



FEMA

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State of Tennessee

Federal Disaster Declaration Fact Sheet

May 6, 2010

On May 4, 2010, President Obama declared a major disaster declaration for the State of Tennessee, triggering the release of Federal funds to help people and communities recover from the severe storms, flooding, straight-line winds, and tornadoes beginning April 30, 2010, and continuing. **This disaster declaration has been amended as indicated below in bold.** Details of this disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows:

Declaration Number: FEMA-1909-DR

Incident: Severe Storms, Flooding, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes

Incident Period: April 30, 2010, and continuing

Federal Coordinating Officer: Gracia B. Szczech
National FCO Program

Type of Assistance: **Individual Assistance:** (Assistance to individuals and households):

Designated Counties: **Carroll**, Cheatham, **Crockett**, Davidson, **Decatur**, Dyer, **Fayette**, **Gibson**, **Hardeman**, **Hayward**, **Henderson**, Hickman, **Houston**, **Madison**, McNairy, Montgomery, **Obion**, Perry, Shelby, Tipton and Williamson Counties.

Type of Assistance: **Public Assistance:** (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities):

Designated Counties: **Carroll**, Cheatham, **Crockett**, Davidson, **Decatur**, Dyer, **Fayette**, **Gibson**, **Hardeman**, **Hayward**, **Henderson**, Hickman, **Houston**, **Madison**, McNairy, Montgomery, **Obion**, Perry, Shelby, Tipton and Williamson Counties for debris removal and emergency protective measures (Categories A and B), including direct Federal assistance, under the Public Assistance program.

Type of Assistance: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program: (Assistance to State and local governments and certain private non-profit organizations for actions taken to prevent or reduce long-term risk to life and property from natural hazards):

Designated Counties: All counties in the State of Tennessee are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

OTHER: Additional designations may be made at a later date after further evaluation.

If you have any questions or need additional information on this Federal disaster declaration, please contact Jason Nelson at (202) 646-4500, FAX number (202) 646-3600.

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