

# President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. Approves Major Disaster Declaration for Vermont

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WASHINGTON -- FEMA announced that federal disaster assistance has been made available to the state of Vermont to supplement state and local recovery efforts in the areas affected by a severe storm and flooding from July 29-30, 2021.

Federal funding is available to the state, eligible local governments and certain private nonprofit organizations on a cost-sharing basis for emergency work and the repair or replacement of disaster-damaged facilities in Bennington and Windham counties.

Federal funding is also available on a cost-sharing basis for hazard mitigation measures statewide.

James McPherson has been named the Federal Coordinating Officer for federal recovery operations in the affected areas. Additional designations may be made at a later date if warranted by the results of damage assessments.



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