- (d) A fire, rescue, or emergency medical services entity may not enter into a mutual aid agreement unless the agreement provides that each subscribing party shall waive any and all claims against all other parties to the agreement that may arise out of their activities outside their respective jurisdictions under the agreement. 38.
- (a) Any [board of fire commissioners, fire company, rescue squad, governmental subdivision, or fire department,] FIRE, RESCUE, OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ENTITY acting through authorized agents[,] may in their discretion[,] enter into agreement with the federal government for the provision of fire fighting or rescue activities on property which is under the jurisdiction of the United States.
- (b) Any agreement entered into in accordance with subsection (a) hereof shall be limited to the provision of fire fighting and/or rescue equipment and personnel to extinguish fires and save lives on property which is under the jurisdiction of the United States.
- (c) No [board of fire commissioners, fire company, rescue squad, governmental subdivision, or fire department] FIRE, RESCUE, OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ENTITY shall enter into any such agreement in accordance with subsections (a) and (b) hereof unless the agreement includes:
- (1) A waiver by each party of all claims against every other party for compensation for any loss, damage, personal injury, or death occurring in consequence of the performance of such agreement;
- (2) A provision to indemnify and save harmless the other parties to such agreement from all claims by third parties for property damage or personal injury within the limitations permitted by applicable federal law, that may arise out of the activities of the other parties to such agreement; and
- (3) Except in Anne Arundel County, a provision that entitles the [board of fire commissioners, fire company, rescue squad, governmental subdivision, or fire department] FIRE, RESCUE, OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ENTITY to obtain reimbursement from the appropriate federal authority for all or any part of the cost incurred in furnishing fire protection on property which is under the jurisdiction of the United States, pursuant to applicable federal law.
- (d) Any individual who sustains any injury while engaged in and arising out of any activity under this section is entitled to any or all benefits available to the individual under the Maryland Workers' Compensation Act, as the primary remedy to reimburse the individual for expenses for medical bills, loss of earnings and disability arising under or as a result of this section.

39.

For the purposes of any workers' compensation or other law or benefit which would accrue to personnel, paid or volunteer, who are performing any service anywhere for a [fire department or rescue squad] FIRE, RESCUE, OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ENTITY of this State, or elsewhere, under any mutual aid