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Flood Relief Resources

President Obama has expanded the Major Disaster Declaration to seven counties, including Adams, Jefferson, Larimer, Boulder, Weld, Clear Creek, and El Paso Counties. This declaration extends FEMA's Individual Assistance programs to assist individuals in their recovery from the disaster. This means **Adams and Jefferson County** residents may now apply for federal assistance for damage and loss incurred as a result of flooding, severe storms and landslides that began September 11, 2013.

If you have any questions about available assistance, please do not hesitate to contact my office at (303) 274-7944. My staff will gladly assist you.

-Ed Perlmutter



FEMA

FEMA aid is designed to help meet emergency needs not met by insurance or other forms of assistance. There is no cost to register for these programs. Anyone who was impacted by the floods should register with FEMA to learn about what assistance might be available to you.

What assistance for qualified applicants may include:

- Grants to rent a new place to live temporarily as needed.
- Grants for home repairs not covered by insurance.
- Grants for serious disaster-related needs not covered by insurance—such as medical, dental and funeral expenses, moving and storage fees, and personal property replacement.
- Low-interest disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) for homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations to cover losses not fully compensated by insurance.

How to apply:

- Apply online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov.
- Apply via smartphone at m.fema.gov.
- Call the registration phone number at **1-800-621-3362**; those who have a speech disability or hearing loss and use TTY, should call **1-800-462-7585** directly; for those who use 711 or Video Relay Service (VRS), call **1-800-621-3362**.

What info you will need:

- Social Security number
- Address of the damaged home or apartment
- Description of the damage
- Information about insurance coverage
- A current contact telephone number

An address where you can get mail

Bank account and routing numbers if you want direct deposit of any financial assistance.

For more information on the Colorado disaster operation, visit fema.gov/disaster/4145.



The American Red Cross is helping supply food, water and shelter to those in need of immediate assistance. There are several shelters open in the area.

To find the nearest shelter visit <http://www.redcross.org/find-help/shelter> or call the Denver chapter at (303) 722-7474.

U.S. Small Business Administration



The Small Business Administration is offering loans to homeowners, renters, business owners, nonprofits, and other organizations to help repair or replace damaged property. Currently they are offering:

Home Disaster Loans – Loans to homeowners or renters to repair or replace disaster-damaged real estate or personal property owned by the victim. Renters are eligible for their personal property losses, including automobiles.

Business Physical Disaster Loans – Loans to businesses to repair or replace disaster-damaged property owned by the business, including real estate, inventories, supplies, machinery and equipment. Businesses of any size are eligible. Private, non-profit organizations such as charities, churches, private universities, etc., are also eligible.

Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) – Working capital loans to help small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives, small businesses engaged in aquaculture, and most private, non-profit organizations of all sizes meet their ordinary and necessary financial obligations that cannot be met as a direct result of the disaster. These loans are intended to assist through the disaster recovery period.

Call 1-800-659-2955 or email disastercustomerservice@sba.gov

Other Information:

Colorado Office of Emergency Management: <http://www.coemergency.com/>
@COEmergency on Twitter and on Facebook at www.facebook.com/COEmergency

Colorado Division of Homeland Security: <http://www.dhsem.state.co.us/>

Colorado Road Info: <http://www.coloradodot.info/>

Donation and Volunteer Website: <http://www.helpcoloradonow.net/>

Federal Emergency Management Agency: <http://www.fema.gov/>

[Map of Shelters and Emergency Centers](#)

Preparedness information: www.READYColorado.com, at @READYColorado on Twitter and on Facebook at www.facebook.com/READYColorado.

Division wide information: www.DHSEM.state.co.us