



Recovery Resources for Winter Storms

Winter storms often damage public infrastructure and utilities, but they can also have wide-ranging impacts on agricultural producers, businesses and services, and individuals. Below are links for non-FEMA federal partner programs and resources for users impacted by winter storms.

Table 1: Federal Winter Storm-Related Assistance Programs (Excluding FEMA Resources)

Impact	Federal Agency Resource Links
Electric Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DOE: Grid Resilience State/Tribal Formula Grant Program DOE: State Energy Program USDA: Electric Infrastructure Loan & Loan Guarantee Program
Broadband and Telecommunications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> USDA: Telecommunications Infrastructure Loans & Loan Guarantees USDA: ReConnect Loan and Grant Program
Water Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> USDA: Emergency Community Water Assistance Grants Program NRCS: Emergency Watershed Protection Program USDA: Water & Waste Disposal Loan & Grant Program USDA: Circuit Rider Program - Technical Assistance for Rural Water Systems EPA: Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF)
Individuals & Households – Home, property damage and direct assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SBA: Home and Personal Property Loans IRS: Disaster Assistance for Individuals DOL: Disaster Unemployment Assistance HUD: Mortgage Insurance for Disaster Victims USDA: Single Family Housing Repair Loans and Grants USDA: Single Family Housing Rural Disaster Home Repair Grants
Businesses – Property damage, operational impacts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SBA: Business Physical Disaster Loans SBA: Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL)



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FSA: Emergency Farm Loans
Public Sector – Facilities, Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ USDA: Community Facilities Direct Loan & Grant Program ▪ USDA: Emergency Community Water Assistance Grants
Livestock or Agricultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FSA: Emergency Farm Loans ▪ FSA: Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP) ▪ FSA: Emergency Assistance Program for Livestock, Honeybees, & Farm-Raised Fish (ELAP) ▪ FSA: Emergency Haying and Grazing ▪ FSA: Tree Assistance Program (TAP) ▪ FSA: Emergency Forest Restoration Program (EFRP) ▪ FSA: Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program
Emergency Feeding and Sheltering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FNS: Foods During Disaster Assistance ▪ FNS: The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP): Farm to Food Bank Project Grants ▪ HUD: Community Development Block Grant (Disaster Recovery)
Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FHWA: Emergency Relief for Federally Owned Roads (ERFO) & Emergency Relief Program for Federal-Aid Highways (ERFA) ▪ DOT: Rural Surface Transportation Grant
Economic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SBA: Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) ▪ IRS: Disaster Assistance & Emergency Relief for Individuals & Businesses

Additional Resources

Recovery and Resilience Resource Library: <https://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/practitioners/recovery-resilience-resource-library>, (public facing, no account required)

Roadmap to Federal Resources for Disaster Recovery: <https://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/practitioners/roadmap-resource-library> (public facing, no account required)

Disclaimer

Resources identified in this chart are for informational purposes. Users should always consult directly with the resource provider to confirm program details and verify the applicability of a program. This list is not a final policy interpretation nor a guarantee of funding.

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Acronyms

DOE	Department of Energy
DOL	Department of Labor
DOT	Department of Transportation
EDA	Economic Development Administration
FHWA	Federal Highways Administration
FNS	Food and Nutrition Service
FSA	Farm Services Agency
HUD	Housing and Urban Development
IRS	Internal Revenue Service
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
SBA	Small Business Administration
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture