

Ken Pimlott  
Director  
California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

Chief Ken Pimlott was appointed on July 12, 2011 by Governor Edmund G. Brown as the Director of CAL FIRE, after serving as the Acting Director since November of 2010. He is also California's State Forester.

Chief Pimlott began his fire service career nearly 30 years ago as a reserve firefighter with the Contra Costa Fire Protection District. His subsequent years of service include 23 years with CAL FIRE. Prior to being appointed, Pimlott was the Deputy Director of Fire Protection, responsible for CAL FIRE's statewide fire protection programs, including Command and Control Operations, Cooperative Fire Protection, Conservation Camps, Fleet Management, Aviation Management, Training and Safety.

During Chief Pimlott's career, he has risen through the ranks, beginning as a seasonal fire fighter in the Tulare Unit in 1987. He has held a variety of resource management and fire protection positions within the department, including Pre-fire Management Division Chief, Fire Chief for the City of Moreno Valley and program manager for CAL FIRE's Cooperative Fire Protection Programs.

Prior to his current assignment, Chief Pimlott served in executive management at the Assistant Deputy Director level, overseeing CAL FIRE's fire protection operations, cooperative fire, training and safety programs.

He recently served as co-chair of the 2010 Strategic Fire Plan Steering Committee within the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection and represents CAL FIRE on the California Fire Fighter Joint Apprenticeship Committee Board of Directors.

Chief Pimlott has well rounded experience in fire protection at the operational and program levels within CAL FIRE. He holds an Associate of Arts Degree in Fire Technology from American River College, a Bachelors Degree in Forest Resource Management from Humboldt State University and is a registered professional forester.

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## Witness Disclosure Form

Clause 2(g) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires non-governmental witnesses to disclose to the Committee the following information. A non-governmental witness is any witness appearing on behalf of himself/herself or on behalf of an organization other than a federal agency, or a state, local or tribal government.

Your Name, Business Address, and Telephone Number:

KEN PIMLOTT

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1. Are you appearing on behalf of yourself or a non-governmental organization? Please list organization(s) you are representing.

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2. Have you or any organization you are representing received any Federal grants or contracts (including any subgrants or subcontracts) since October 1, 2008?

☒ Yes

☐ No

3. If your response to question #2 is "Yes", please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each grant or contract, and indicate whether the recipient of such grant or contract was you or the organization(s) you are representing.

Please see attached.

Signature:



Date: March 12, 2012

National Association of State Foresters  
Listing of Federal grants and/or contracts received since October 1, 2008

Source	Grant Number	10/08/-9/09	10/09-09/10	10/10-09/11
USDA Forest Service				
Staff Travel	08-DG-11132540-065	35,000	35,000	35,000
USDA Forest Service				
Communication Project	07-DG-11132540-135	-	50,000	-
USDA Forest Service				
Sustainable Forest	08-DG-11132540-064	100,000	105,800	107,403
USDA Forest Service				
Communication Director	06-DG-11132540-002	88,000	110,000	-
USDA Forest Service				
Communication Director	11-DG-11132540-261	-	-	104,400
USDA Forest Service				
Director of Forest Policy	07-CA-11132540-134	66,000	69,000	103,500
USDA Forest Service				
CIMC	08-DG-11132543-061	66,470	69,406	99,998
USDA Forest Service				
Wildland Urban	07-DG-11132543-023	11,000	-	-
USDA Forest Service				
Low Value Material	06-DG-11132544-259	35,420	68,655	54,625
USDA Forest Service				
State Foresters Travel	07-DG-11132540-020	256,000	256,000	-
USDA Forest Service				
Assessment Travel	08-DG-11020000-003-4 CP	-	75,000	-
USDA Forest Service	Subward: G-0828-2			
State Assessments	08-DG-11020000-003-4 CP	-	375,000	-
USDA Forest Service	Subward: G-0828-1			
USDA Forest Service				
Annual Meeting	11-DG-1142004-031	-	-	15,000
USDA Forest Service				
Annual Meeting	10-CS-11083150-002	-	15,000	-
USDA Forest Service				
Annual Meeting	09-PA-11031600-081	14,500	-	-
USDA Forest Service				
SME - Fire	07-DG-11132543-068	-	11,408	-
USDA Forest Service				
IQS	05-DG-11132543-047	270,000	-	-
USDA Forest Service				
NIFC	11-DG-11132543-344	-	-	185,504
USDA Forest Service				
NIFC	07-DG-11132543-019	162,000	177,500	183,247
USDA Forest Service				
NFP-2	09-DG-11132543-130	129,223	152,103	318,591
USDA Forest Service				
NWCG	09-DG-11132543-135	161,000	-	106,053
USDA Forest Service				
IQS	10-DG-11132543-111	-	306,000	100,000
USDA Forest Service				
Fiscal Specialist	10-DG-11132540-92	-	30,000	59,177
USDA Forest Service				
Communication Prj II	10-DG-11132540-274		350,000	64,055
USDA Forest Service				
Partnerships	10-DG-11132540-307	-	300,000	-
		<u>1,394,613</u>	<u>2,555,872</u>	<u>1,536,553</u>