

CONTRACT COUNTIES

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The term "contract county" applies to those counties to which CAL FIRE allocates state funds annually for providing wildland fire protection to SRA and includes Marin, Santa Barbara, Kern, Ventura, Los Angeles, and Orange counties. These counties provide direct fire protection to SRA with their own fire organization under the supervision of a county fire official (PRC §4129). Refer to [8500](#) Cooperative Fire Protection Procedures Handbook, Contract Counties.

The expenditure of emergency funds in contract counties is permitted as long as such expenditures have the approval of a CAL FIRE official.

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