

CDF/Zone Agency Radio Plan:

This radio plan will cover the responsibilities of the first arriving Officer on a Wildland Incident on either LRA or SRA lands when California Department of Forestry units are responding.

The first arriving Officer should give a size-up on appropriate Command Channel as assigned. In addition, a brief size-up should be broadcasted on CDF Local Tone 8 to Monte Vista. Advise if the fire is on SRA or LRA and the potential size of the fire.

The first-in Battalion/Duty Chief should contact the first arriving CDF Chief Officer to discuss Incident resource needs and who will place these orders. Several items need to be completed to ensure operational success:

1. One central ordering point is established.
2. Early communications, either face-to-face or radio, between agency Chief Officers needs to be established to decide incident objectives.
3. Incident Radio Plan needs to be established and broadcast early in the incident.