Awarded over \$6 million in recovery and resiliency projects from state and federal competitive grants
- Completed Ignition Resistant Project Phase I
- Initiated Phase I of the Redwood Valley Sirens Project
- Hopkins Fire recovery & debris removal: Coordinated with CalOES, CalRecycle, CalTrans, and California Highway Patrol to move the enrolled properties through all stages of Phase II Consolidated debris removal operations. As of May 13, 2022, all properties formally enrolled in the State program had been cleared of fire-related debris with all soil testing, hazard tree removal, and erosion control efforts completed. Debris removal crews cleared 85 tons of burned metal, 828 tons of burned concrete, 4,997 tons of contaminated soil and ash, and removed 108 hazard trees from the enrolled properties. One property that was not among the 20 initially enrolled in the State program became a forced abatement in March 2022. PRRM worked with Planning and Building Services, Code Enforcement, County Counsel, Public Health, and CalOES to halt unauthorized debris removal and initiate the abatement process.
- Collaborated with CalOES, Environmental Health, Planning and Building Services, Air Quality Management, and County Counsel to create a robust alternate debris removal program in line with the standards of the state debris removal program for the County of Mendocino modeled on the program in use by the County of El Dorado.
- Participated in 63 MAC meetings
- Assisted CalOES in the ongoing development of an online platform for direct enrollment in future state debris operations.
- Worked with CalOES to develop a recovery centric version of the State Emergency Management System (SEMS) commonly used during the emergency response phase.
- Established monthly coordination meetings with Mendocino County Fire Safe Council