### 2020 Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILT)

#### U.S. Counties and PILT

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<th>Percent of Counties with PILT Entitlement Land</th>
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#### 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