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SECURE RURAL SCHOOLS

SUPPORTING CRITICAL SERVICES IN FOREST COUNTIES

RAVALLI COUNTY, MT

	SRS PAYMENT, FY 2019 RECEIPTS YEAR:	PROJECTED 25% FUND PAYMENT, FY 2017 RECEIPTS YEAR:	PROJECTED FY 2017 25% FUND PAYMENT VS. FY 2019 SRS:	PERCENT OF NATIONAL FOREST SERVICE LAND:
COUNTY	\$811,002	\$34,534	-95.7%	73.7%
STATE	\$15.7 M	\$2.6 M	-83.3%	18.5%

SECURE RURAL SCHOOLS

The Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination (SRS) Act was enacted in 2000 to compensate for steep reductions in revenues from timber harvests, which resulted from national policies that substantially diminished revenue-generating activities within federal forests. For FY 2019, the SRS program provided \$249 million for roads and schools and other critical services in 656 mostly rural counties, parishes and boroughs across the United States. The last authorization for SRS expired on September 30, 2018.

OUR ASK

Without SRS, forest counties nationwide face dramatic budgetary shortfalls. Counties urge Congress to renew its long-standing commitment to forest counties by increasing revenue sharing through active forest management and extending SRS as critical transitional funding.

Notes: The receipts year reflects when U.S. Forest Service (USFS) collects revenues from national forest lands. Without the SRS Act reauthorization, states revert to the Payments to States Act of 1908 as amended, receiving a 25 percent payment from national forest receipts. USFS estimates FY 2017 county 25 percent payments based on county shares of the national forest receipts. These estimates reflect the application of a 6.8 percent sequester to the state payments.

Sources: NACo analysis of data from the U.S. Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management and Headwaters Economics analysis of the U.S. Geological Survey, Protected Areas Database.

SRS PAYMENTS ARE CRITICAL FOR SERVICES INCLUDING:



TRANSPORTATION
INFRASTRUCTURE



SCHOOLS



FOREST
MANAGEMENT



ECOSYSTEM
PROTECTION



PROTECTION
FROM WILDFIRE



SEARCH AND
RESCUE



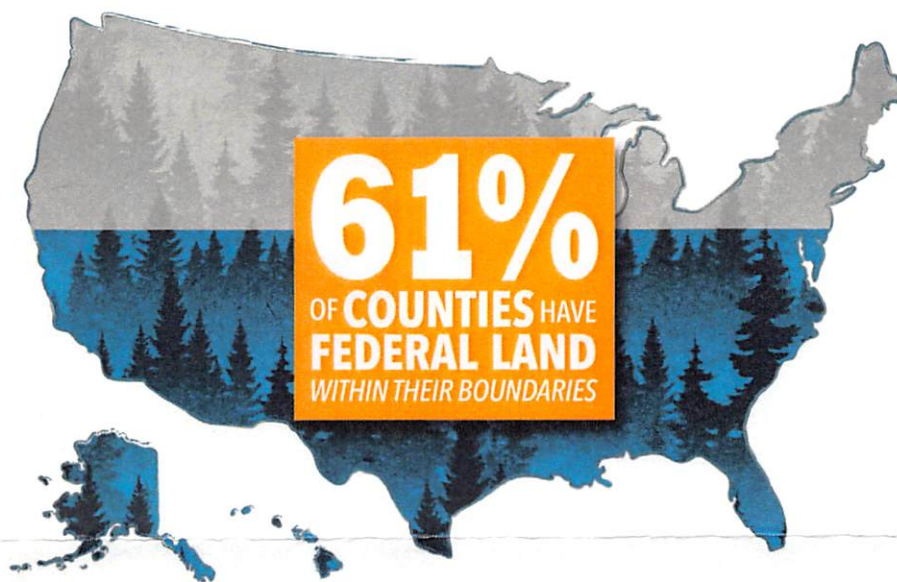
EMERGENCY
SERVICES

2020 PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES (PILT)

RAVALLI COUNTY, MT

PILT RECEIVED, FY 2020:	PERCENT OF PILT ENTITLEMENT LAND:	PILT ENTITLEMENT ACRES:	PILT AMOUNT PER ENTITLEMENT ACRE:
\$2,671,717	73.2%	1,120,319	\$2.38

FEDERAL LANDS, LOCAL COMMUNITIES



- **61% of counties have federal land within their boundaries.** Even though they are not able to collect property taxes on federal land, county governments must still provide essential services for their residents and those who visit these public lands each year. Such services include road and bridge maintenance, law enforcement, search and rescue, emergency medical, fire protection, solid waste disposal and environmental compliance.
- Our ask: **Counties urge Congress to provide full funding for PILT in FY 2021 and to support a sustainable long-term approach to financing essential local services in America's public lands counties.**

NOTES: NACo analysis of U.S. Department of the Interior data. PILT received, FY 2020 represents the total PILT appropriations for fiscal year 2020. The total number of PILT entitlement acres reflects the number of acres eligible for PILT payments.

PILT FUNDING CRITICAL FOR SERVICES INCLUDING:



ROAD AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE



LAW ENFORCEMENT



SEARCH AND RESCUE



EMERGENCY MEDICAL



FIRE PROTECTION



SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL



ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE