

Fiscal Impact of the Wildfires



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Financial Impact of the Recent Wildfires

Financial Impact of Wildfires | Response Cost

[Preliminary data - last updated on January 28]



\$41M

**City Personnel Cost during
Field & EOC Response**



\$220M

Infrastructure / Structural Damage



Financial Impact of Wildfires | Types of Infrastructure Damage



LOS ANGELES
PUBLIC LIBRARY

\$55M

Pacific Palisades Library
Smoke, ashes, & dust in HVAC filters



\$56M

2 Rec Centers (Palisades & Rustic Canyon)
Park Amenities (12 parks)



\$23M

Street Lights damaged or destroyed



\$75.8M

3 Distribution Stations
Distribution system failures
Distribution system in mobile home park
DWP-owned street & outdoor lights



\$10M

Replacement of 2 stormwater structures
11 Pumping plants
Measures to keep facilities operational



Federal & State Financial Assistance

Federal & State Assistance | Reimbursement



FEMA

75%-100%*

* only applies to some categories



Cal OES
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

75%
of the City share

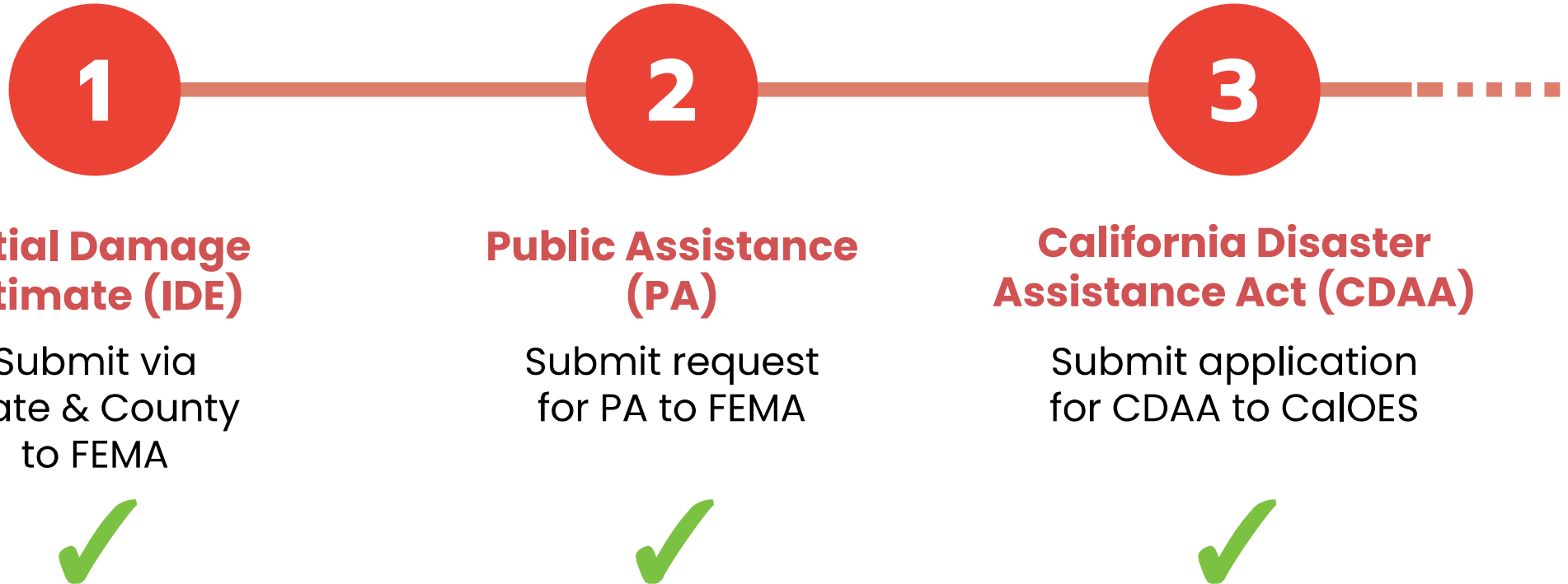


**City of
Los Angeles**

6.25%



Federal & State Assistance | Immediate Steps



Federal & State Assistance | Long-term Process

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Initial Orientation

for all City depts
led by the CAO &
CalOES

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Recovery Scoping

meeting with FEMA
(late-Feb)

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Project Development

Define project
scopes to
repair physical
infrastructure

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Submit Expenditures to FEMA & CalOES

**The City front-funds all costs
& must identify funding solutions for current fiscal year**





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