



Federal Emergency Management Agency Designates 39 Counties in Arkansas as Natural Disaster Areas Due to Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding

Emergency Designation | Texas | August 22, 2025

Two Texas Counties Also Eligible for Assistance

This Presidential disaster declaration allows the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) to extend much-needed emergency credit to producers recovering from natural disasters through [emergency loans](#). Emergency loans can be used to meet various recovery needs including the replacement of essential items such as equipment or livestock, reorganization of a farming operation, or to refinance certain debts. FSA will review the loans based on the extent of losses, security available, and repayment ability.

Impacted Area: Arkansas

Triggering Disaster: Severe storms, tornadoes, and flooding occurring April 2, 2025, and April 22, 2025.

Application Deadline: January 21, 2026

Primary Counties Eligible:

Clark	Clay	Craighead	Crittenden	Cross
Dallas	Desha	Fulton	Greene	Hempstead
Hot Spring	Izard	Jackson	Lafayette	Lawrence
Lee	Little River	Lonoke	Marion	Miller
Monroe	Montgomery	Nevada	Newton	Ouachita
Pike	Poinsett	Prairie	Pulaski	Randolph
St. Francis	Saline	Scott	Searcy	Sevier

Sharp	Stone	White	Woodruff	
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Contiguous Counties Also Eligible:

Arkansas	Baxter	Boone	Calhoun	Carroll
Chicot	Cleburne	Cleveland	Columbia	Drew
Faulkner	Garland	Grant	Howard	Independence
Jefferson	Johnson	Lincoln	Logan	Madison
Mississippi	Perry	Phillips	Polk	Pope
Sebastian	Union	Van Buren	Yell	

Louisiana: Bossier, Caddo, and Webster

Mississippi: Bolivar, DeSoto, and Tunica

Missouri: Butler, Dunklin, Howell, Oregon, Ozark, Ripley, and Taney

Oklahoma: Le Flore and McCurtain

Tennessee: Shelby and Tipton

Texas: Bowie and Cass

More Resources

On farmers.gov, the [Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool](#), [Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet](#), and [Loan Assistance Tool](#) can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local [USDA Service Center](#).

FEMA offers different assistance programs for individual citizens, public groups including government agencies and private nonprofit organizations. To find the FEMA help you need following a disaster event, visit [fema.gov/assistance](https://www.fema.gov/assistance).

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