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## Vermont Federal Disaster Declaration Fact Sheet

September 12, 2008

On September 12, 2008, President Bush declared a major disaster for the State of Vermont, triggering the release of federal funds to help communities recover from the severe storms, a tornado, and flooding that occurred from July 21 to August 12, 2008. Details of the disaster declaration and assistance programs are as follows.

Declaration Number: FEMA-1790-DR

Incident: Severe Storms and Flooding

Incident Period: July 21 to August 12, 2008

Federal Coordinating Officer: Philip E. Parr  
National FCO Program

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

Designated Counties: Addison, Caledonia, Essex, Lamoille, Orange, Washington, and Windsor counties

Type of Assistance: Hazard Mitigation: (Assistance to State and local governments 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 Vermont 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 call **Mary Blagg** at (802) 872-7219 or -7210.